

Country Conditions for Mailing - Kenya

Prohibitions (130)

Coins; banknotes; currency notes (paper money); traveler's checks; platinum, gold, or silver (manufactured or not); precious stones; jewelry; and other valuables.

Firearms and articles resembling deadly weapons.

Radioactive materials.

Used clothing, bedding and other similar items, textile and fabrics.

Restrictions

Articles bearing Boy Scout or Girl Scout insignia must have authorization of the Kenya Boy Scout or Girl Guide Commissioner.

Military or civil uniforms and clothing resembling them require permit of the Kenya government.

Restrictions apply to the importation of second-hand clothes for sale. This restriction does not apply to personal effects.

Traps capable of killing or capturing game must have permission of the Chief Game Warden of Kenya.

Observations

A plant import permit must be obtained prior to shipment to Kenya from the Kenyan Ministry of Agriculture at the following address: The Director, National Plant Quarantine Station, P.O. Box 30148, Nairobi, Kenya.

Many types of merchandise require authorization to import, which the addressee must obtain from the Director of Trade and Supplies, P.O. Box 30430, Nairobi, Kenya. Senders should be assured that the addressee has such a permit or can obtain one if needed.

Customs Forms Required (123) (Available online)

Letter-post: PS Form 2976 or 2976-A (see [123.61](#))

(Available online)

Parcel Post: PS Form 2976-A inside 2976-E (envelope)

Size Limits

Letter-post: See [243.2](#) Parcel Post: Maximum length: 42 inches. Maximum length and girth combined: 79 inches

Postcards and Postal Cards (250) \$0.75

Aerogrammes (250) \$0.75 Enclosures NOT permitted

Airmail Letter-post Rates

Weight not over (ozs.)	Letter-post Rate	Weight not over (ozs.)	Letter-post Rate	Weight not over (ozs.)	Letter-post Rate
1	\$0.84	12	\$8.05	44	\$21.85
2	1.65	16	9.75	48	23.65
3	2.40	20	11.45	52	25.50
4	3.20	24	13.10	56	27.35
5	4.00	28	14.80	60	29.20
6	4.80	32	16.50	64	31.05
7	5.60	36	18.30		
8	6.40	40	20.10		
Weight Limit: 64 ounces (4 lbs.)					

Postal rates and Mailing Conditions
 Information Contained Herein is available online at:
http://pe.usps.gov/text/imm/immicl/immiclhk_017.html

Airmail Parcel Post Rates

Weight not over (lbs.)	Parcel Post Rate	Weight not over (lbs.)	Parcel Post Rate	Weight not over (lbs.)	Parcel Post Rate
1	\$16.75	25	\$91.15	49	\$167.05
2	19.50	26	94.35	50	170.20
3	22.65	27	97.50	51	173.40
4	25.30	28	100.65	52	176.55
5	27.95	29	103.80	53	179.70
6	31.10	30	107.00	54	182.85
7	34.25	31	110.15	55	186.05
8	37.40	32	113.30	56	189.20
9	40.60	33	116.45	57	192.35
10	43.75	34	119.65	58	195.50
11	46.90	35	122.80	59	198.70
12	50.05	36	125.95	60	201.85
13	53.25	37	129.10	61	205.00
14	56.40	38	132.30	62	208.15
15	59.55	39	135.45	63	211.35
16	62.70	40	138.60	64	214.50
17	65.90	41	141.75	65	217.65
18	69.05	42	144.95	66	220.80
19	72.20	43	148.10	67	224.00
20	75.35	44	151.25	68	227.15
21	78.50	45	154.40	69	230.30
22	81.70	46	157.55	70	233.45
23	84.85	47	160.75		
24	88.00	48	163.90		
Weight Limit: 70 lbs.					

Note: Ordinary air parcel post includes indemnity at no cost based on weight. For an item not over 1 pound, the indemnity is \$61.28, and the indemnity increases at just less than \$3.00 for each pound or fraction up to a maximum of 70 pounds, which has an indemnity of \$266.59. (See [280.](#))

**Airmail
 Direct Sack to One Addressee - M-Bags ([260](#))**

Weight Not Over 11 lbs. \$40.70
 Each additional pound or fraction of a pound \$3.70

Weight Limit: 66 pounds

Global Priority Mail (GPM) ([230](#)) NOT Available

**Economy Mail
 Letter-post Rates**

Weight not over (ozs.)	Letter-post Rate	Weight not over (ozs.)	Letter-post Rate	Weight not over (ozs.)	Letter-post Rate
16	\$6.00	36	\$10.60	56	\$14.50
20	6.90	40	11.35	60	15.30
24	7.85	44	12.15	64	15.75
28	8.85	48	12.95		
32	9.80	52	13.75		
Weight Limit: 64 ounces (4 lbs.)					

Economy Mail - Parcel Post Rates

Weight not over (lbs.)	Parcel Post Rate	Weight not over (lbs.)	Parcel Post Rate	Weight not over (lbs.)	Parcel Post Rate
5	\$23.00	27	\$57.70	49	\$86.70
6	24.75	28	59.00	50	88.00
7	26.35	29	60.35	51	89.35
8	28.20	30	61.65	52	90.65
9	30.55	31	63.00	53	91.95
10	33.75	32	64.30	54	93.30
11	35.20	33	65.60	55	94.60
12	36.70	34	66.95	56	95.90
13	38.15	35	68.25	57	97.25
14	39.65	36	69.55	58	98.55
15	41.10	37	70.90	59	99.85
16	42.60	38	72.20	60	101.20
17	44.05	39	73.50	61	102.50
18	45.55	40	74.85	62	103.80
19	47.00	41	76.15	63	105.15
20	48.50	42	77.45	64	106.45
21	49.80	43	78.80	65	107.75
22	51.10	44	80.10	66	109.10
23	52.45	45	81.40	67	110.40
24	53.75	46	82.75	68	111.70
25	55.05	47	84.05	69	113.05
26	56.40	48	85.35	70	114.35
Weight Limit: 70 lbs.					

Ordinary economy parcel post includes indemnity at no cost based on weight. For an item not over 1 pound, the indemnity is \$61.28, and the indemnity increases at just less than \$3.00 for each pound or fraction up to a maximum of 70 pounds, which has an indemnity of \$266.59. (See [280.](#))