# Magyar Posta's Postage Paid Indicia

## 1. Indication of postage paid in cash

# Indication of direct cash payment

At IPN post offices: Postage paid label substituting the postage stamp

(IPN: Integrated Postal Network System, computer system supporting counters among other functions.)

## Contents of the imprint:

Data that remain the same in the postage paid imprint: name of the country, indication of the currency (Ft, i.e. HUF) and Magyar Posta's logo.

Variable data: the postage charged for the given mail item (total amount), the name of the specific postal service outlet, the number of the actual transaction of the counter (on the specific day) as well as the date and the operator's ID number.

#### Postage paid label



At postal outlets operating without IPN technology:





## 2. Indication of postage paid in cash in the price of prepaid postal stationery

2.1. Envelope, postcard and picture postcard with value indication (imprinted stamp)

## Contents of the imprint:

In all cases a stamp design imprinted on an envelope or postcard, picture postcard includes the inscription "Magyarország" (Hungary) and the face value expressed in Hungarian forints. The shape, size, graphics and security elements of the stamp designs vary.





#### 2.2. Prepaid envelopes and postcards

Prepaid envelopes (and postcards) are made with security elements and a stamp impression which contains no specific amount in Hungarian forints. This means that the envelopes and postcards can be used even after price changes without any additional charge provided the mail item can be delivered to the letterbox.

#### General description of the imprints:

The stamp imprint does not contain any actual value and the stamp designs include the inscription "Magyarország" (Hungary), the year of issue, the emblem of the manufacturing print works and the name of the designer(s).

## Envelope types:

## 2.2.1. Prepaid priority standard size envelope (Specimen no. 1)

## Description of imprint:

The base colour of the envelope's stamp imprint is dark blue on which there is a pictographic design that uses envelopes to indicate the priority service (a priority envelope passing over a line of envelopes). To the left of a lying bordered inscription "A boríték ára a szolgáltatás díját is tartalmazza" (The price of the envelope includes the fee for the service) there is, as a security element, a rectangular hologram of Magyar Posta's logo (15 x 10 mm).

Size: 110 x 220 mm

## Specimen:



#### 2.2.2. Prepaid priority and priority window standard size envelope (Specimen no. 2)

The envelope with a blue effect has a stamp imprint with no value indicated in Hungarian forints and includes security elements. On the left of the envelope there is a guilloche pattern including a map of Hungary divided into counties together with the inscription "BELFÖLDRE" (Domestic). The priority marking is featured to the right of the map. In the design of the imprinted stamp a yellow post horn is set on a blue pattern of interweaving lines for security

purposes. The imprint includes the inscription "Magyarország" (Hungary), the year of issue, the emblem of the manufacturing print works and the designer's name.

In the top section of the stamp design and in the strip to the left of the stamp the inscription "Magyar Posta" is repeated in microwriting. The inscription "ELSŐBBSÉGI" (Priority) is also featured in block capitals in the strip.

Size: 110 x 220 mm

Size of the window of the window envelope: 45 x 90 mm







(Specimen no. 2)

2.2.3. Prepaid non-priority and window envelope non-priority standard and medium-sized envelope

## Description of imprint:

The base colour of the standard and medium-sized envelopes is green. On the left of the envelope, as part of the security pattern of lines, there is a map of Hungary divided into counties together with the inscription "BELFÖLDRE" (Domestic). In the design of the imprinted stamp a yellow post horn is set on a green pattern of interweaving lines for security purposes. In the top section of the stamp design and in the strip to the left of the stamp the inscription "Magyar Posta" is repeated in microwriting.

Size of standard envelope: 110 x 220 mm Size of medium-sized envelope: 162 x 229 mm

Size of the window of the window envelope: 45 x 90 mm







2.2.4. Prepaid registered, standard and medium-sized registered window envelope

## Description of imprint:

The base colour of the standard and medium-sized registered envelopes is red. On the left of the envelope, as part of the security pattern of lines, there is a map of Hungary divided into counties together with the inscription "AJÁNLOTT BELFÖLDRE" (Registered Domestic). In the design of the imprinted stamp a yellow post horn is set on a red pattern of interweaving lines for security purposes. In the top section of the stamp design and in the strip to the left of the stamp the inscription "Magyar Posta" is repeated in microwriting. The inscription "AJÁNLOTT" (Registered) is also featured in block capitals in the strip.

Size of standard envelope: 110 x 220 mm Size of medium-sized envelope: 162 x 229 mm

Size of the window of the window envelope: 45 x 90 mm







## 2.2.4/A Prepaid medium-sized registered bubble-lined padded envelope

The prepaid medium-sized registered bubble-lined padded envelope may be used exclusively in domestic relation.

#### Description of imprint:

The base colour of the self-adhesive stamp on the medium-sized registered bubble-lined padded envelope is red. The main motif of the imprinted stamp is the post horn, while in the background print appears the silhouette of a mail-carriage. In the bottom section of the stamp design is the specular fragment of the mail-carriage and in the strip to the left of the stamp the inscription "Magyar Posta" is repeated and the inscription "AJÁNLOTT" (Registered) is also featured in block capitals in the strip. The stamp contains security scoring.

Size (inside): 180 x 265 mm

Front:



Back:



## 2.2.5. Prepaid postcard

#### Description of imprint:

The base colour of the postcards is orange. On the left of the postcard, as part of the security pattern of lines, there is a map of Hungary divided into counties together with the inscription "BELFÖLDRE" (Domestic). In the design of the imprinted stamp a yellow post horn is set on an orange pattern of interweaving lines for security purposes. In the top section of the stamp design and in the strip to the left of the stamp the inscription "Magyar Posta" is repeated in microwriting. Next to this horizontally there is the inscription "LEVELEZŐLAP" (Postcard) in block capitals.

Size: 105 x 148 mm





#### 2.2.6. Prepaid standard size Christmas envelope

## Description of imprint:

The base colour of the standard Christmas envelopes is ochre gold. The envelope has a stamp imprint with no value indicated in Hungarian forints and includes security elements. On the left of the envelope there are Christmas tree motifs as well as the inscription "BELFÖLDRE" (Domestic), and there is a guilloche pattern underneath. In the top left corner of the envelope there is the inscription "Feladó:" (Sender:), in the bottom right the inscription "Címzett:" (Addressee:) and there are lines aiding addressing. In the top of the envelope, there is a monochrome "Karácsonyi posta" (Christmas post) label. As the main motif of the imprinted stamp there are three Christmas baubles set on an ochre gold pattern of interweaving lines for security purposes. The imprint includes the inscription "MAGYARORSZÁG" (Hungary), the year of issue, the emblem of the manufacturing print works and the designer's name.

In the bottom section of the stamp design and in the strip to the left of the stamp the inscription "Magyar Posta" is repeated in microwriting.

Magyar Posta only provides the Christmas post additional service included in the price of the envelope during Advent. However, the envelopes may be used for correspondence at other times of the year as well but the fee for the additional service is not refundable.

Size: 110 x 220 mm



## 2.2.7. Europe priority prepaid standard and medium-sized envelope

## Description of imprint:

The base colour of the standard and medium-sized envelopes is yellow ochre. As part of the security pattern of lines on the left of the envelope there is a map of Europe together with the inscription "EURÓPÁBA TO EUROPE". In the design of the imprinted stamp a yellow post horn is set on a yellow ochre pattern of interweaving lines for security purposes and the inscription "PRIORITAIRE" (priority) is also featured in block capitals in the strip. In the top section of the stamp design and in the strip to the left of the stamp the inscription "Magyar Posta" is repeated in microwriting. The priority marking is featured horizontally next to the stamp design.

Size of standard envelope: 114 x 162 mm Size of medium-sized envelope: 162 x 229 mm

#### Specimen:



## 2.2.8. Outside Europe priority prepaid standard and medium-sized envelope

## Description of imprint:

The base colour of the standard and medium-sized envelopes is purple. As part of the security pattern of lines on the left of the envelope there is a globe with the inscription "EURÓPÁN KÍVÜLRE TO OUTSIDE EUROPE". In the design of the imprinted stamp a yellow post horn is set on a purple pattern of interweaving security lines and the inscription "PRIORITAIRE" (priority) is also featured in block capitals in the strip. In the top section of the stamp design and in the strip to the left of the stamp the inscription "Magyar Posta" is repeated in microwriting. The priority marking is featured horizontally next to the stamp design.

Size of standard envelope: 114 x 162 mm Size of medium-sized envelope: 162 x 229 mm

## Specimen:



## 2.3. Postage stamps with no value indication

Postage stamps with no value indication appear with different subjects and graphic motifs, and the inscriptions on the stamps indicate the service to be used with the postage stamp.

## General description of the imprints:

The inscription "Magyarország" (Hungary) appears on all types of postage stamp. Instead of the amount in Hungarian forints indicating the face value of the postage stamps, postage stamps with no value indication have inscriptions showing the services and additional services they can be used for, which are the following: "BELFÖLD" (Domestic); "BELFÖLD ELSŐBBSÉGI" (Domestic priority); "BELFÖLD AJÁNLOTT" (Domestic registered), "EURÓPA ELSŐBBSÉGI" (Europe priority) and "EURÓPÁN KÍVÜL ELSŐBBSÉGI" (Outside Europe priority).





## 2.4. Packaging boxes bearing the prepaid label

## Description of the labels:

The label has been produced in 3 versions: it is for paying for postage in respect of S, M and L "MPL Net Parcels". The destructive security self-adhesive laminate is free from optical brighteners and fluorescent fibres, it contains security scoring, the design is protected with visible guilloche pattern and with motifs that can only be seen in UV light. Following application the labels cannot be removed without being damaged. On the left side of the individual labels there is a letter indicating classification (S, M or L), and next to it there is the MPL logo and the words "MPL NET PARCEL", and next to them information can be read. On the right side of the labels the term NET PARCEL is stated in vertical position.

The size of the labels: 80 x 40 mm.



## 3. Postage paid indication applied by a date stamp

At postal service outlets which have no possibility to print the postage paid label, the fact that postage has been paid for the use of services which contain value added tax is indicated by a date stamp.

The contents of the date stamp imprint: name of the specific postal service outlet, date of the acceptance of the mail item, the name of Post ("MAGYAR POSTA") or its identifier ("MP").

## 4. Indication of postage paid on credit

Domestic Abroad DÍJ HITELEZVE-TAXE PERCUE DÍJ HITELEZVE 1428 Budapest 8 1428 Budapest 8 TAXE PERCUE DÍJ HITELEZVE 1428 Budapest 8 DÍJ HITELEZVE TAXE PERCUE **Magyar Posta Magyar Posta** DÍJ HITELEZVE DÍJ HITELEZVE-TAXE PERCUE **Magyar Posta** 1428 Budapest 8

DÍJ HITELEZVE-TAXE PERCUE Magyar Posta

(This should be printed or stamped in a 20 x 45 mm frame in the top right corner of the envelope, and for MPL postal parcels and domestic EMS express mail items marked in the postage section of the address label.)

#### 5. Other postage payment indicia

## 5.1. Postage paid indication applied by a franking machine

Contents of the imprint:

In the imprint of the franking machine, apart from the date imprint, the inscription "MAGYARORSZÁG" (Hungary), the value of the postage paid, decorative elements and the inscription "FORINT" appear.

The length and width of the imprint are between 24 and 34 mm.

Specimen:



# 5.2. Payment of postage for electronically posted mail items<sup>1</sup>

# 5.3. Postage paid indication for mail dispatch at the International Postal Office of Exchange

P. P.
PRIORITAIRE
MAGYAR POSTA - BUDAPEST 1005
CONTRACT code

P. P.
ECONOMIQUE
MAGYAR POSTA - BUDAPEST 1005
CONTRACT code

| If undelivered please return to:                   | P.P.<br>PRIORITAIRE<br>MAGYAR POSTA – Budapest 1005<br>contract code |
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| If undelivered please return to:                   | P.P.<br>ECONOMIQUE<br>MAGYAR POSTA – Budapest 1005<br>contract code  |
|  |  |
| Kézbesíthetetlenség esetén a visszaküldési<br>cím: | P.P.<br>PRIORITAIRE  |
|  | MAGYAR POSTA – Budapest 1005 contract code                           |
|  |  |
| Kézbesíthetetlenség esetén a visszaküldési         | P.P.   |
| cím:   | ECONOMIQUE<br>MAGYAR POSTA – Budapest 1005<br>contract code          |

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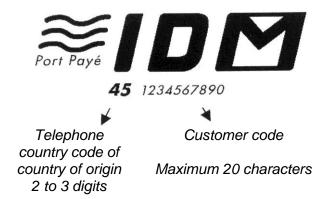
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Cancellation from 1 April 2015

## 6. Postage paid indication for international direct mail (IDM)

To indicate prepayment of postage for IDM items, only the standard printed postage paid indication specifically used on mail items for this purpose can be accepted. The following postage paid indications can be used for IDM items:

P. P. IDM MAGYAR POSTA – BUDAPEST 1005

If undelivered please return to: Budapest 1005 - HUNGARY P.P.
IDM
MAGYAR POSTA
contract code/number



This postage paid indication may be printed in black, red or blue. There is a special technical guide for the exact layout of the standard printed postage paid indication.