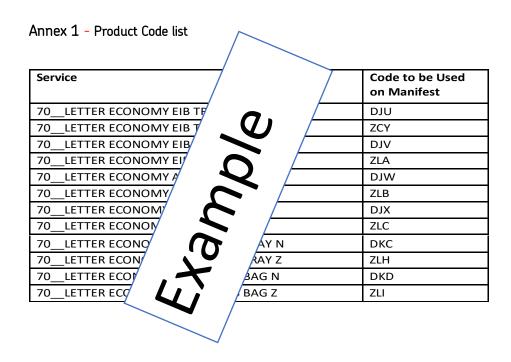
Wholesale D+2 Service Specification

Overview

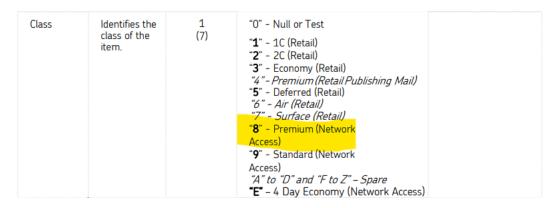
The purpose of this document is to provide details of the changes required to the D+2 service when a D+3 service becomes part of the Access product portfolio.

Commercial attributes	Customer change	Specification Requirement			
Service name	Change required	The service will be renamed to 'TBD' – "Priority" is the working title.			
		In the Access User Guide the D+2 service will be referred to as 'Priority'.			
Price Plans	No change required	Available on all Access Letter Price Plans			
Delivery Days	No change required	Items will be delivered Monday to Saturday.			
Service Standard	TBD	TBD			
Compensation Target and Framework	TBD	TBD Amendments will be made to the existing D+2 and D+5 service standard provisions to clarify that only D+2/D+5 Mailing Items (as applicable) are counted when calculating			
		our performance against that service standard (and not any Mailing Items delivered to any other service standard e.g. D+3).			
Basic entry requirements	Customer change	Specification Requirement			
Product codes	Change required	You will be required to use new D+2 service product codes when declaring Mailing Items using the D+2 product as specified in the Royal Mail Service Status List. This lists all Access Services with their corresponding DocketHUB and SAP codes. See Annex 1 for example product code list.			
Addressing standards	No change required	Section 3.3 of the Access Letters User Guide shall apply.			
Sortation options	No change required	Section 2.3 of the Access Letters User Guide shall apply.			
Indicia	Change required	You will be required to add a '1' to identify the service speed – such change will only be required from the date the regulatory changes take effect.			
		Small Indicia Customer Access Indicator (optional) Customer Access Indicator (optional) Customer Access Indicator (optional) You will not be able to use Digital Stamp Indicators with the D+2 service.			
Mailmark Barcode	Change required	You will be required to apply the class identifier '8' within the 2D and 4-state barcode formats. References: Mailmark Barcode Definition Document			
Mailmark eManifest	Change required	You will be required to apply the class identifier '8' within the class section of the eManifest. References: eManifest Handling System (eMHS) Customer Upload Interface Specification			
Format	No change required	Section 3.6 of the Access Letters User Guide shall apply.			
Volume	No change required	The volume thresholds as specified in the Access Letters Contract and The Access User Guide shall apply.			

Presentation requirements	Customer change	Specification requirement			
Containers	Change required	Trays and/or bags containing D+2 Manual Items and Mailmark Large Letters may be combined in a single York but must be kept separate from Yorks containing D+3 Mailing Items, Economy Mailing Items and D+2 Mailmark Letters. For the avoidance of doubt, D+2 Mailmark Letters may be combined in Yorks which comprise D+3 Mailing Items and/or Economy Mailing Items.			
Container Weights	No change required	Section 4 of the Access Letters User Guide shall apply.			
Tray / Bag Labels	Change required	You will be required to add a '1' to identify the service speed as per the following examples. Example Tray Label: Customer information Customer barcode ANY MC POSTTOWN AA1 LUMAILMARK DSA 12345678901234			
York Card	Change required	Where the York contains D+2 Manual Items and/or Mailmark Large Letters, you will be required to add '1' on the York Card to identify the service speed. See example shown in Annex 4.			
Forecasting	No change required	Section 8.2 and 8.3 of the Access Letters User Guide shall apply.			
Handover	No change required	Mail can be handed over into Mail Centres on Monday to Saturday, excluding public holidays or non-service days approved as such by Ofcom.			



Annex 2 - Mailmark Barcode D+2 Class Identifier



Annex 3 - Mailmark eManifest Class Section

Class	Char(1)	Mandatory	The declared class for the mail item:
			0 = Null/Test
			1 = 1c (Retail)
			2 = 2c (Retail)
			3 = 3c (Retail)
			4 = Premium (Retail Publishing Mail)
			5 = Deferred (Retail) - For use with Deferred mail Supply Chains only.
			6 = Not in use
			7 = Not in use
			8 = Premium (Network Access)
			9 = Standard (Network Access)
			"E" – Economy (Network Access)
			"A to D" and "F to Z" – Spare
			This value must match the declared product.

Annex 4 - D+2 York Card

