

# POSTAL BANDS

Alliance is a proud manufacturer of Rubber Bands for the United States Postal Service (USPS).

While the USPS does not set quality standards for the rubber bands used by private customers, it still has the right to reject any bundled parcels which it feels may cause harm to postal employees. You can avoid costly bundling errors by choosing the proper rubber bands.

How does Alliance know which rubber bands are approved? We helped write the book on postal bands! In 1997, Alliance helped to establish the postal regulatory requirements in the Federal Circular A-A 131B – Rubber Band Procurement Manual (the guide that outlines the Postal Service's quality standards for the rubber bands it purchases).



- Guaranteed to meet USPS postal requirements
- Excellent memory for repeat use
- Firm and sturdy stretch

## 5 LB. BAG

ITEM#	NSN	DESCRIPTION	CASE/MIN
2464306	7510-01-368-3495	Size #64 (3-1/2" x 1/4") • Crepe	25

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In addition to Size #64 bands, The USPS also buys other standard sizes for its use. The difference between each grade is the rubber content. This matters because the amount of rubber in the band determines how elastic it is, how long it lasts, and how easy it is to use.

ITEM#	NSN	DESCRIPTION	CASE/MIN
97705	7510-08-000-1682	1 lb. Box • Size #170 (7" x 1/4") • Advantage™ • Red	25
24184	7510-00-243-3437	1 lb. Bag • Size #18 (3" x 1/16") • Sterling™ • Crepe	25
24324	7510-00-243-3434	1 lb. Bag • Size #32 (3" x 1/8") • Sterling™ • Crepe	25
24644	N/A	1 lb. Bag • Size #64 (3-1/2" x 1/4") • Sterling™ • Crepe	25
26644	N/A	1 lb. Bag • Size #64 (3-1/2" x 1/4") • Advantage™ • Crepe	25





### **VALUE**

The US Postal Service no longer provides rubber bands to bulk mailers. To make sure these demands are met, Alliance offers the same postal rubber bands sold to the USPS to private customers.

#### WHERE TO SELL

Best for applications requiring a firm hold and durability. They are the perfect general purpose band.

## **TIPS**

The perfect grade of rubber depends entirely on the type of hold and/or stretch required for your particular use. Each item, no matter the grade of rubber, meets or exceeds USPS Regulations.



