### Australia

**Postcode**

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<th>Postcode type and position</th>
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<td>4 digits to the right of the abbreviation of the State.</td>
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**Coding method**

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<td>delivery area</td>
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| Orbit Travel Co  |
| Travel World House  |
| Level 7 17 Jones St.  |
| NORTH SYDNEY NSW 2060  |
| AUSTRALIA  |

**Position of the address on the envelope**

| Bottom left-hand corner |

**Alignment of address lines**

| Left-aligned |

**Address format**

Australia Post recommendations:
- characters should be between 1.8 and 7 mm high and between 0.3 and 7 mm wide; Australia Post prefers fixed-width fonts like Courier 12;
- each line should contain a maximum of 40 characters, including spaces;
- the use of punctuation marks should be avoided; they are, however, acceptable in the line containing the addressee name, and are also accepted for separating specific address elements;
- the floor/level and door identifiers should be indicated on the same line as the street name positioned before the house number. If there are other address elements appearing in the same line as the street name, this information shall be written on a separate line above the street name.
- the territory or state abbreviation is separated from the locality name by one or (preferably) two spaces;
- the postcode is separated from the territory or state abbreviation by one or (preferably) two spaces;
- the last two lines should be printed in upper case.

**Examples**

- **P.O. Box:**
  - SILKHOUSE TRAVEL CO
  - ATTN: MR. A. BROWN
  - PO BOX 37
  - SPRINGVALE VIC 3171
  - AUSTRALIA

- **Private residence:**
  - MR. RON JAMES
  - 4360 DUKES RD
  - KALGOORLIE WA 6430
  - AUSTRALIA

- **Roadside mail box:**
  - MR. RON JAMES
  - RMB 26
  - KALGOORLIE WA 6430
  - AUSTRALIA

- **Private residence (with floor number):**
  - MS. C. FITZGERALD
  - WILLIAM JONES PTY LTD
  - LEVEL 6 S1 JACOBSON ST
  - BRISBANE QLD 4000
  - AUSTRALIA

- **Locked bag:**
  - BROKEN ARROW CORPORATION
  - LOCKED BAG 801
  - FORTITUDE VALLEY QLD 4006
  - AUSTRALIA

**List of states**

- ACT = Australian Capital Territory
- NSW = New South Wales
- NT = Northern Territory
- QLD = Queensland
- SA = South Australia
- TAS = Tasmania
- VIC = Victoria
- WA = Western Australia

**Territories and countries subdivisions**

**Territories**

- Cocos (Keeling) Islands
- Christmas Island

**ISO 3166-1 Alpha 3 code**

- CCK
- CXR
### Territories and countries subdivisions (cont.)

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<td>NFK</td>
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<td>Australian Antarctic Territory</td>
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