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SendSuite Xpress & Ascent

What's New in SendSuite Xpress 2.90 & Ascent 9.90

IMPORTANT

You must be at SendSuite Xpress v2.80/Ascent v9.80 to perform this update.

- All carrier manifests except POS, POM, and PON should be Closed and Printed.
- Carrier manifests for POS, POM, and PON should be Closed, Printed, and Opened for a New Day.

USPS August 28 2016 Rate Change

Priority Mail International Changes

On August 28, 2016 the USPS will be moving Priority Mail International (PMI) Flat Rate Envelopes and Priority Mail International (PMI) Small Flat Rate Box from the Letter Post stream to the Air Parcel stream.

Services are affected as follows:

Carrier Code	Service
POS	IE – PMI Flat Rate Envelope
	IF – PMI Padded Flat Rate Envelope
	IA – PMI Small Flat Rate Box
PON	IE – PMI Flat Rate Envelope
	IF – PMI Padded Flat Rate Envelope
	IR – PMI Legal Flat Rate Envelope
	IA – PMI Small Flat Rate Box

Insurance Changes

For PMI Flat Rate Envelopes and PMI Small Flat Rate Box:

- There is no fee for $100 of insurance for document reconstruction for nonnegotiable documents. No additional document reconstruction insurance is available.
- There is no fee for $200 of insurance for merchandise. Additional merchandise insurance is available for a fee, subject to country limitations.

Insurance will not appear on the Special Services screen as an option if the destination country does not allow additional insurance.

Other Special Services Affected

Registered is no longer available for PMI Flat Rate Envelopes and PMI Small Flat Rate Box.

First-Class Mail Rate Change

The First Class Mail Single Piece Parcel (POS 1C) retail rate has changed from $2.45 to $2.62 for items weighing up to 3 oz.

Priority Mail Express International to Cuba

Priority Mail Express International (PMEI) shipments are now allowed to CUBA destinations.

- The maximum weight for PMEI parcels to Cuba is 22 pounds.
- The maximum weight for PMEI Flat Rate Envelopes to Cuba is 4 pounds.

Shipping API (PON) Changes

Shipping API (PON) Reports

The following Shipping API reports can be accessed from SSX **Processing > Reports > Carrier Reports > USPS > PON Transactions** menu:

- Account Balance: This report will print the account balance available for the Client ID as well as the fund transactions made during a specified period.
- Shipment History: This report will print the shipments made during the specified period for the selected dropship or for all dropship(s) depending on the choice made.
- Postage Refund: This report will print all the refunds for the specified period for the selected dropship or for all dropship(s) depending on the choice made.
- All Transactions: This report will print transactions for fund, shipment, and refunds for the specified period.

Note:

Please allow 24-48 hours for data to be available for reports.

Note:

Please allow up to 14 days for USPS to fulfill refund requests.

Escalations Addressed in 2.90/9.90

The following known issues have been resolved in this version:

Issue #	Description
GMSE00233347	Cannot select 4X service or 4B service after adding PON
GMSE00233406	The return receipt fee for 1L and 1F (domestic services) is $3.70 instead of $2.70
GMSE00233531	Error Data Type Mismatch when recording a Rate Shop PON package
GMSE00233119	After shipping the first package with PON, manually typing subsequent packages causes the program to go to the top menu.