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1 Revision History

Date	Author	File Version	Change Description
12/8/2023	Maggie Tillar	V1.1	Initial external version
2/8/2024	Maggie Tillar	V1.3	- Jan. Release section 2.1 marked complete (gray font) - Feb. Release section 2.2 updated - Appendix B section 3.2.2 updated

2 Implementation Summary

External testing availability via the Web Tools CAT / stg- environment for each release can be found in the respective section below. The external test environment can be accessed, using your production USERID, via the following URL scheme, host and path:

- Secure APIs: <https://stg-secure.shippingapis.com/ShippingApi.dll>

If you receive an authorization error, please contact webtools@usps.gov and include your USERID.

Note: Gray coloring indicates production release changes have been implemented.

2.1 Production Release: January 11, 2024

External testing: Dec.18

The API changes noted below will be released to production in the late-night hours of January 11, 2024. USPS is enacting a Price Change on January 21, 2024, which will be available on January 11 when using a ship date of January 21 or beyond. All domestic and international price calculator and shipping label APIs will reflect updated pricing in XML responses, on shipping label images, and in the Shipping Services Files (see Appendix A for full list of price calculator and label APIs). For information on specific prices being updated, please go to <https://about.usps.com/newsroom/national-releases/2023/1006-usps-proposes-new-prices-for-2024.htm>. To test updated prices, use a ship date of 1/21/24 or later in our lower testing environments.

Changes beyond basic price updates are explained below, per API.

2.1.1 Elimination of Parcel Select Lightweight (PSLW) & Updates to Parcel Select Destination Entry (PSDE)

1. Summary: USPS will eliminate Parcel Select Lightweight (PSLW) and update the Parcel Select Destination Entry (PSDE) price tables with new ounce-based prices at 4-ounce, 8-ounce, and 12-ounce increments. Impacted Web Tools APIs will be updated to support these changes as detailed below. Web Tools will support backwards compatibility such that integrators may continue to pass existing API inputs for PSLW which will return PSDE outputs.
2. Impacted APIs:
 - Domestic Price Calculator API (API=RateV4)
 - eVS Domestic Label API (API=eVS)
 - Service Delivery Calculator API (API=SDCGetLocations)
3. Domestic Price Calculator (API=RateV4) Updates:
 - Service (i.e., <Service>) enumeration "PARCEL SELECT LW" will be accepted but return updated Parcel Select Destination Entry (PSDE) pricing and availability in the XML response.
 - Service (i.e., <Service>) enumeration "PARCEL SELECT DE" will return updated PSDE pricing and availability in the XML response.
 - The RateV4 API will support new published weight increments for PSDE.
 - Current PSDE service standards and published Nonstandard Fees will apply to new weight increments.
 - Reference <https://pe.usps.com/PriceChange> for details.
4. eVS Domestic Label API (API=eVS) Updates:
 - Service (i.e., <ServiceType>) enumeration "PARCEL SELECT LW" will be accepted but return updated Parcel Select Destination Entry (PSDE) pricing/availability and label image in XML response.
 - Service (i.e., <ServiceType>) enumeration "PARCEL SELECT DE" will return updated PSDE pricing/availability and label image in XML response.
 - The eVS API will support new published weight increments for PSDE.
 - Current PSDE service standards and published Nonstandard Fees will apply to new weight increments.
 - Reference <https://pe.usps.com/PriceChange> for details.

- The eVS API will be updated to support applicable PSDE Service Type Codes (STCs) per USPS Publication 199 (Pub 199) specifications.
 - Web Tools will make updates to the Shipping Partner Event File and Shipping Services File for PSDE labels generated through the eVS Label API to ensure Pub 199 compliance.
5. Service Delivery Calculator API (API=SDCGetLocations) Updates:
- The SDCGetLocations API will be updated to support Parcel Select Destination Entry (PSDE) service standards and commitments.
 - <MailClass> value of “7” will indicate PSDE commitments.
 - <MailClass> value of “9007” will indicate PSDE HAZMAT commitments.

2.1.2 eVS Domestic Label API – USPS HAZMAT Updates

1. Summary: Web Tools will make updates to the eVS API to enforce the type of Hazardous Materials (HAZMAT) is provided in the request via the <ExtraService> enumeration to generate a HAZMAT label.
 - When <ContentType>="HAZMAT" is provided without HAZMAT extra services (i.e., <ExtraService> enumerations 810-832), Web Tools will return a new error "Additional HAZMAT details required, HAZMAT extra service required."

2.1.3 Web Tools API Access Updates – Extended to March 1, 2024

1. Summary: ~~Effective January 31, 2024~~, Web Tools will require the password be provided with the USERID in each label API XML request. Otherwise, an error will return. In TBD 2024, the password will be required for all API requests. Integrators are strongly encouraged to provide this information in advance of the change to avoid any service disruptions or integration issues. Contact webtools@usps.gov for any questions or concerns.
2. Summary: Effective TBD December 2023, API access and permissions will be added separately after registration. To obtain these permissions, contact webtools@usps.gov and provide in your request for access:
 - Username/UserID (from the automated registration email):
 - USPS Mailer ID (MID):
 - Company Website:
 - Are you a shipper or software provider? Please provide details on how your business will use the APIs.
 - List of API(s) to which you would like access and expected volume (peak daily, weekly, monthly) – reference www.usps.com/webtools for a complete list of APIs.

2.1.4 Maintenance

1. Fixes to the Shipping Services File process to remove End of Line conversion characters passed in the API before generating the manifest. This fix will impact all Label APIs to resolve issues with line feeds passed in the API request that are included in the Shipping Services File resulting in errors.
2. Fixes to eVS Domestic Label API (API=eVS) to resolve a defect when <ServiceType>="Priority Mail Express" and <ImageParameters>="BARCODE ONLY" are passed in the request resulting in a label image returning incorrectly.
3. Fixes to Domestic Price Calculator API (API=RateV4) API to improve error message returned when invalid value is provided in <DropOffTime> tag.
 - Current error message "An unexpected system error has occurred. Please try again later or contact the System Administrator" will be updated to "DropOffTime is invalid."
4. Fixes to all Domestic Label APIs to resolve formatting issues when the destination addresses is a Commercial Mail Receiving Agency (CMRA). Reference https://pe.usps.com/text/pub28/28c2_040.htm.
 - Updates will resolve issues where the secondary address element of the mailing address for the CMRA (i.e., STE) and the CMRA customer's private mailbox number (PMB) were incorrectly combined.
5. Fixes to eVS Domestic Label API (API=eVS) to resolve a defect resulting in "HAZMAT - Surface Transportation Only" endorsement not printing for Ground Advantage HAZMAT labels.

2.2 Production Release: February 22, 2024

External testing: Feb. 9

2.2.1 Domestic Price Calculator API – Expected Delivery Updates

1. Summary: Web Tools will update the RateV4 API to return expected delivery information for all mail classes. Expected delivery information is currently returned for Priority Mail Express (PME) and Priority Mail (PM) mail classes when available; this will expand to all mail class variants with this release.
 - When the <ShipDate> or <Content> or <SpecialServices> tags are provided in the request, expected delivery information returns in the <CommitmentDate> and <CommitmentName> tags for PME and PM mail classes. Remaining mail classes (i.e., Ground Advantage, Media Mail, Library Mail, PSDE, BPM, etc.) will return expected delivery information in the <CommitmentDate> and <CommitmentName> tags.
 - Example of current XML response with retail pricing for non-PME/PM mail class (i.e., Ground Advantage):


```
<Postage CLASSID="1058">
<MailService>USPS Ground
Advantage<sup>&#8482;&lt;/sup></MailService>
<Rate>X.XX</Rate>
</Postage>
```
 - Example of new XML response with retail pricing for non-PME/PM mail class (i.e., Ground Advantage):


```
<Postage CLASSID="1058">
<MailService>USPS Ground
Advantage<sup>&#8482;&lt;/sup></MailService>
<Rate>X.XX</Rate>
<CommitmentDate>YYYY-DD-MM</CommitmentDate>
<CommitmentName>X-Day</CommitmentName>
</Postage>
```
 - Reference Appendix B for sample XML request and response.
 - When <ShipDate Option="HFP"> is included in the request, expected delivery information returns in the <CommitmentDate>, <CommitmentName>, and <CommitmentTime> tags for PME and PM mail classes. Remaining mail classes (i.e., non-PME/PM) will return expected delivery information in the <CommitmentDate> and <CommitmentName> tags; <CommitmentTime> will not return.
 - Example of current XML response with retail pricing for non-PME/PM mail class (i.e., Ground Advantage):


```
<Postage CLASSID="1058">
<MailService>USPS Ground
Advantage<sup>&#8482;&lt;/sup></MailService>
<Rate>X.XX</Rate>
</Postage>
```
 - Example of new XML response with retail pricing for non-PME/PM mail class (i.e., Ground Advantage):


```
<Postage CLASSID="1058">
<MailService>USPS Ground
Advantage<sup>&#8482;&lt;/sup></MailService>
<Rate>X.XX</Rate>
<Commitment>
<CommitmentDate>YYYY-MM-DD</CommitmentDate>
<CommitmentName>X-Day</CommitmentName>
</Commitment>
</Postage>
```
 - Reference Appendix B for sample XML request and response.

2.2.2 Web Tools API Access Updates

1. Summary: Effective March 1, 2024, Web Tools will require the password be provided with the USERID in each label API XML request. Otherwise, an error will return. In TBD 2024, the password will be required for all API requests. Integrators are strongly encouraged to provide this information in advance of the change to avoid any service disruptions or integration issues. Contact webtools@usps.gov for any questions or concerns.

2.2.3 eVS Domestic Label API - USPS Smart Locker Updates (API=eVS)

1. Summary: Updates to the eVS Domestic Label API to manifest Smart Locker labels every 15 minutes.
 - When eVS Smart Locker labels are successfully created, Web Tools will schedule the record to manifest within the next 15 minutes.
 - eVS Smart Locker labels with future ship dates will manifest on label creation date but preserve the future ship date in the SSF H1 pos. 4 (Date of Mailing) field.
 - If an eVS integrator is not generating a Smart Locker label, the manifest frequency will not change.
2. Summary: Updates to the eVS Domestic Label API to allow for multiple package dimension configurations when validating if a package will fit into the USPS Smart Locker.
 - The API will determine backend if a package fits into a Smart Locker using the package dimension values passed in the <Width>, <Length>, and <Height> request fields. New API logic will be as follows:
 - Package dimension values passed in the eVS Label request <Width>, <Length>, and <Height> fields will be ordered from greatest to least per package standards where Length>Width>Height.
 - Maximum locker dimension values returned from the GetLockerInfo API <LockerSizeMaximumLength>, <LockerSizeMaximumWidth>, and <LockerSizeMaximumHeight> fields will be ordered from greatest to least per package standards where Length>Width>Height.
 - eVS Label package dimension values will be validated against maximum locker dimensions and an error will return if package dimensions exceed locker dimensions.

2.2.4 Maintenance

1. Effective Jan. 17, 2024, updates to impacted APIs to support change in delivery street address line of a smart locker from "PO BOX LOCKER" to "USPS SMART LOCKER."
 - Impacted APIs: eVS Domestic Label API, Verify, and GetLockerInfo.
2. Effective Jan. 17, 2024, updates to eVS Domestic Label API to change Smart Locker labels service banner text from "USPS PO BOX LOCKER PICKUP" to "DELIVER TO USPS SMART LOCKER."
 - Reference Appendix B for sample label.
3. Effective Jan. 17, 2024, fixes to eVS Domestic Label API to resolve bug in creation of Shipping Service File (v2.0) for Smart Locker labels resulting in below fields not populating correctly:
 - D1 pos 78 (Delivery Address) field
 - D2 pos 3 (Secondary Delivery Address) field
 - D2 pos 5 (State) field
4. Effective Feb. 2, 2024, fixes to Domestic Price Calculator API (API=RateV4) and eVS Domestic Label API to resolve a defect with oversize pricing not returning correctly for Parcel Select Destination Entry.
5. Effective Feb. 2, 2024, fixes to resolve defect with Ground Advantage dimensional weight pricing not returning correctly.
 - Impacted APIs: Domestic Price Calculator API (API=RateV4), USPSReturnLabel API and eVS Domestic Label API.
6. Effective Feb. 2, 2024, fixes to Domestic Price Calculator API (API=RateV4) to resolve defect where \$0.00 price was returning for Priority Mail Hold For Pickup.
7. Effective Feb. 2, 2024, fixes to Domestic Price Calculator API (API=RateV4) to resolve defect where successful responses were returning for invalid content types (<ContentType>) for Smart Lockers (i.e., Cremated Remains, Perishable, Pharmaceuticals, Medical Supplies and Lives). As a result of the fix, Smart Lockers will not return as an option when above content types are indicated.

8. Effective Feb. 2, 2024, fixes to Domestic Price Calculator API (API=RateV4) to resolve defect where Smart Lockers were returning incorrectly as eligible for APO/FPO/DPO+PTFAS locations requiring a domestic customs form. As a result of the fix, Smart Lockers will not return as an option when shipping to locations requiring a domestic customs form.
9. Effective Feb. 2, 2024, fixes to Domestic Price Calculator API (API=RateV4) to resolve defect where incorrect price was returned for Bound Printed Matter Commercial Parcels Carrier Route (i.e., when <Service>="BPM" and <Sortation>="CR").
10. Effective Feb. 2, 2024, fixes to resolve a defect in the zone and price returned when Ground Advantage (<1lb) and Priority Mail military zone exceptions apply (i.e., military ZIPs 090-099, 962-966). Example origin ZIP 06461 to destination ZIP 09011, the Zone is 2, except for Priority Mail service where the Zone is 5, and USPS Ground Advantage (< 16 oz.) where the Zone is 5. Fix will return Zone 5 instead of incorrect Zone 2 in this scenario.
 - Impacted APIs: Domestic Price Calculator API (API=RateV4) and eVS Domestic Label API.
11. Effective Feb. 2, 2024, fixes to Domestic Price Calculator API (API=RateV4) to resolve defect where Parcel Select Destination Entry HAZMAT options were not returned when eligible. Fix will return HAZMAT options when <Service>="ALL" or "ONLINE" and <DestinationEntryFacilityType> are provided in the XML request.
12. Effective Feb. 6, 2024, fixes to resolve API errors returned when an origin accept location was not available for a Priority Mail Express or Priority Mail commitment. The fix will enable a successful response to return with the Priority Mail Express (<MailClass>="1") and/or Priority Mail (<MailClass>="2") commitments (<Commitment>) without an accept location (<Location>) if one does not exist.
 - Impacted APIs: Service Delivery Calculator (API=SDCGetLocations) and ExpressMailCommitments.
13. Effective Feb. 6, 2024, fixes to Service Delivery Calculator (API=SDCGetLocations) API to resolve errors returned when a 9-digit origin ZIP code (i.e., <OriginZIP>="441423628") was included in the request.
14. Fixes to resolve defect with trademark symbol "™" not printing correctly on customs form description of contents field for ZPL label images.
 - Impacted APIs: eVSExpressMailIntl and eVSPriorityMailIntl
15. Fixes to resolve defect with Parcel Select Destination Entry dimensional weight not returning correctly for rectangular and nonrectangular packages.
 - Impacted APIs: Domestic Price Calculator API (API=RateV4) and eVS Domestic Label API.
16. Fixes to resolve defect on customs form to increase font size where description of contents field was printed too small/unreadable.
 - Impacted APIs: eVSPriorityMailIntl and eVSFirstClassMailIntl.
17. Effective Feb. 24, fixes to Package Tracking API (API=TrackV2) API to resolve errors seen with Package Track API requests (i.e., "TrackRequest").

2.3 Production Release: March 2024

External testing: TBD

Items will be moved to this release when scheduled and included in future versions of the release notes.

2.4 Production Release: April 2024

External testing: TBD

Items will be moved to this release when scheduled and included in future versions of the release notes.

2.5 Production Release: May 2024

External testing: TBD

Items will be moved to this release when scheduled and included in future versions of the release notes.

2.6 Production Release: June 2024

External testing: TBD

Items will be moved to this release when scheduled and included in future versions of the release notes.

2.7 Production Release: July 2024

External testing: TBD

Items will be moved to this release when scheduled and included in future versions of the release notes.

2.8 Production Release: August 2024

External testing: TBD

Items will be moved to this release when scheduled and included in future versions of the release notes.

2.9 Production Release: September 2024

External testing: TBD

Items will be moved to this release when scheduled and included in future versions of the release notes.

2.10 Production Release: October 2024

External testing: TBD

Items will be moved to this release when scheduled and included in future versions of the release notes.

2.11 Production Release: November 2024

External testing: TBD

Items will be moved to this release when scheduled and included in future versions of the release notes.

2.12 Production Release: To Be Determined

2.12.1 New International Shipping Regulatory Mandate – Enforcement

1. Summary: Web Tools will update APIs to enforce new regulatory mandate resulting in new errors returning for impacted countries. Reference Appendix D.

2.12.2 New USPS API Platform

1. Summary: New USPS APIs are available in the USPS Developer Portal which offer more API customization, product offerings, and payment options. Additional features include increased security via OAuth2 tokens and Webhooks push notifications. Visit the [USPS Developer Portal](#) for details.
 - o Web Tools integrators interested in migrating to the new USPS API platform should contact webtools@usps.gov.

3 Appendices

3.1 Appendix A – Price Calculator and Label APIs

3.1.1 Domestic Price Calculator APIs

Description	API Name
Domestic Price Calculator	RateV4

3.1.2 International Price Calculator APIs

Description	API Name
International Price Calculator	IntlRateV2, IntlRate (deprecated)

3.1.3 Domestic Label APIs

Description	API Name
USPS Returns Label	USPSReturnsLabel
eVS Domestic	eVS
SCAN Form	SCAN

3.1.4 International Label APIs

Description	API Name
Express Mail International – eVS	eVSExpressMailIntl
Priority Mail International – eVS	eVSPriorityMailIntl
First Class Mail International - eVS	eVSFirstClassMailIntl
GXG Get Label – eVS	eVSGXGGetLabel
Customs Form CN22	CustomsCN22V2 (deprecated)
Customs Form CP72	CustomsCP72V3 (deprecated)

3.2 Appendix B – Sample API Requests, Responses, and Labels

3.2.1 Sample XML Requests

This section provides sample XML requests to the test/staging environment that demonstrate some of the changes implemented to our APIs in this release. These requests are provided as a reference to aid in your understanding of the changes and in your integration with our updated APIs. You should still complete your typical testing and verification processes to ensure that your system is communicating properly with the most updated versions of the Web Tools APIs.

Please note that you must place your valid USERID and Password into the request. Sample responses are provided below the sample requests to illustrate the changes that will occur to the XML schema. Please note that the data within the tags may differ depending on inputs provided. Areas of note are highlighted.

RateV4 Sample Request

Feb. 22, 2024 Release reference 2.2.1: Expected Delivery Information returned for all mail classes when <ShipDate> is included in the request.

```
<RateV4Request USERID="XXXXXX" PASSWORD="XXXXXXXX">
  <Revision>2</Revision>
  <Package ID="1">
    <Service>ALL</Service>
    <FirstClassMailType></FirstClassMailType>
    <ZipOrigination>22201</ZipOrigination>
    <ZipDestination>23116</ZipDestination>
    <Pounds>1</Pounds>
    <Ounces>13</Ounces>
    <Container>VARIABLE</Container>
    <Width>6</Width>
    <Length>10</Length>
    <Height>2</Height>
    <Girth></Girth>
    <Value></Value>
    <Machinable>true</Machinable>
    <DropOffTime>13:00:00</DropOffTime>
    <ShipDate>12/10/2023</ShipDate>
    <ReturnFees>true</ReturnFees>
  </Package>
</RateV4Request>
```

RateV4 Sample Response

Feb. 22, 2024 Release reference 2.2.1: Expected Delivery Information returned for all mail classes when <ShipDate> is included in the request.

```
<RateV4Response>
  <Package ID="1">
    <ZipOrigination>22201</ZipOrigination>
    <ZipDestination>23116</ZipDestination>
    <Pounds>1</Pounds>
    <Ounces>13</Ounces>
    <Machinable>TRUE</Machinable>
    <Zone>2</Zone>
    <Postage CLASSID="3">
      <MailService>Priority Mail Express 2-Day<sup>&#174;&lt;/sup>&lt;/MailService>
      <Rate>30.90</Rate>
      <CommitmentDate>2023-12-12</CommitmentDate>
      <CommitmentName>2-Day</CommitmentName>
    </Postage>
    ...
    <Postage CLASSID="1">
      <MailService>Priority Mail<sup>&#174;&lt;/sup>&lt;/MailService>
      <Rate>10.05</Rate>
      <CommitmentDate>2023-12-13</CommitmentDate>
      <CommitmentName>2-Day</CommitmentName>
    </Postage>
```

```

...
<Postage CLASSID="1058">
<MailService>USPS Ground Advantage<sup>&#8482;&lt;/sup></MailService>
<Rate>9.00</Rate>
<CommitmentDate>XXXXXXXX</CommitmentDate>
<CommitmentName>XXXX</CommitmentName>
</Postage>
<Postage CLASSID="2058">
<MailService>USPS Ground Advantage<sup>&#8482;&lt;/sup> Hold For Pickup</MailService>
<Rate>9.00</Rate>
<CommitmentDate>XXXXXXXX</CommitmentDate>
<CommitmentName>XXXX</CommitmentName>
</Postage>
<Postage CLASSID="6058">
<MailService>USPS Ground Advantage<sup>&#8482;&lt;/sup> Parcel Locker</MailService>
<Rate>9.00</Rate>
<CommitmentDate>XXXXXXXX</CommitmentDate>
<CommitmentName>XXXX</CommitmentName>
</Postage>
<Postage CLASSID="4058">
<MailService>USPS Ground Advantage<sup>&#8482;&lt;/sup> HAZMAT</MailService>
<Rate>9.00</Rate>
<CommitmentDate>XXXXXXXX</CommitmentDate>
<CommitmentName>XXXX</CommitmentName>
</Postage>
<Postage CLASSID="6">
<MailService>Media Mail Parcel</MailService>
<Rate>4.67</Rate>
<CommitmentDate>XXXXXXXX</CommitmentDate>
<CommitmentName>XXXX</CommitmentName>
</Postage>
<Postage CLASSID="6076">
<MailService>Media Mail Parcel Parcel Locker</MailService>
<Rate>4.67</Rate>
<CommitmentDate>XXXXXXXX</CommitmentDate>
<CommitmentName>XXXX</CommitmentName>
</Postage>
<Postage CLASSID="7">
<MailService>Library Mail Parcel</MailService>
<Rate>4.43</Rate>
<CommitmentDate>XXXXXXXX</CommitmentDate>
<CommitmentName>XXXX</CommitmentName>
</Postage>
<Postage CLASSID="6075">
<MailService>Library Mail Parcel Parcel Locker</MailService>
<Rate>4.43</Rate>
<CommitmentDate>XXXXXXXX</CommitmentDate>
<CommitmentName>XXXX</CommitmentName>
</Postage>
</Package>
</RateV4Response>

```

RateV4 Sample Request

Feb. 22, 2024 Release reference 2.2.1: Expected Delivery Information returned for all mail classes when `<ShipDate Option="HFP">` is included in the request.

```

<RateV4Request USERID="XXXXXX" PASSWORD="XXXXXXXX">
  <Revision>2</Revision>
  <Package ID="1">
    <Service>ALL</Service>
    <FirstClassMailType></FirstClassMailType>
    <ZipOrigination>22201</ZipOrigination>
    <ZipDestination>23116</ZipDestination>
    <Pounds>1</Pounds>
    <Ounces>13</Ounces>
    <Container>VARIABLE</Container>
    <Width>6</Width>
    <Length>10</Length>
    <Height>2</Height>
  </Package ID="1">
</RateV4Request>

```

```

<Girth></Girth>
<Value></Value>
<Machinable>true</Machinable>
  <DropOffTime>13:00:00</DropOffTime>
<ShipDate Option="HFP">12/10/2023</ShipDate>
<ReturnFees>true</ReturnFees>
</Package>
</RateV4Request>

```

RateV4 Sample Response

Feb.22, 2024 Release reference 2.2.1: Expected Delivery Information returned for all mail classes when <ShipDate Option="HFP"> is included in the request.

```

<RateV4Response>
<Package ID="1">
<ZipOrigination>22201</ZipOrigination>
<ZipDestination>23116</ZipDestination>
<Pounds>1</Pounds>
<Ounces>13</Ounces>
<Machinable>TRUE</Machinable>
<Zone>2</Zone>
<Postage CLASSID="3">
<MailService>Priority Mail Express 2-Day<sup>&#174;&lt;/sup>&lt;/MailService>
<Rate>30.90</Rate>
<Commitment>
<CommitmentDate>2023-12-12</CommitmentDate>
<CommitmentName>2-Day</CommitmentName>
<CommitmentTime>6:00 PM</CommitmentTime>
</Commitment>
</Postage>
...
<Postage CLASSID="1">
<MailService>Priority Mail<sup>&#174;&lt;/sup>&lt;/MailService>
<Rate>10.05</Rate>
<Commitment>
<CommitmentDate>2023-12-13</CommitmentDate>
<CommitmentName>2-Day</CommitmentName>
<CommitmentTime>11:59 PM</CommitmentTime>
</Commitment>
</Postage>
...
<Postage CLASSID="1058">
<MailService>USPS Ground Advantage<sup>&#8482;&lt;/sup>&lt;/MailService>
<Rate>9.00</Rate>
<Commitment>
<CommitmentDate>XXXXXXXXXX</CommitmentDate>
<CommitmentName>XXXXX</CommitmentName>
</Commitment>
</Postage>
<Postage CLASSID="2058">
<MailService>USPS Ground Advantage<sup>&#8482;&lt;/sup>&lt;/MailService> Hold For Pickup</MailService>
<Rate>9.00</Rate>
<Commitment>
<CommitmentDate>XXXXXXXXXX</CommitmentDate>
<CommitmentName>XXXXX</CommitmentName>
</Commitment>
</Postage>
<Postage CLASSID="6058">
<MailService>USPS Ground Advantage<sup>&#8482;&lt;/sup>&lt;/MailService> Parcel Locker</MailService>
<Rate>9.00</Rate>
<Commitment>
<CommitmentDate>XXXXXXXXXX</CommitmentDate>
<CommitmentName>XXXXX</CommitmentName>
</Commitment>
</Postage>
<Postage CLASSID="4058">
<MailService>USPS Ground Advantage<sup>&#8482;&lt;/sup>&lt;/MailService> HAZMAT</MailService>
<Rate>9.00</Rate>
<Commitment>

```

```
<CommitmentDate>XXXXXXXXXX</CommitmentDate>
<CommitmentName>XXXXX</CommitmentName>
</Commitment>
</Postage>
<Postage CLASSID="6">
<MailService>Media Mail Parcel</MailService>
<Rate>4.67</Rate>
<Commitment>
<CommitmentDate>XXXXXXXXXX</CommitmentDate>
<CommitmentName>XXXXX</CommitmentName>
</Commitment>
</Postage>
<Postage CLASSID="6076">
<MailService>Media Mail Parcel Parcel Locker</MailService>
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3.2.2 Sample Labels/Receipts

This section provides sample label and receipt images to the test/staging environment that demonstrate some of the changes implemented to our APIs in this release. These samples are provided as a reference to aid in your understanding of the changes and in your integration with our updated APIs. You should still complete all your usual testing and verification processes to ensure that your system is communicating properly with the most updated version of Web Tools.

3.2.2.1 Updated eVS Smart Locker Sample Label



Figure 1: eVS Priority Mail Smart Locker Label

3.3 Appendix C – HTTPS/Secure Web Tools APIs Security Certificate Info

3.3.1 SSL Security Certificate Updates (HTTPS APIs)

Status	Common Name (CN)	Envir.	URLS	Expiration Date	Deployment Date
Pending	Web Tools Legacy HTTPS APIs	TEST	https://stg-secure.shippingapis.com/shippingapi.dll	10/21/2024	TBD
Pending	Web Tools Legacy HTTPS APIs (New)	TEST	https://stg-production.shippingapis.com/ShippingApi.dll	7/18/2024	TBD
Pending	Web Tools PROD HTTPS APIs	PROD	https://secure.shippingapis.com/ShippingAPI.dll	8/20/2024	TBD
Pending	Web Tools PROD HTTPS APIs (New)	PROD	https://production.shippingapis.com/ShippingAPI.dll	8/20/2024	TBD

3.3.2 SSL Security Certificate Updates (HTTPS Web Tools 2.0 APIs):

Status	Common Name (CN)	Envir.	URLS	Expiration Date	Deployment Date
Complete	Web Tools 2.0 APIs	TEST	https://cat-webtools.usps.com/	6/28/2024	TBD
Complete	White Label APIs	TEST	https://staging-whitelabel.shippingapis.com/	6/1/2024	TBD
Complete	Web Tools 2.0 APIs	PROD	https://webtools.usps.com/	8/20/2024	TBD
Complete	White Label APIs	PROD	https://whitelabel.shippingapis.com/	8/20/2024	TBD

3.4 Appendix D – Categories for International Shipping Regulatory Mandates

Category (<ItemCategory>)	SubCategory (<ItemSubCategory>)
Appliances, Parts & Accessories	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Air Compressors • Bathroom Appliances • Clothing Iron • Coffee Makers, Toasters & Other Heat-generating Kitchen Appliances • Cutting Blades • Fans • Food Grinders • Heaters, Radiators & Air Conditioning Units • Mechanical Kitchen Appliances • Microwave Ovens • Other Household Appliances • Other Kitchen Appliances • Oven, Cooktops & Ventilating Hoods • Refrigerators & Freezers • Sewing Machines • Sinks, Toilets & Bathtubs • Vacuum Cleaners • Washing Machines & Dryers • Weighing Scales
Arts & Collectibles	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Antique Hand-Painted & Hand-Drawn Art • Antiques Over 100 Years Old • Archaeological, Zoological & Historical Collector's Pieces • Art Paint & Brushes • Art Prints • Blank Art Canvas • Coin • Hand-Painted & Hand-Drawn Art • Non-Original Wooden Art • Original Prints & Engravings • Original Sculptures & Carvings • Sewing Materials • Stamp Collections • Statuettes and Ornaments
Automotive & Vehicles	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aircraft & Parts • Bicycles & Accessories • Car, Truck & Tractor Parts • Cranes • Diesel-powered Cars & Trucks • Electric Cars & Trucks • Gas-powered Cars & Trucks • Motorcycle & Bicycle Parts • Motorcycles • Railway & Tramway Vehicles & Parts • Scooters & Chairs for the Disabled & Parts • Ship & Boat Parts • Ships & Boats • Spacecraft & Parts • Special Vehicles (e.g., Fire Trucks, Cement Mixers, etc.)

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tractors & Work Trucks • Trailers
Beauty & Health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Air Fresheners & Incense • Bath & Hand Soap • Bath salts • Contact Lenses • Contraceptives • Dental Fittings & Hygiene • Feminine Hygiene • Hair Cutting Tools • Hair Dryers, Straighteners & Curlers • Make-up • Manicure & Pedicure Sets • Massage Tools • Medicine, Ointments, First Aid & Bandages • Other Hygiene • Pedometer • Perfume & Deodorant • Personal Medical Equipment • Shampoo & Hair Products • Shaving & Waxing • Vaccines, Blood, & Cell Cultures
Books, Movies & Music	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Books & Brochures • Catalogs • Coloring Books • DVDs, CDs, Tapes & Other Recorded Media • Maps & Globes • Music Boxes • Musical Instruments & Parts • Newspapers, Journals & Magazines • Printed Decals • Sheet Music
Clothing & Accessories	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Baby Clothes • Belts & Buckles • Fabric Material • Glasses & Sunglasses • Gloves and Mittens • Hats & Headgear • Hoodies, Sweaters & Cardigans • Luggage, Backpacks, Bags & Wallets • Men's & Boys' Jackets, Shirts & Suits • Men's & Boys' Pants & Swimwear • Men's & Boys' Underwear & Pajamas • Other Clothing Accessories • Shoes & Accessories • Socks, Pantyhose & Tights • Ties & Scarves • Used Clothing • Wigs & False Hair • Women's & Girls' Jackets, Shirts & Dresses • Women's & Girls' Pants, Skirts & Swimwear • Women's & Girls' Underwear & Pajamas

Electronics, Computers & Cameras	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Audio-playing Devices • Batteries & Power Banks • Cables & Connectors • Cameras, Video Cameras & Parts • Chargers • Computer Parts & Accessories • Device Cases & Bags • DVD & Blu-ray Players • Gift, Credit & Smart Cards • GPS Devices & Radios • Laptops & Desktops • Electrical Parts • Smoke Detectors & Alarms • Speakers, Headphones & Microphones • Streaming Service Devices • Telephones & Smartphones • Televisions & Projectors • Traffic & Safety Signal Equipment • Video Game Consoles & Games
Food & Groceries	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alcoholic Beverages • Baby Formula • Chocolate & Cocoa Products • Coffee, Tea & Mate • Dairy & Eggs • Extracts & Concentrates • Fats & Oils • Fruit • Fruit & Nut Mix • Grains & Flour • Jams & Jellies • Live Fish & Seafood • Meat & Fish • Nuts • Other Food Items • Sauces • Soda & Other Drinks • Soups & Broths • Spices & Sugar • Syrup & Molasses • Tobacco Products & E-cigarettes • Treats • Vegetables & Other Plants
Home & Garden	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adhesives & Tape • Animal Hides & Parts • Artificial Plants & Flowers • Bedding & Towels • Candles • Clocks & Parts • Clothing Hangers • Containers & Baskets • Curtains • Electric Kitchen Appliances • Furniture

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Household Cleaners & Trash Bags • Lamps & Lighting • Live Plants & Fresh Flowers • Mirrors • Other Household Items • Other Outdoor & Garden Items • Rugs & Mats • Sacks & Bags • Safes & Strong-boxes • Statuettes & Other Decor • Tableware & Kitchenware • Toilet Paper, Napkins & Tablecloths
Industrial, Scientific & Machinery	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agricultural & Food Machinery • Batteries & Accumulators • Buttons & Mannequins • Dies & Tanning Extracts • Electric Parts, Electronic Waste & Scrap • Energy-generating Equipment • Explosives & Combustibles • Industrial Animal Products • Industrial Furnaces & Ovens • Industrial Glass Items • Industrial Metal Items • Industrial Plastic Items • Industrial Rubber Items • Industrial Stone & Cement Items • Industrial Textile Items • Industrial Vacuum Cleaners • Industrial Washers & Dryers • Industrial Wood Items • Laboratory Equipment • Magnets • Measuring Equipment • Medical Equipment • Metal-working Machinery • Motors & Generators • Moulds • Navigation & Surveying Equipment • Ores, Mineral Fuels & Oils • Organic Compounds • Other Chemical Products • Other Electrical Machinery & Parts • Other Industrial Machinery • Other Industrial Machinery Parts • Other Minerals & Stone • Packing Materials & Containers • Precious Metal Compounds & Inorganic Chemicals • Printing & Paper Machinery • Railway Materials • Semiconductor-producing Machinery • Textile Machinery • Transformers • Vegetative Materials

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vending Machines • Welding Equipment
Jewelry & Watches	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Imitation Jewelry & Parts • Jewelry Boxes & Cases • Jewelry of Pearls or Precious Metal & Parts • Pearls & Precious Stones • Precious Metals • Watches & Parts
Office Products	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Account Books, Receipt Books & Binders • Adhesive & Tape • Calculators • Calendars • Chalkboards & Dry Erase Boards • Documents & Business Cards • Erasers • Filing Cabinets & Trays • Letter Openers • Other Mathematical Tools • Other Plastic School Supplies • Paper & Paperboard • Pencil Sharpeners, Staplers & Other Office Machines • Pens & Pencils • Printers & Ink • Safety Pins, Paper Clips & Staples • Scissors • Stamps
Pet Supplies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cages & Accessories • Fish Tanks, Terrariums & Accessories • Food Bowls • Leashes, Harnesses & Saddles • Litter Box • Pet Beds • Pet Food • Pet Toys
Sports & Outdoors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Air Mattresses & Sleeping Bags • Air Pumps • Binoculars & Telescopes • Camping Backpacks & Sports Bags • Compasses • Firearms & Weapons • Firewood & Charcoal • Fireworks & Flares • Fishing Gear • Grills & Stoves • Hammocks • Lamps & Flashlights • Matches & Lighters • Pans & Dutch Ovens • Sports Equipment & Balls • Tents, Tarps & Rope • Umbrellas • Walking Sticks & Whips

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Water Sports • Winter Sports
Tools & Construction materials	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Carpet, Flooring and Tile • Doors & Windows • Hand Tools • Lawn Equipment • Lumber & Furniture Wood • Metal Mountings • Moulding Patterns & Engineering Drawings • Nails, Screws & Bolts • Other Equipment • Other Metal Equipment • Paint, Varnish & Paint Thinner • Pipes & Hoses • Power Tools & Parts • Pulleys, Winches & Generators • Pumps, Compressors & Generators • Roofing • Safety Gear & Scaffolding • Stone, Gravel & Brick • Tape, Construction Adhesive & Putty • Wire & Rods
Toys & Games	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Amusement Park Equipment • Arcade Games • Games & Puzzles • Other Toys • Wheeled Toys