

2025 Christmas sending dates

Recommended business lodgement dates for domestic parcels

We've designed this grid based on where you're sending from and to. Post early and by the dates below to give your parcels the best chance of arriving by Christmas. Please allow additional time for items being sent outside a metro area or being lodged over the counter.

Parcel Post metro lodgement dates for delivery before Christmas

From \ To	NSW*	ACT	VIC*	QLD*	SA	WA	TAS	NT
NSW*	Mon 22/12/25	Fri 19/12/25	Fri 19/12/25	Fri 19/12/25	Fri 19/12/25	Thu 18/12/25	Fri 19/12/25	Tue 16/12/25
ACT	Fri 19/12/25	Mon 22/12/25	Fri 19/12/25	Fri 19/12/25	Fri 19/12/25	Thu 18/12/25	Fri 19/12/25	Tue 16/12/25
VIC*	Fri 19/12/25	Fri 19/12/25	Mon 22/12/25	Fri 19/12/25	Fri 19/12/25	Thu 18/12/25	Fri 19/12/25	Tue 16/12/25
QLD*	Fri 19/12/25	Fri 19/12/25	Fri 19/12/25	Mon 22/12/25	Fri 19/12/25	Wed 17/12/25	Thu 18/12/25	Fri 12/12/25
SA	Fri 19/12/25	Fri 19/12/25	Fri 19/12/25	Fri 19/12/25	Mon 22/12/25	Thu 18/12/25	Fri 19/12/25	Wed 17/12/25
WA	Thu 18/12/25	Thu 18/12/25	Thu 18/12/25	Wed 17/12/25	Thu 18/12/25	Mon 22/12/25	Tue 16/12/25	Fri 12/12/25
TAS	Fri 19/12/25	Fri 19/12/25	Fri 19/12/25	Thu 18/12/25	Fri 19/12/25	Tue 16/12/25	Mon 22/12/25	Fri 12/12/25
NT	Tue 16/12/25	Tue 16/12/25	Tue 16/12/25	Wed 17/12/25	Wed 17/12/25	Wed 17/12/25	Fri 12/12/25	Mon 22/12/25

*Parcels sent to/from Newcastle, Geelong and Gold Coast follow the above metro location last sending dates

Express Post metro lodgement dates for delivery before Christmas

From \ To	NSW*	ACT	VIC*	QLD*	SA	WA	TAS	NT
NSW*	Tue 23/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Mon 22/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Mon 22/12/25
ACT	Tue 23/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Mon 22/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Mon 22/12/25
VIC*	Tue 23/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Mon 22/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Mon 22/12/25
QLD*	Tue 23/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Mon 22/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Mon 22/12/25
SA	Tue 23/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Mon 22/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Mon 22/12/25
WA	Mon 22/12/25	Mon 22/12/25	Mon 22/12/25	Mon 22/12/25	Mon 22/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Mon 22/12/25	Mon 22/12/25
TAS	Tue 23/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Mon 22/12/25	Tue 23/12/25	Mon 22/12/25
NT	Mon 22/12/25	Mon 22/12/25	Mon 22/12/25	Mon 22/12/25	Mon 22/12/25	Mon 22/12/25	Mon 22/12/25	Tue 23/12/25

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Please note: Items lodged after these dates will be delivered as quickly as possible, but they may not arrive until after Christmas.

