

POSTAL CHARGES

Question 1

The table below shows inland postal charges for letters.

Weight of letter	Sh.
Up to 20g	25.00
Over 20g up to 50g	30.00
Over 50g up to 100g	35.00
Over 100g up to 250g	50.00
Over 250g up to 500g	85.00
Over 500g up to 1kg	135.00
Over 1kg up to 2kg	190.00

Wamu posted two letters each weighing 95g and another one weighing 450g. How much did he pay at the post office? **(KCPE 2012)**

- A. Sh 120
- B. Sh 135
- C. Sh 155
- D. Sh 240

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Question 2

The table below shows charges for sending parcels.

Mass	Charges (sh)
Up to 5kg	235
Over 5kg up to 10kg	290
Over 10kg up to 15kg	375
Over 15kg up to 30kg	525
For each additional 1kg or part thereof up to 50kg	19

A wholesaler sent three parcels weighing; 2kg, 11kg and 37kg. How much money was the wholesaler charged for sending the parcels altogether **(KCPE 2022)**

- A. Sh 905
- B. Sh 1135
- C. Sh 1268
- D. Sh 1313

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Question 3

The table below shows the postal rates of sending a money order. Mambo sent two money orders one for sh 17 500 and the other sh 10 000.

VALUE OF ORDER IN SHILLINGS	COMMISSION
Not exceeding sh 500	Sh 42
501 – 1000	Sh 114
1001- 3000	Sh 174
3001- 5000	Sh 209
5001- 10 000	Sh 295
10001- 20 000	Sh 441
20001- 30 000	Sh 617

How much money did he pay at the post office altogether. **(KCPE 2003)**

- A. sh 736
- B. Sh 27 500
- C. 28 236
- D. 28 117