

Mauritius

The postal rates at the time of the 1935 Silver Jubilee derived from U.P.U. tables.

2c	Printed matter/book packets/samples/commercial papers, inland, per 50g Catalogues, inland, up to 200g (or per subsequent 100g) Literature for the blind, inland, per kg
3c	Postcard, inland
4c	Literature for the blind, abroad, per kg Printed papers, empire (or foreign, minimum rate: 8c), per 50g (Certificate of posting, inland) (Commercial papers/patterns/samples, abroad, per subsequent 50g)
5c	Letter, inland, per 20g
6c	(Letter, empire, per subsequent 20g)
8c	Printed papers, foreign, minimum rate Patterns/samples, abroad, 1 st 100g
10c	Postcard, abroad
12c	Letter, empire, 1 st 20g Airmail postcard, South Africa, SWA [via S. Africa] (Registration fee or Advice of delivery [requested at time of posting] fee, inland) (Letter, foreign, per subsequent 20g) (Small packet, abroad, per subsequent 50g)
15c	Parcel, inland, up to 500g Airmail postcard, N & S Rhodesia [via S. Africa], or K.U.T. [via Kenya] (Reply coupon, empire)
18c	Airmail letter, South Africa, SWA [via S. Africa], per 10g
20c	Letter, foreign, 1 st 20g Airmail postcard, [via S. Africa] K.U.T. or [via Kenya] S. Africa, Sudan Parcel, inland, 500g to 1kg Commercial papers, abroad, up to 250g (Registration fee, delivery abroad) (Advice of delivery fee when requested at time of posting, abroad, or insured parcel, inland)
22c	Airmail postcard, Egypt via Kenya
25c	Airmail letter, K.U.T. [via Kenya], per 10g Airmail postcard, [via S. Africa.] Nyasaland, Sudan or [via Kenya] Rhodesia or [via Madagascar] Mozambique (Express delivery fee, inland, per mile distant from office) (Express delivery late fee, inland, applied if delivered after hours)
30c	Airmail letter, Sudan via Kenya, Singapore via Java, N or S Rhodesia, per 10g Airmail postcard via S. Africa, Egypt, Belgian Congo, & via Kenya, Canada, GB & Europe, India Parcel, inland, 1kg to 2kg or Rodrigues up to 1kg (Reply coupon, foreign)
32c	Airmail postcard, Palestine
35c	Airmail letter, S Africa via Kenya, Bangkok via Java, up to 10g Airmail postcard via Kenya, India [air in India] Small packet, abroad, up to 250g (Insured letter fee, abroad, per 300 francs gold cover)

40c	Airmail letter, K.U.T. via S Africa, Rangoon via Java, per 10g Airmail postcard via S Africa, UK, Eire, Iraq &, via Kenya, USA [air to London & in US], Burma Parcel, inland, 2 to 3kg (Advice of delivery fee when requested after time of posting, abroad, or insured parcel, inland)
45c	Airmail letter, Egypt via Kenya, Mozambique via Madagascar, Calcutta via Java, Nyasaland, per 10g Airmail postcard via S Africa, continental Europe, [air to Karachi] India & Ceylon
50c	Airmail letter, UK via Kenya, Sudan via S.A., Allahabad via Java, Canada via Kenya, per 10g Airmail postcard via S Africa, India [air in India], Persia, Algeria, Morocco, Tunisia, Canary Islands Airmail postcard via Kenya or Madagascar, Malaya, China, Japan Parcel, inland, 3 to 4kg
55c	Airmail letter via Kenya, continental Europe, India [air to Karachi, or via Java to Jodhpur], per 10g
60c	Airmail letter via Java, Iraq, per 10g Airmail postcard, Australia via Kenya, N. America via S Africa Parcel, Rodrigues, 1 to 3kg
62c	Airmail postcard via Madagascar, Europe
65c	Airmail letter [via S Africa], Egypt, Palestine, Belgian Congo or [via Java], Bushire, per 10g Airmail letter via Kenya, India [air in India], per 10g Parcel, S. Africa, up to 1kg
70c	Airmail postcard, Russia
75c	Airmail letter [via S Africa], UK, Eire, or [via Kenya] Burma, or [via Java], Gaza, per 10g Airmail postcard [via S Africa], West Africa, Malaya, China, Siam, Dutch E Indies, Korea, Japan, Bahamas, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Haiti, Jamaica, Mexico, Puerto Rico
80c	Airmail letter via Kenya, USA [air within US], or via S Africa, Iraq, or via Java, Egypt, per 10g Airmail postcard [via S Africa], Australia, N. Zealand, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Salvador Parcel, Rodrigues, 3 to 5kg
85c	Airmail letter via Java, Athens, per 10g
90c	Airmail letter via S Africa, continental Europe, or via Java, Italy, Hungary, per 10g Airmail postcard [via S Africa], Barbados, Costa Rica, Leeward & Windward Islands, Panama
95c	Airmail letter via S Africa, India & Ceylon [air to Karachi], or via Java, France, Germany, Netherlands, per 10g
1r	Airmail letter via S Africa, N Africa, Persia, India [air in India], Malaya, China, Siam, Dutch E Indies, Korea, Japan, per 10g Airmail [to Singapore] letter via Kenya, China, Japan, Malaya, per 10g
1.15	Airmail letter via Kenya, Australia, New Zealand, per 10g Airmail postcard [via S Africa], Ecuador, Guiana, Venezuela, Dutch Antilles
1.20	Airmail letter via S Africa, N America, per 10g
1.25	Airmail letter via Madagascar, Europe, per 10g
1.30	Airmail postcard, Colombia
1.35	Parcel, Rodrigues, 5 to 10kg
1.40	Airmail letter, Russia, per 10g
1.45	Airmail letter, Bahamas, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Haiti, Jamaica, Mexico, Puerto Rico, per 10g
1.50	Airmail letter, Gambia, Gold Coast, Sierra Leone, Nigeria, French Guinea, Senegal, per 10g
1.60	Airmail letter, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Salvador, per 10g
1.65	Airmail letter [via S Africa], Australia, N. Zealand, per 10g
1.70	Airmail postcard, Peru
1.80	Airmail letter, Barbados, Costa Rica, Leeward & Windward Islands, Panama, per 10g
2.35	Airmail letter [via S Africa], Ecuador, Guiana, Venezuela, Dutch Antilles, per 10g

2.45	Airmail postcard, Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Paraguay, Uruguay
2.60	Airmail letter, Colombia, per 10g
3.40	Airmail letter, Peru, per 10g
4.90	Airmail letter, Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Paraguay, Uruguay, Panama, per 10g

Annotation & notes

Newspapers inland: Free if delivered to Central Railway station 15 minutes prior to departure.

Late fee abroad: Double rate if less than 1 hour of closing; quadruple rate if more than 1 hour of closing.

Those bewildered at the number of airmail rates should bear in mind that, at this time, there was no direct airmail from Mauritius and that mail so designated needed to be shipped to one of the following connections:

- East or South Africa (for Imperial Airways)
- Madagascar (for French Airlines)
- Java (for K.L.M. Dutch Airlines)

(...) = Additions to standard rates.

Shading

	Silver Jubilee denominations
	Rates achievable solely with Silver Jubilee denominations



*1r, 20c and a definitive 25c pair,
(total: 1.70r, being 20c registration
& 75c per 10g, x2 for the airmail
rate to UK when sent via S. Africa),
on the reverse of a cover to London,
each tied by Rose Hill cds for
8.30am 18 My 35.*