



Surge Emergency Fee

Surge Emergency Fee¹ update as of May 1, 2026

Our goal is to continue to meet our customers' shipping needs without compromising on the quality or timeliness of service expected from us.

The UPS Surge Emergency Fee² rates and applicability are described below. See the tables below for more information. Surge Emergency Fees are subject to the Fuel Surcharge and will apply based on the billable weight of the shipment.

Please note that Surge Emergency Fees are subject to change. Shippers should continue to check this website for updates prior to tendering shipments.

Origin Country or Territory	Destination	Service	Surge Emergency Fee	Effective Dates (inclusive of any listed starting and ending dates)
United States	To All Destinations except those covered elsewhere in this document	UPS Worldwide Express [®] , UPS Worldwide Express Saver [®] , UPS Worldwide Express Plus [®] , UPS Worldwide Expedited [®] , UPS Worldwide Saver Pallet [®] , UPS Express Freight Time of Day [®]	\$0.32 per lb.	Effective May 3, 2026, and Surge Emergency Fee will remain in effect until further notice.
All Origins except those covered elsewhere in this document	United States	UPS Worldwide Express [®] , UPS Worldwide Express Saver [®] , UPS Worldwide Express Plus [®] , UPS Worldwide Expedited [®] , UPS Worldwide Saver Pallet [®] , UPS Express Freight Time of Day [®]	\$0.32 per lb.	Effective May 3, 2026, and Surge Emergency Fee will remain in effect until further notice.
Asia – All Origins ³ except prior communicated Middle East and China/Hong Kong	United States	UPS Worldwide Express [®] , UPS Worldwide Express Saver [®] , UPS Worldwide Express Plus [®] , UPS Worldwide Expedited [®] , UPS Worldwide Saver Pallet [®] , UPS Express Freight Time of Day [®]	\$0.11 per lb.	Effective April 26, 2026, and Surge Emergency Fee will remain in effect until further notice.
China/Hong Kong	United States	UPS Worldwide Express [®] , UPS Worldwide Express Saver [®] , UPS Worldwide Express Plus [®] , UPS Worldwide Expedited [®] , UPS Worldwide Saver Pallet [®] , UPS Express Freight Time of Day [®]	\$0.23 per lb.	Effective April 26, 2026, and Surge Emergency Fee will remain in effect until further notice.

Origin Country or Territory	Destination	Service	Surge Emergency Fee	Effective Dates (inclusive of any listed starting and ending dates)
United States	To All Destinations except prior communicated Middle East	UPS Worldwide Express®, UPS Worldwide Express Saver®, UPS Worldwide Express Plus®, UPS Worldwide Expedited®, UPS Worldwide Saver Pallet®, UPS Express Freight Time of Day®	\$0.23 per lb.	Effective April 19, 2026, and Surge Emergency Fee will remain in effect until May 2, 2026.
All Origins except prior communicated Middle East and China/Hong Kong	United States	UPS Worldwide Express®, UPS Worldwide Express Saver®, UPS Worldwide Express Plus®, UPS Worldwide Expedited®, UPS Worldwide Saver Pallet®, UPS Express Freight Time of Day®	\$0.23 per lb.	Effective April 19, 2026, and Surge Emergency Fee will remain in effect until May 2, 2026.

Prior Communicated Surge Emergency Fees remain in place.

Origin Country or Territory	Destination	Service	Surge Emergency Fee	Effective Dates (inclusive of any listed starting and ending dates)
United States	Israel and United Arab Emirates ⁶	UPS Worldwide Express®, UPS Worldwide Express Saver®, UPS Worldwide Express Plus®, UPS Worldwide Expedited®, UPS Worldwide Saver Pallet®, UPS Express Freight Time of Day®	\$1.50 per lb.	Effective March 22, 2026, and Surge Emergency Fee will remain in effect until further notice.
Israel and United Arab Emirates ⁷	United States	UPS Worldwide Express®, UPS Worldwide Express Saver®, UPS Worldwide Express Plus®, UPS Worldwide Expedited®, UPS Worldwide Saver Pallet®, UPS Express Freight Time of Day®	\$1.50 per lb.	Effective March 22, 2026, and Surge Emergency Fee will remain in effect until further notice.
United States	Middle East ⁴	UPS Worldwide Express®, UPS Worldwide Express Saver®, UPS Worldwide Express Plus®, UPS Worldwide Expedited®, UPS Worldwide Saver Pallet®, UPS Express Freight Time of Day®	\$1.34 per lb.	Effective March 22, 2026, and Surge Emergency Fee will remain in effect until further notice.
Middle East ⁵	United States	UPS Worldwide Express®, UPS Worldwide Express Saver®, UPS Worldwide Express Plus®, UPS Worldwide Expedited®, UPS Worldwide Saver Pallet®, UPS Express Freight Time of Day®	\$1.34 per lb.	Effective March 22, 2026, and Surge Emergency Fee will remain in effect until further notice.

¹ The term Surge Emergency Fees includes Surge Fees, and the terms are used interchangeably.

² UPS reserves the right to adjust Surge Emergency Fees at any time in its sole discretion. No waiver, discount or reduction of any type to the Surge Emergency Fee shall apply unless and until UPS agrees in writing to such waiver, discount or reduction with specific written reference to the Surge Emergency Fee.

³ These Surge Emergency Fees apply to shipments originating from the following Asia countries to the United States: American Samoa, Australia, Bhutan, Brunei, Cambodia, Guam, Fiji, French Polynesia, India, Indonesia, Japan, Laos, Macau, Malaysia, Mongolia, Myanmar, New Caledonia, New Zealand, Northern Mariana Islands, Philippines, Saipan, Samoa, Singapore, South Korea, Taiwan, Thailand, Vietnam.

⁴ These Surge Emergency Fees apply to shipments originating from the United States to the following Middle East countries: Afghanistan, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Nepal, Oman, Pakistan, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, and Sri Lanka.

⁵ These Surge Emergency Fees apply to shipments originating from the following Middle East countries to the United States: Afghanistan, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Nepal, Oman, Pakistan, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, and Sri Lanka.

⁶ These Surge Emergency Fees apply to shipments originating from the United States to Israel and United Arab Emirates (UAE).

⁷ These Surge Emergency Fees apply to shipments originating from Israel and United Arab Emirates (UAE) to the United States.