

Release Schedule: 2014			
Release Activities & Milestones	January-14	August/September-14	October-14
	Price & Structural	Price & Structural	Non-Structural Changes
<b>USPS Announcement of Major Business Changes &amp; Requirements</b>			
Publish Release Overview	Jun 28 2013	Jan 3 2014	Jun 6 2014
<b>IDEAlliance Technical Specifications</b>			
CR Filing Deadline	Jun 7 2013	Nov 29 2013	N/A
CR Filing Deadline for Postage Statements	Jun 14 2013	Dec 9 2013	N/A
Publish initial technical specifications	Jul 12 2013	Dec 31 2013	N/A
CR Filing Deadline for updates based on Design (IT)	Jul 19 2013	Jan 21 2014	N/A
Publish final technical specifications	Aug 9 2013	Feb 17 2014	N/A
<b>USPS Postage Statements Publication Schedule</b>			
Publish Preliminary Postage Statements minus actual prices	Oct 4 2013	Apr 7 2014	N/A
Publish Final Price Embedded Postage Statements	Dec 20 2013	Jun 27 2014	N/A
<b>USPS Release Documents (Release Notes, Guides and Technical Specifications)</b>			
Publish Initial Version of Release Documents	Jul 12 2013	Jan 17 2014	Jun 13 2014
IT Publish Error Codes and Descriptions to Business	Aug 16 2013	Feb 21 2014	N/A
Publish Second Version of Release Documents	Aug 23 2013	N/A	Aug 1 2014
Publish Third Version of Release Documents	Nov 22 2013	June 6 2014	N/A
Publish Fourth Version of Release Documents (Release Notes only)	Jan 8 2014	Jul 9 2014	Sep 12 2014
Publish Final (Post-Deployment) Release Documents	Feb 14 2014	Sep 26 2014	Nov 21 2014
<b>Acceptance Testing</b>			
Start Acceptance Testing / Pre-Prod Environment Deployment	Dec 2 2013	Jun 16 2014	Oct 6 2014
Finish Acceptance Testing / Pre-Prod Environment Deployment	Jan 3 2014	Aug 8 2014	Oct 31 2014
<b>USPS Release Deployment</b>			
Deployment	Jan 12 2014	Aug 24 2014	Nov 9 2014
TEM Software Deployment	Jan 13 2014	Aug 25 2014	Nov 10 2014
Price Change Effective	Jan 26 2014	Sep 7 2014	N/A

### Schedule for Structural System Changes

The release schedule does not represent critical or high priority bug fixes, and patches that may occur on an as-needed basis.

**Price & Structural Changes** may include price changes, changes to postage statements, changes to Mail.dat and Mail.XML file specifications, and other changes that may require software vendors to update their software. These releases may also contain limited changes to functionality.

**Non-Structural Changes** may include new functionality and defect corrections. These releases will NOT include any changes to postage statements, changes to Mail.dat and Mail.XML file specifications, and other changes that would require software vendors to update their software.

The Postal Service intends to file with the PRC Market Dominant and Competitive prices in October 2013.

**The Release Numbers for the August/September release are:**

- 38.0.0.0 for *PostalOne!*@
- 17.0.0.0 for SASP
- 28.0.0.0 for FAST
- 11.0.0.0 for Program Registration

**The Release Numbers for the October release are:**

- 39.0.0.0 for *PostalOne!*@
- 18.0.0.0 for SASP
- 29.0.0.0 for FAST
- 12.0.0.0 for Program Registration