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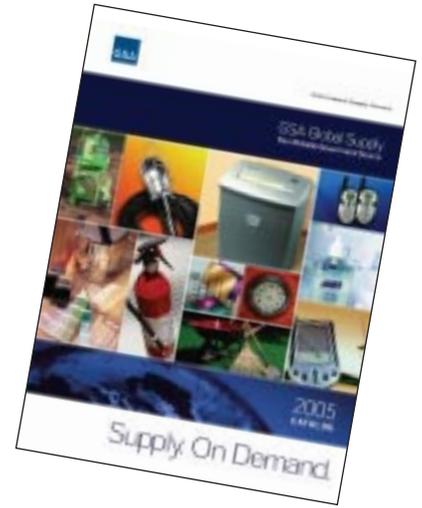
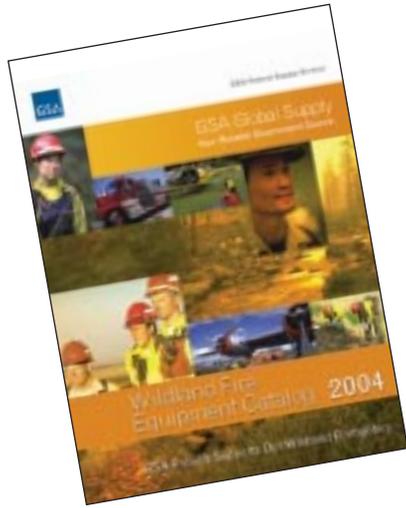


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Featured Products

U.S. Flags – Indoor

Indoor, colorfast American flag features embroidered stars and sewn stripes. Heading includes leather tabs at each end for attachment to pole.

Made of heavyweight nylon. ▶

NSN 8345-00-151-6487

Size 3' x 5'8³/₈"

Price \$47.25 EA

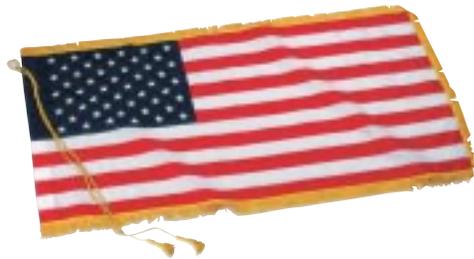


▼ Made of lightweight nylon. Adorned with gold fringe, cord, and tassels.

NSN 8345-00-151-6486

Size 3' x 5'

Price \$61.98 EA



NSN 8345-00-130-3124

Size 4'4" x 5'6"

Price \$85.67 EA



◀ Complete Indoor Flag Kits

Includes U.S. Flag adorned with gold fringe, cord, and tassels. Accessories consist of a metal flag stand, a metal eagle flagstaff ornament, and a wood flagpole. Indoor, colorfast American flag has embroidered stars and sewn stripes. Heading has leather tabs at each end for attachment to pole. Flag is made of heavyweight nylon.

NSN 8345-01-295-5987

Flag Size 3' hoist x 5'8³/₈" fly

Pole Length 7 feet

Price \$199.41 SE

NSN 8345-00-682-6860

Flag Size 4'4" hoist x 5'6" fly

Pole Length 9 feet

Price \$234.85 SE

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U.S. Flags – Outdoor

Nothing showcases one's pride in the U.S. like an outdoor American flag. Colorfast flag features screen-printed stars and reinforced duck heading. Features metal grommets on heading for attaching to pole.

Made of lightweight nylon.

NSN 8345-00-753-3230 ▼

Size 2'47/16" x 4'6"

Price \$15.65 EA



NSN 8345-00-753-3234 ►

Size 3'6" x 6'73/4"

Price \$29.10 EA



Made of nylon. ▼

NSN 8345-00-753-3235

Size 5' x 9'6"

Price \$43.60 EA



Made of cotton. ▼

NSN 8345-00-753-3232

Size 5' x 9'6"

Price \$40.05 EA



FLAG FACTS

Where does the flag fly 24 hours a day?

By Executive Order, the flag flies 24 hours a day at the following locations:

- ★ The Betsy Ross House, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
- ★ The White House, Washington, DC
- ★ Fort McHenry, Baltimore, Maryland
- ★ U.S. Capitol, Washington, DC
- ★ Washington Monument, Washington, DC
- ★ Iwo Jima Memorial to U.S. Marines, Arlington, Virginia
- ★ On the Green in the Town of Lexington, MA (site of the first shots in the Revolutionary War)
- ★ Valley Forge State Park, Valley Forge, Pennsylvania
- ★ U.S.S. Arizona Memorial, Pearl Harbor, Hawaii
- ★ Flag House Square, Baltimore, Maryland
- ★ All U. S. Custom points and points of entry into the United States

This outdoor American flag is colorfast, as well as light-, chemical-, weather-, and wind damage-resistant. Features Schifflli embroidered stars and sewn stripes. Made to commercial specification. **DD**

NSN 8345-01-496-8586

Size 3' x 5'

Price \$10.82 EA

NSN 8345-01-496-8584

Size 4' x 6'

Price \$15.44 EA

NSN 8345-01-496-8588

Size 5' x 8'

Price \$23.84

- ▼ Features galvanized steel thimbles at each end of heading for attaching to pole. A nylon or polypropylene distance line is sewn into the heading, measuring 1/4" thick and 24" long. Thimble eyes are semi-circular at outer ends (tapering at inner ends) and 1 1/2" in length. Made of nylon with corner patch reinforcements.

NSN 8345-00-753-3231

Size 8'11 3/8" x 17'

Price \$157.31 EA



- Pride and patriotism are proudly displayed with an outdoor American flag. Features Schifflli embroidered stars with a reinforced duck heading. Features metal grommets on heading for attaching to pole. Made of cotton.

NSN 8345-00-682-6857

Size 2'4 7/16" x 4'6"

Price \$19.69 EA

NSN 8345-00-682-6856

Size 3'6" x 6'7 3/4"

Price \$25.11 EA



- **U.S. Flag (Automobile)**

Colorfast, screen-printed nylon American flag for automobile display.

NSN 8345-00-130-2892

Size 12" x 18"

Price \$9.68 EA



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FLAG FACTS

**When should the U.S. Flag be displayed at half-staff?
The U.S. Flag Code offers the following guidance:**

1. 30 days from the death of the President or a former President.
2. 10 days from the death of the Vice President, the Chief Justice or a retired Chief Justice of the United States, or the Speaker of the House of Representatives.
3. From the day of death until interment of an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, a Secretary of an executive or military department, a former Vice President, or the Governor of a State, territory, or possession.
4. On the day of death and the following day for a Member of Congress.
5. In the event of the death of other officials or foreign dignitaries, the flag is to be displayed at half-staff according to Presidential instructions or orders.
6. On Memorial Day, the flag should be displayed at half-staff until noon, and then raised to the top of the staff.
7. On Patriot Day, the flag should be displayed at half-staff from sunrise until sundown.

When flying a U.S. Flag at half-staff, it should first be hoisted to the peak for an instant and then lowered to the half-staff position. The flag should be again raised to the peak before it is lowered for the day.

Flags of Office

This handsome flag serves as an official symbol of individual rank or position. Designed for indoor display in lobbies or reception areas.

► **Chief of Mission, Embassy, or Legation**

NSN 8345-00-130-2784

Flag Size 3' hoist x 5'8³/₈" fly

Price \$774.60 EA



► For automobile display.

NSN 8345-00-130-2781

Flag Size 12" x 18"

Price \$18.40 EA



► **Consular Officer-in-Charge of Consular Post**

NSN 8345-00-138-7137

Flag Size 3' hoist x 5'8³/₈" fly

Price \$251.75 EA



► For automobile display.

NSN 8345-01-007-9131

Flag Size 12" x 18"

Price \$35.48 EA



POW/MIA



POW/MIA Flags ▲

Prisoners-of-war/Missing-in-action flag in accordance with National League of Families design.

Double-sided, silk-screened seal reads correctly on both sides of the flag. Flag is made with nylon material and a canvas heading with brass grommets (use swivel snaphook 5340-01-412-7006 for attachment). Flag is black with white and black seal.

NSN 8345-01-452-8111

Flag Size 2' hoist x 3' fly

Price \$17.30 EA

NSN 8345-01-452-8114

Flag Size 3' hoist x 5' fly

Price \$17.30 EA

NSN 8345-01-452-6283

Flag Size 4' hoist x 6' fly

Price \$30.92 EA

FLAG FACTS

POW/MIA FLAG

According to the 1998 Defense Authorization Act, the POW/MIA flag should be flown on the following days:

- ★ Armed Forces Day
- ★ Memorial Day
- ★ Flag Day
- ★ Independence day
- ★ National POW/MIA Recognition Day (Third Friday of September)
- ★ Veterans' Day

Flag Accessories



◀ Swivel Snap Hook

Brass swivel snap hook for attaching flags to halyards. Overall length - 3 1/2". Swivel eye 3/4", snap opening 3/8".

NSN 5340-01-412-7006

Price \$5.62 PG (contains 4 EA)



▲ Stand

Gold round, polished gilt-finished, cast iron flagstaff stand for a 1 1/4" diameter pole.

NSN 8345-00-130-3142

Height 4 3/8" to 5 3/8"

Diameter 10 3/4" to 12"

Price \$58.53 EA

FLAG FACTS

When should the U.S. Flag be flown?

It is the universal custom to display the flag from sunrise to sunset. However, the flag may be flown 24 hours a day if properly illuminated during the night. An all-weather flag should be displayed on days with inclement weather.

The flag should be displayed on all days, especially on:

January 1	New Year's Day
January 20	Inauguration Day
Third Monday in January	Martin Luther King, Jr.'s birthday
February 12	Lincoln's birthday
Third Monday in February	Washington's birthday
Third Saturday in May	Armed Forces Day
Last Monday in May	Memorial Day
June 14	Flag Day
July 4	Independence Day
First Monday in September	Labor Day
September 11	Patriot Day
September 17	Constitution Day
Second Monday in October	Columbus Day
November 11	Veteran's Day
Fourth Thursday in November	Thanksgiving Day
December 25	Christmas Day



Flagstaff ▲

Hardwood pole in two sections joined with a two-piece brass tube with screw joint. Brass tube is 6" long when assembled.

Flagstaff component of flag kit NSN 8345-00-295-5987. Or use with indoor flags NSN 8345-00-151-6486 or NSN 8345-00-151-6487.

NSN 8345-01-295-9277

Flag Length 7 feet

Price \$36.47 EA

Flagstaff component of flag kit NSN 8345-00-682-6860. Or use with indoor flag NSN 8345-00-130-3124.

NSN 8345-00-130-3135

Flag Length 9 feet

Price \$46.27 EA



▲ Ornament

Gilt-finish metal spear ornament is used in lieu of eagle for service and organizational flags only.

NSN 8345-00-130-3149

Flag Length 6 1/4"

Price \$24.92 EA

Ornament ▼

Gilt-finish brass eagle ornament for flag set.

NSN 8345-00-130-3146

Flag Length 6 1/4"

Price \$23.50 EA



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FLAG FACTS

Showing Respect for the Flag — No disrespect should be shown to the flag, and the flag should not be dipped to any person or thing. Additionally, the following rules are also part of the U.S. Flag Code:

1. The flag should not be displayed with the union (blue field) down, except as a signal of dire distress in instances of extreme danger to life or property.
2. The flag should never touch anything beneath it, such as the ground, the floor, water, or merchandise.
3. The flag should never be carried flat or horizontally, but always aloft and free.
4. The flag should never be used as wearing apparel, bedding, or drapery.
5. The flag should never be fastened, displayed, used, or stored in such a manner as to permit it to be easily torn, soiled, or damaged in any way.
6. The flag should never be used as a covering for a ceiling.
7. The flag should never have placed upon it any mark, insignia, word, figure, design, picture, or drawing of any nature.
8. The flag should never be used as a receptacle for receiving, holding, carrying, or delivering anything.
9. The flag should never be used for advertising purposes.
10. The flag, when it is in such condition that it is no longer a fitting emblem for display, should be destroyed in a dignified way, preferably by burning.

During the ceremony of hoisting or lowering the flag, or when the flag is passing in a parade or in review, all persons present except those in uniform should face the flag and stand at attention with the right hand over the heart. Those present in uniform should render the military salute. When not in uniform, men should remove their headdress with their right hand and hold it at the left shoulder, the hand being over the heart. Aliens should stand at attention. The salute to the flag in a moving column should be rendered at the moment the flag passes.

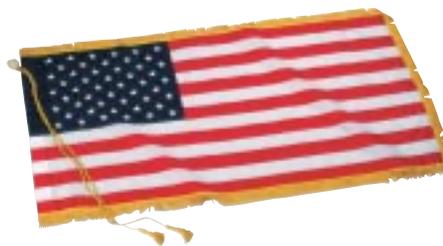


FLAG FACTS

How should the flag be displayed? The U.S. Flag Code (4 US Code 1) provides detailed guidance on how to properly fly the U.S. Flag. Below are some highlights:

1. No other flag or pennant should be placed above or, if on the same level, to the right of the U.S. Flag.
2. The U.S. Flag should be the center and at the highest point of the group when a number of flags are grouped.
3. The U.S. Flag, when it is displayed with another flag against a wall from crossed staffs, should be on the right, the flag's own right, and its staff should be in front of the other flag's staff.
4. When displayed either horizontally or vertically against a wall, the blue field should be the uppermost and to the observer's left.
5. When used on a speaker's platform, the flag, if displayed flat should be displayed above and behind the speaker.
6. The flag should form a distinctive feather of the ceremony unveiling a statue or monument, but it should never be used as the covering for the statue or monument.
7. When the flag is used to cover a casket, it should be placed that the blue field is at the head and over the left shoulder. The flag should not be lowered into the grave or allowed to touch the ground.
8. When the flag is displayed on a car, the staff shall be fixed firmly to the chassis or clamped to the right fender.

B uying Guide



GSA Global Supply is your source for flags. The following chart highlights our selection of U.S. flags, followed by product information on U.S. flag kits, flags of office, POW/MIA flags, and accessories. Please visit www.GSAGlobalsupply.gsa.gov regularly for the most current offering of flags.

U.S. Flags

NSN	Item	Size	Fabric	Indoor/ Outdoor	Additional Description	Unit of Issue	Price
8345-00-151-6486	U.S. Flag	3' x 5'8 ³ / ₈ "	Nylon	Indoor	Adorned with gold fringe, cord, tassels. Embroidered stars and sewn stripes.	EA	\$61.98
8345-00-151-6487	U.S. Flag	3' x 5'8 ³ / ₈ "	Nylon	Indoor	Without gold fringe, cord, tassels. Embroidered stars and sewn stripes	EA	\$47.25
8345-00-130-3124	U.S. Flag	4'4"x 5'6"	Nylon	Indoor	Adorned with gold fringe, cord, tassels. Embroidered stars.	EA	\$85.67
8345-00-130-2784	Flag of Office	3' x 5'8 ³ / ₈ "	Nylon	Indoor	Chief of Mission, Embassy or Legation	EA	\$774.60
8345-00-138-7137	Flag of Office	3' x 5'8 ³ / ₈ "	Nylon	Indoor	Consular Officer-in-Charge of Consular Post	EA	\$251.75
8345-00-130-2892	U.S. Flag	12" x 18"	Nylon	Outdoor	Screen-printed flag for automobile display	EA	\$9.68
8345-00-130-2781	Flag of Office	12" x 18"	Nylon	Outdoor	For automobile display. Chief of Mission, Embassy, or Legation.	EA	\$18.40

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NSN	Item	Size	Fabric	Indoor/ Outdoor	Additional Description	Unit of Issue	Price
8345-01-007-9131	Flag of Office	12" x 18"	Nylon	Outdoor	For automobile display. Consular Officer-in-Charge of Consular Post	EA	\$35.48
8345-00-682-6857	U.S. Flag	2'4 ⁷ / ₁₆ " x 4'6"	Cotton	Outdoor	Embroidered stars	EA	\$19.69
8345-00-753-3230	U.S. Flag	2'4 ⁷ / ₁₆ " x 4'6"	Nylon	Outdoor	Embroidered stars	EA	\$15.65
8345-01-496-8586	U.S. Flag	3' x 5'	Nylon	Outdoor	Embroidered stars and sewn stripes. Meets commercial specification	EA	\$10.82
8345-00-682-6856	U.S. Flag	3'6" x 6'7 ³ / ₄ "	Cotton	Outdoor	Embroidered stars	EA	\$25.11
8345-00-753-3234	U.S. Flag	3'6" x 6'7 ³ / ₄ "	Nylon	Outdoor	Embroidered stars	EA	\$29.10
8345-01-496-8584	U.S. Flag	4' x 6'	Nylon	Outdoor	Embroidered stars and sewn stripes. Meets commercial specification	EA	\$15.44
8345-01-496-8588	U.S. Flag	5' x 8'	Nylon	Outdoor	Embroidered stars and sewn stripes. Meets commercial specification	EA	\$23.84
8345-00-753-3235	U.S. Flag	5' x 9'6"	Nylon	Outdoor	Embroidered stars	EA	\$43.60
8345-00-753-3232	U.S. Flag	5' x 9'6"	Cotton	Outdoor	Embroidered stars	EA	\$40.05
8345-00-753-3231	U.S. Flag	8'11 ³ / ₈ " x 17'	Nylon	Outdoor	Embroidered stars and galvanized steel thimbles for attaching to pole	EA	\$157.31
8345-00-682-6858	U.S. Flag	10' x 19'	Cotton	Outdoor	Galvanized steel thimbles for attaching to pole	EA	\$228.48
8345-01-452-8111	POW/MIA	2' x 3'	Nylon	Outdoor	Double-sided, silk-screened seal reads correctly on both sides. With grommets.	EA	\$17.30
8345-01-452-6283	POW/MIA	3' x 5'	Nylon	Outdoor	Double-sided, silk-screened seal reads correctly on both sides. With grommets.	EA	\$17.30
8345-01-452-6283	POW/MIA	4' x 6'	Nylon	Outdoor	Double-sided, silk-screened seal reads correctly on both sides. With grommets.	EA	\$30.92

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