



Airline Excess Baggage Costs

Extra Bag Fees: Most domestic airlines now charge \$15 for the first checked bag and \$25 for the second; 3 or more bags range from \$100-\$300 per bag, however it is best to check with your individual airline for specific prices.

Overweight Fees: Bags weighing 51-70 lbs. are generally charged \$50 each by most major airlines.

Airlines vary greatly in weight restrictions, many will not accept bags weighing over 70 lbs., or may charge expensive fees. Check with your individual airline for specifics.

Oversized Fees: Bags with total linear dimensions over 62 inches are charged \$80 to \$100 per piece, and some airlines have maximum size limitations irrespective of weight.

Embargos: Certain airlines have embargos -- typically during peak holiday travel season -- where they either have more strict limits on excess, overweight, or oversized bags, or don't allow such baggage at all.

Shipping through the Post Office

Shipping from the Bronx, NY -> Seattle, WA*
utilizing the on-campus post office.

7 Day Shipping:

Weight: 35 lbs.

Dimensions: 17 x 17 x 16

Cost: \$32.42

2 Day Shipping

Weight: 35 lbs.

Dimensions: 17 x 17 x 16

Cost: \$52.40

For more info: (718) 817-4333

* Seattle is the farthest and most expensive place in the continental US anyone would have to ship their stuff (barring traveling out of the country), so anywhere else would be cheaper than the price listed.

Luggage Shipping

There are companies which exist specifically to ship your luggage (door to door service):

Luggage Free

- Domestic travel: Between \$1.50 and \$4 per lb of luggage depending on how fast you want it to get there. International travel: between \$6 and \$7 per lb of luggage depending on how fast you want it to get there.
 - They also charge a fuel surcharge, which varies depending on gas prices, but won't exceed 12.5% of your luggage cost.
 - Pick up fee is \$40 if the retrieval is within 40 miles of a major airport. If it's more than that there is a \$2 per mile surcharge added.
 - No limit to number of bags.
- www.luggagefree.com

The Luggage Club:

- One large roller bag, economy both ways (3 days) is \$160.14 (to San Diego).
 - Same thing to Burlington, Vermont would be \$139.08.
 - No limit to number of bags.
- www.theluggageclub.com

Baggage Quest:

- One large roller bag from here to Burlington: 3-5 days is \$166.02 (standard). Express delivery (2 days) is \$255.72.
 - Same thing to San Diego: \$303.70 (can only choose 3.5 day option).
- www.baggagequest.com

Please note: We do not endorse any companies listed above, but merely provide alternatives

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