

Release Schedule 2011-2012				
Key Activities	Winter (Major)	Spring (Minor)	Summer (Major)	Fall (Minor)
USPS Communication				
Announce Release Overview	13-Jun-11	N/A	14-Nov-11	N/A
IDEAlliance				
Publish Initial Technical Specification	22-Jul-11	N/A	23-Dec-11	N/A
Publish Final Technical Specifications	8-Aug-11	N/A	9-Jan-12	N/A
USPS Postage Statements				
Publish Red Line Postage Statements	8-Jul-11	N/A	9-Dec-11	N/A
Publish Final Postage Statements –Without Prices	23-Nov-11	N/A	10-Apr-12	N/A
Publish Final Postage Statements –With Prices	23-Dec-11	N/A	10-May-12	N/A
USPS Release Notes, Guides and Specifications				
Publish Initial Release Notes, Guides and Specifications	8-Aug-11	21-Nov-11	9-Jan-12	18-May-12
Publish Post-Design Release Notes, Guides and Specifications	30-Sep-11	9-Jan-12	16-Mar-12	9-Jul-12
Publish Post-Testing Release Notes, Guides and Specifications	23-Nov-11	1-Feb-12	10-Apr-12	7-Sep-12
Publish Final (Post-Deployment) Release Notes and Specifications	3-Feb-12	13-Apr-12	6-Jul-12	9-Nov-12 *
USPS Deployment				
Production/TEM Software Deployment	8-Jan-12	N/A	10-Jun-12	N/A
Implementation	22-Jan-12	1-Apr-12	24-Jun-12	28-Oct-12 *

***Due to technical issues, the October release date has been changed from October 14, 2012 to October 28, 2012. As a result, the final Release Notes, Guides, and Specifications will be published November 9, 2012**

