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Mailing List
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Preface

This document has been created to provide guidelines to Mailing Module of BellaVita. There are several Mailing Functions that are described and explained here for usage.

Audience

This guide is intended for users, system administrators, and support familiar with BellaVita.

Customer Support

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<https://support.oracle.com>

When contacting Customer Support, please provide the following:

- Product version and program/module name
- Functional and technical description of the problem (include business impact)
- Detailed step-by-step instructions to re-create
- Exact error message received
- Screen shots of each step you take

Documentation

Oracle Hospitality product documentation is available on the Oracle Help Center at

<http://docs.oracle.com/en/industries/hospitality/>

Revision History

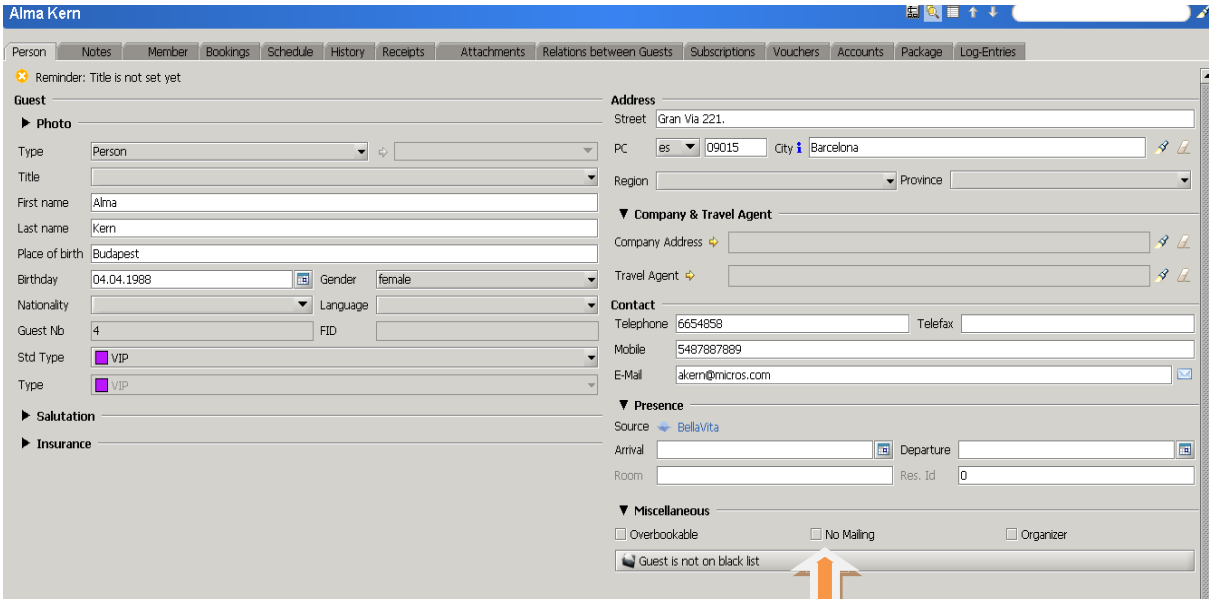
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June 18, 2013	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Initial publication. Document Version Number: 1.0

1 Description

There is a function in BellaVita to create a customised mailing list, which can then be used further in mailing actions. The export includes all relevant information, and the already filled index cards of spa guests. The export takes place as a CSV file.

No Mailing Option

Since it is known that some guests prefer no advertising, there is a flag on the guest profile/person tab/miscellaneous section = "No mailing" to make sure that the guest who decide not to take part in mailings, are given the option. When you generate the mailing list only those guests are shown where this flag is not provided with a tick.



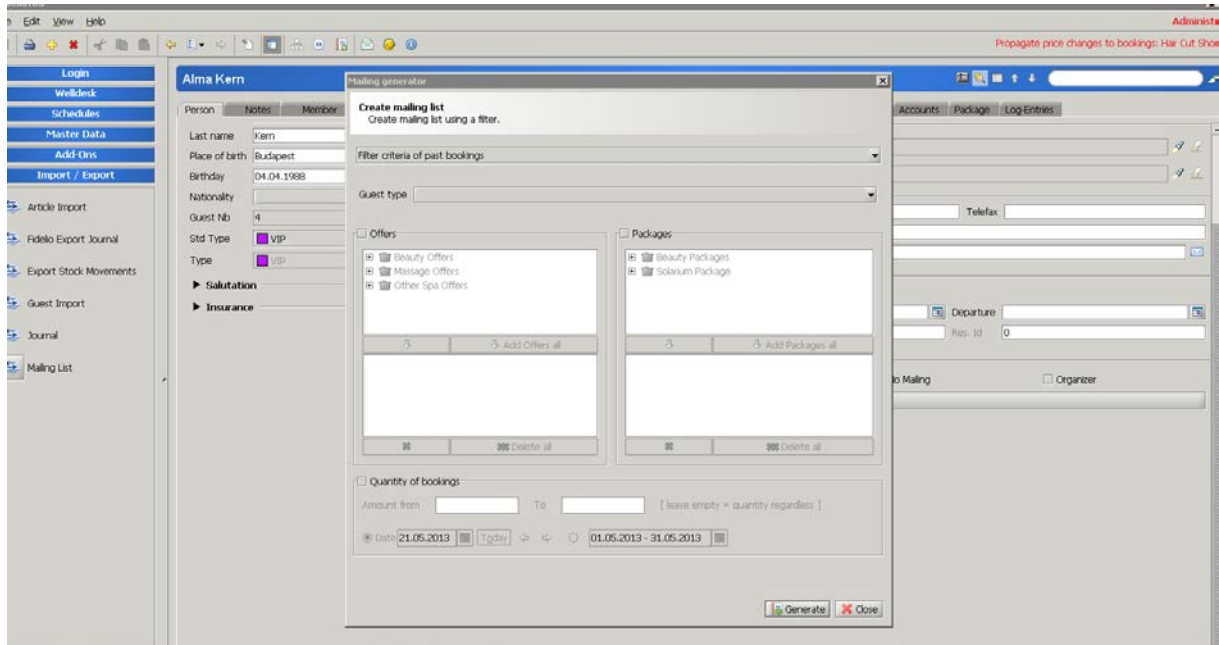
The screenshot shows the BellaVita software interface for a guest profile. The guest's name is Alma Kern. The 'Miscellaneous' section at the bottom right contains several checkboxes: 'Overbookable', 'No Mailing', and 'Organizer'. The 'No Mailing' checkbox is checked, and an orange arrow points to it from below. Other sections include 'Photo', 'Address', 'Company & Travel Agent', 'Contact', and 'Presence'.

This box is ticked by default due to legal requirements.

If any are not ticked, you can navigate to the module import/ export, and select the menu mailing list.

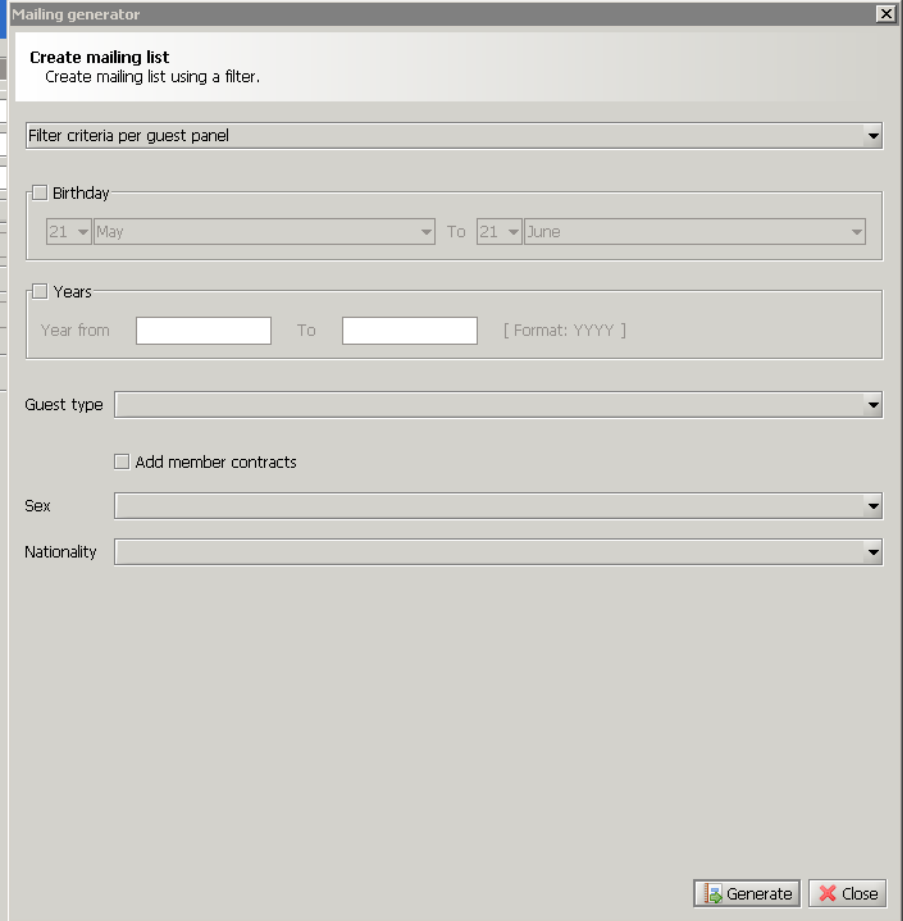
Mailing List Function

After calling the mailing list function, the following window opens. Now we can narrow down from a total of 5 filters templates to the desired group of guests. Below you will see the different filter templates and their filtering capabilities including a description.



Mailing Template No. 1

Filter option on birthdays (eg all from February 1 to December 1), volumes (born 1973-1980), Guest type (external, VIP, hotel guest), sex (male or female) and Nationality . Additionally, you can add members from contracts if the filter type of the host excludes them. This filter is suitable for birthday mailings.



The screenshot shows a window titled "Mailing generator" with a close button in the top right corner. The main heading is "Create mailing list" with the subtext "Create mailing list using a filter." Below this is a dropdown menu labeled "Filter criteria per guest panel".

There are three main filter sections, each with a checkbox:

- Birthday:** Includes a date range selector with two dropdowns for day and month. The example shows "21" and "May" followed by "To" and "21" and "June".
- Years:** Includes two text input fields for "Year from" and "To", with a "[Format: YYYY]" label.
- Guest type:** A dropdown menu.

Below these are three more filter options, each with a checkbox and a dropdown menu:

- Add member contracts:** A checkbox.
- Sex:** A dropdown menu.
- Nationality:** A dropdown menu.

At the bottom right of the window are two buttons: "Generate" (with a document icon) and "Close" (with a red X icon).

Mailing Template No. 2

Filter option on host type (external, VIP, hotel guest), the total revenue of an amount X to Y, sales on items (spa products such as cream, accessories, etc.) of conversion X to Y, sales to offers (the applications) from X to Y and additional revenue secured, if the total net filter only refers to the highest sales and applying the rule or at the end you choose the corresponding period in a date format to. This filter is used when you want to filter by sales volume per guest.

Mailing generator

Create mailing list
Create mailing list using a filter.

Filter per turnover

Guest type

Total turnover
Amount To

Turnover articles
Amount To

Turnover Treatments
Amount To

Turnover filter (Total, Articles,Offers) no combination (OR)

Date

Mailing Template No. 3

Filter option on host type (external, VIP, hotel guest), on packages (applications) and on packages. Additionally, you can here right after a certain range, filter a specific package or both. In the end, we can specify how much from used applications or packages will be filtered. At the end you choose the corresponding period in a date format to. This filter is used when you want to take action mailings, eg. to guests who use certain applications, also to bring others close once to place a marketing campaign to certain new products, which have been included in the portfolio and are similar to those of other offers.

Mailing generator

Create mailing list
Create mailing list using a filter.

Filter criteria of past bookings

Guest type

Offers

- + Beauty Offers
- + Massage Offers
- + Other Spa Offers

↓ Add Offers all

✖ Delete all

Packages

- + Beauty Packages
- + Solarium Package

↓ Add Packages all

✖ Delete all

Quantity of bookings

Amount from To [leave empty = quantity regardless]

● Date ← → ○

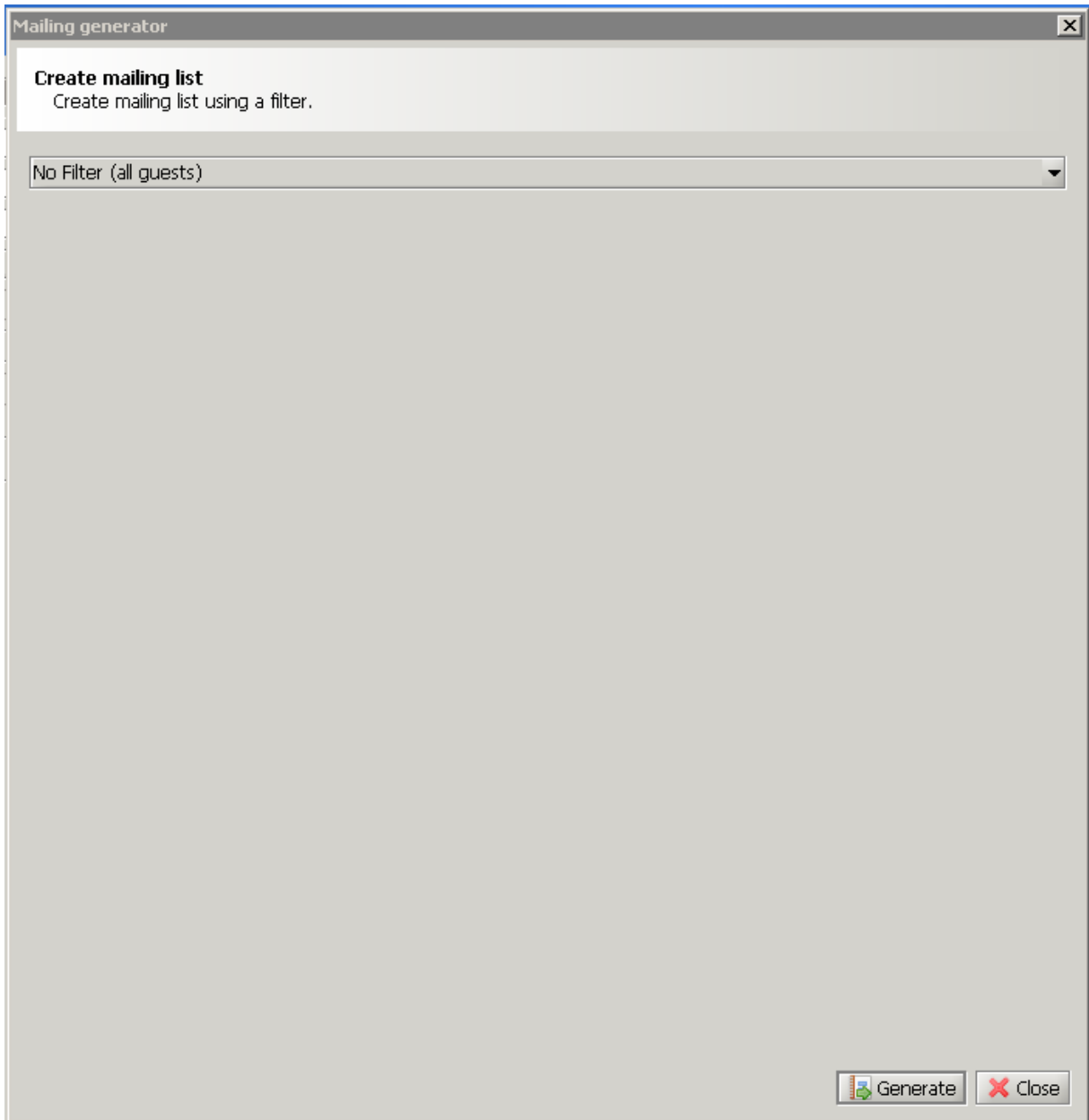
Mailing Template No. 4

Filter option on guest type (external, VIP hotel guest), on articles (spa products such as cream, etc.) . This filter is used when you want to take action mailings, for instance to guests who frequently buy certain products, also to bring others close once to place a marketing campaign to certain new products, which have been included in the portfolio and are similar to those of other spa products.

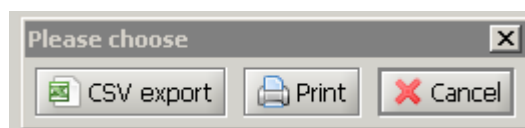
The screenshot shows a software window titled "Mailing generator" with a close button (X) in the top right corner. The main heading is "Create mailing list" with the subtitle "Create mailing list using a filter." Below this, there is a dropdown menu for "Filter criteria for products bought by the guest". Underneath is another dropdown for "Guest type". A section titled "Articles" is expanded, showing a list of items: "Test article", "Beauty Salon", and "Fitness Products". Below the list are two buttons: a downward arrow and "Add Article all". At the bottom of the "Articles" section are two buttons: a star icon and "Delete all". Below the "Articles" section is a section titled "Quantity of articles" with two input fields for "Amount from" and "To", followed by the text "[leave empty = quantity regardless]". Below this are two radio buttons for "Date": the first is selected and has a date field with "21.05.2013" and a calendar icon, and the second is unselected and has a date range field with "01.05.2013 - 31.05.2013" and a calendar icon. At the bottom right of the window are two buttons: "Generate" with a document icon and "Close" with a red X icon.

Mailing Template No. 5

No filter, it exports all guests, who are without the flag specified above.

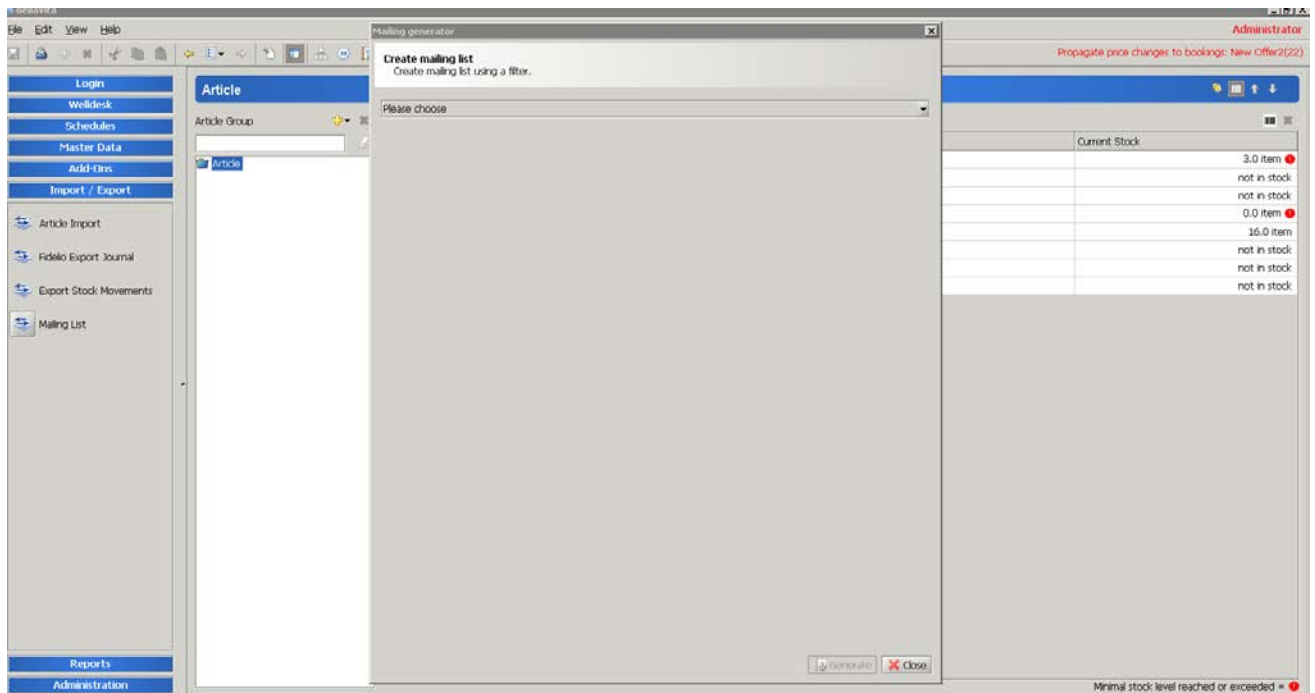


After all the filters, the following window in which you can determine the location where the file is stored, or whether they want to print the list opens. This file can then be further processed by a mailing program.



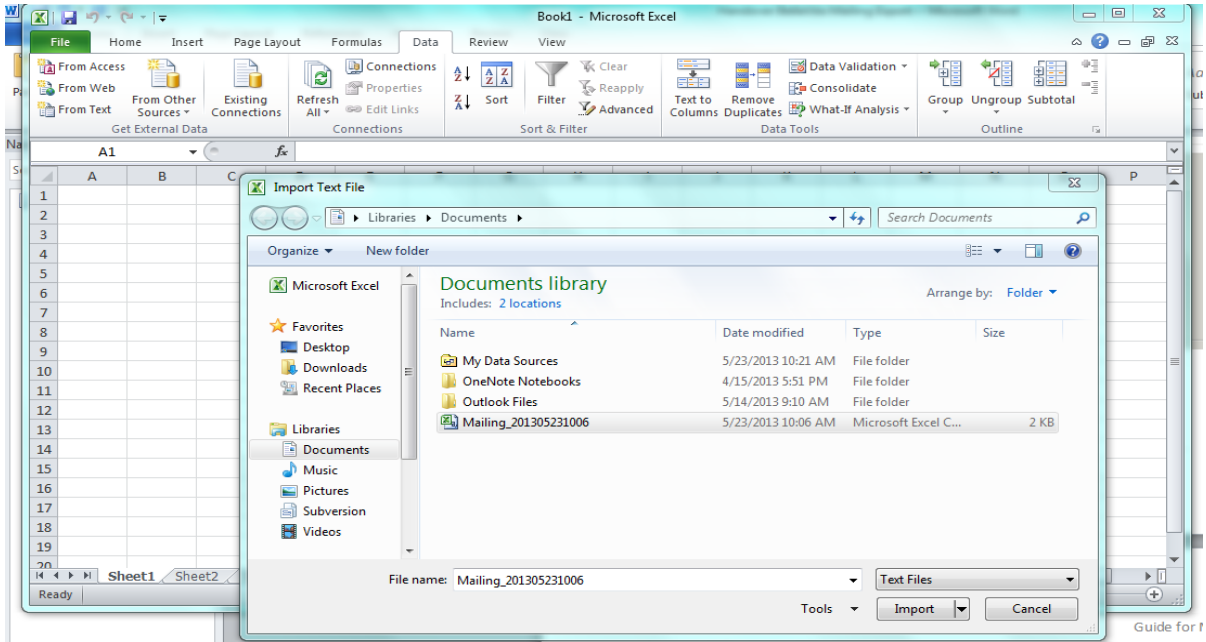
2 Exporting guest list from BellaVita to Excel

- Click on Import/ Export
- Choose Mailing List
- Choose the desired filter criteria
- Generate the file
- Click on CSV File and Save it
- BellaVita can be closed or "folded"



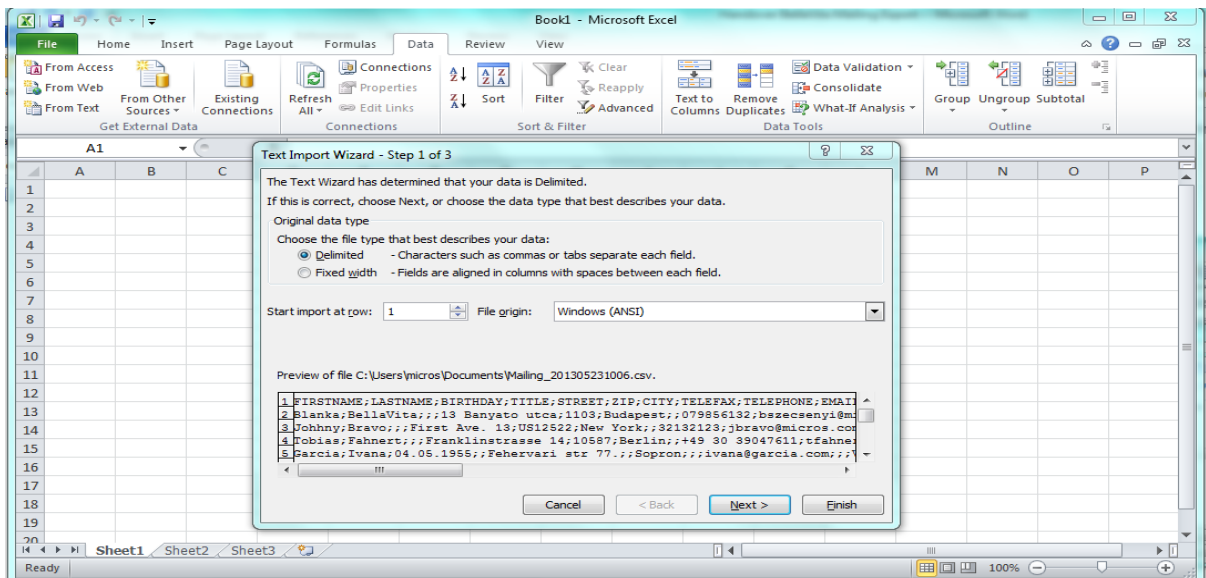
Open blank Excel spreadsheet

- DATA
- GET EXTERNAL DATA IMPORT
- From Text
- Call Stored file and IMPORT



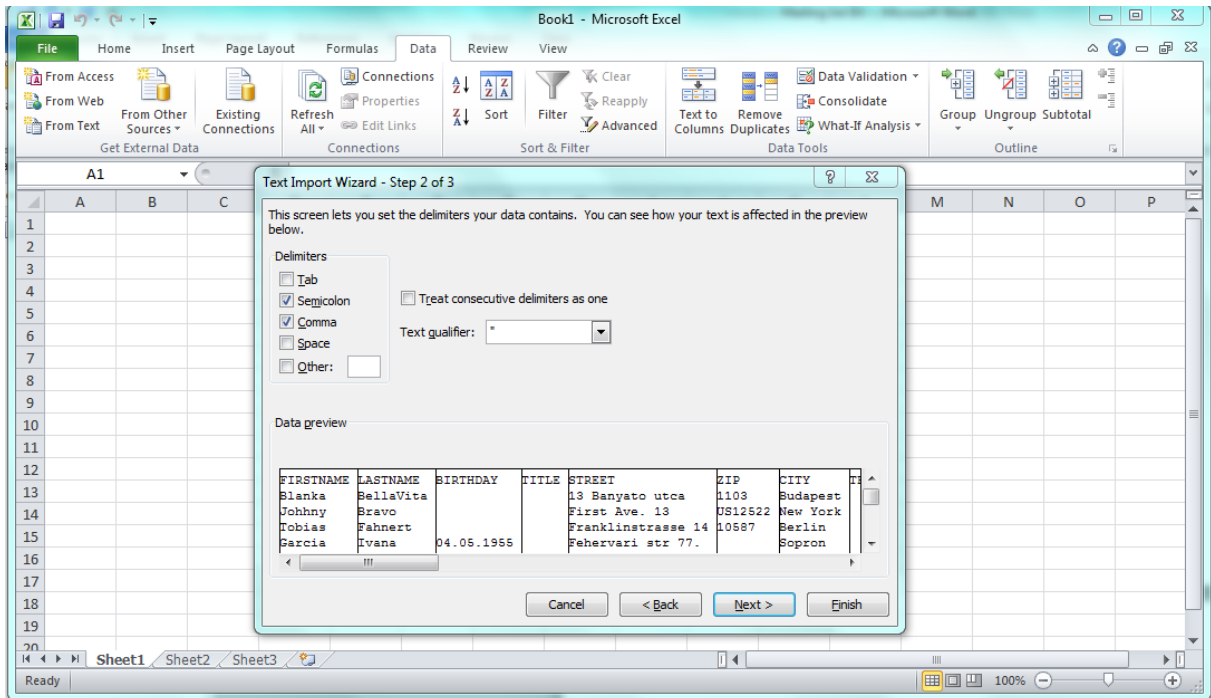
Text Import Wizard Step 1 of 3

- Tick DELIMITED
- Choose Windows (ANSI)
- Click NEXT



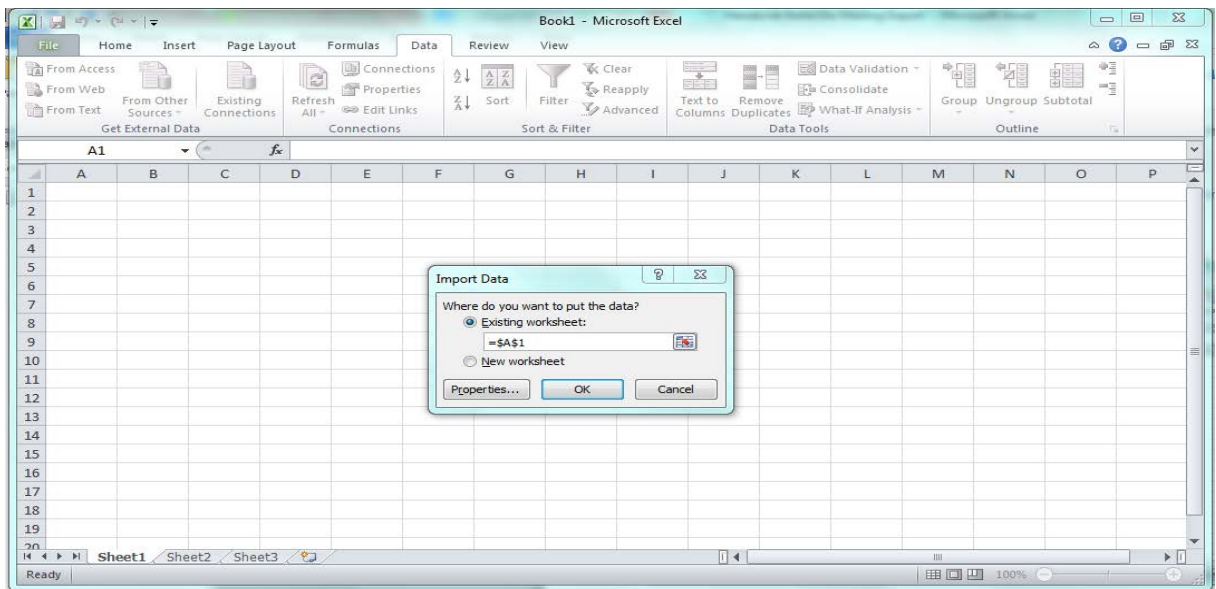
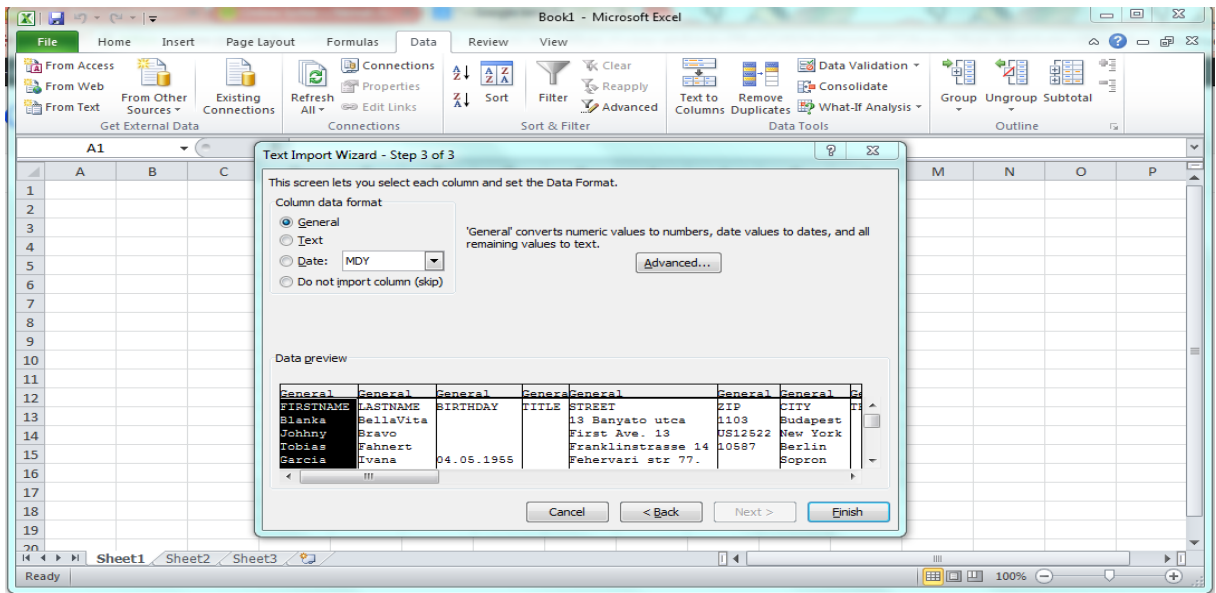
Text Import Wizard Step 2 of 3

- Delimiters must be: Semicolon and Comma
- Text qualifier: "
- NEXT

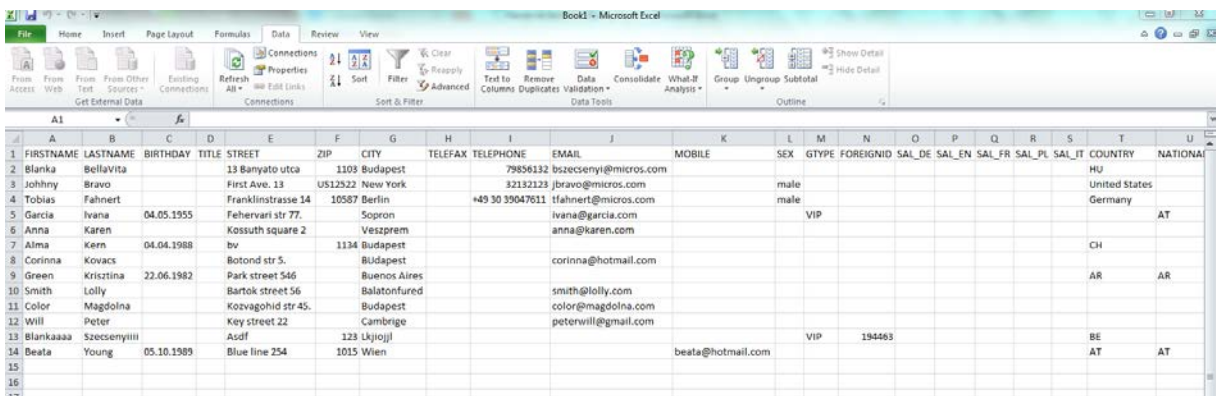


Text Import Wizard Step 3 of 3

- Tick General
- FINISH
- Existing Worksheet : =\$A\$1
- Complete with OK



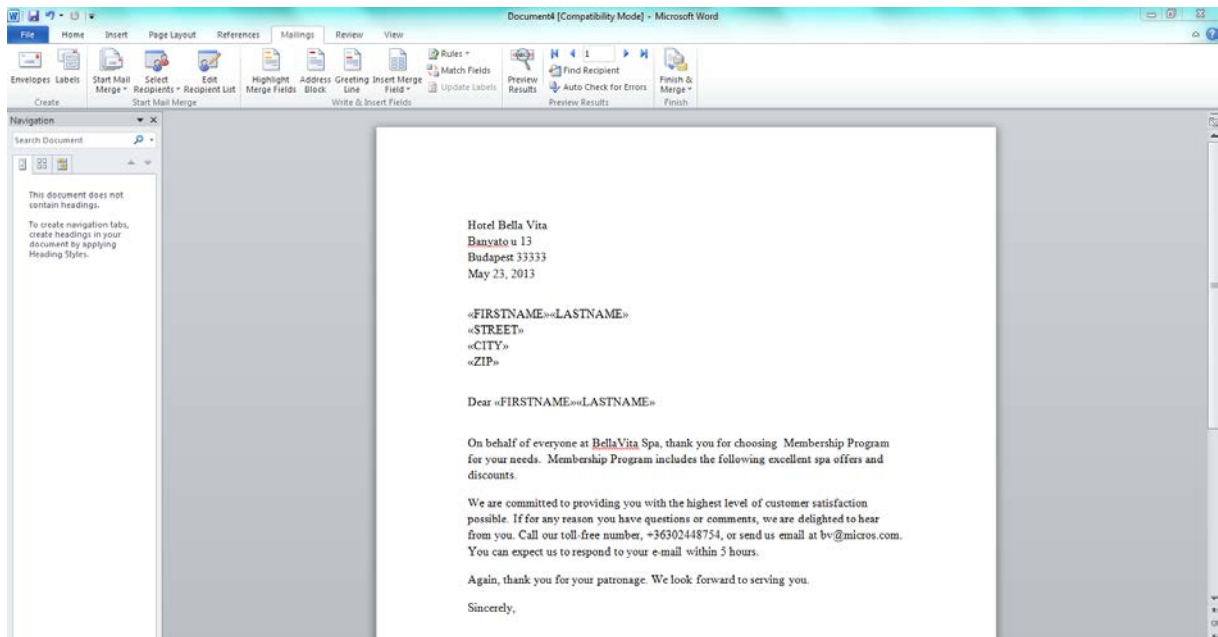
Now you have got all the imported data in the Excel sheet so you can start creating the mail merge!



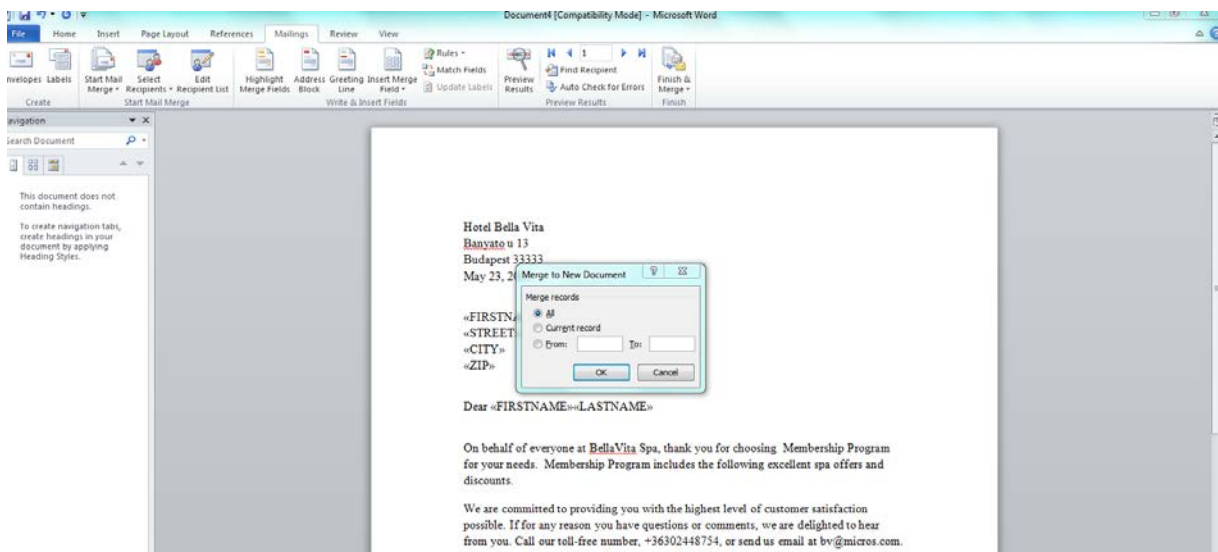
3 Create a mail merge in Word

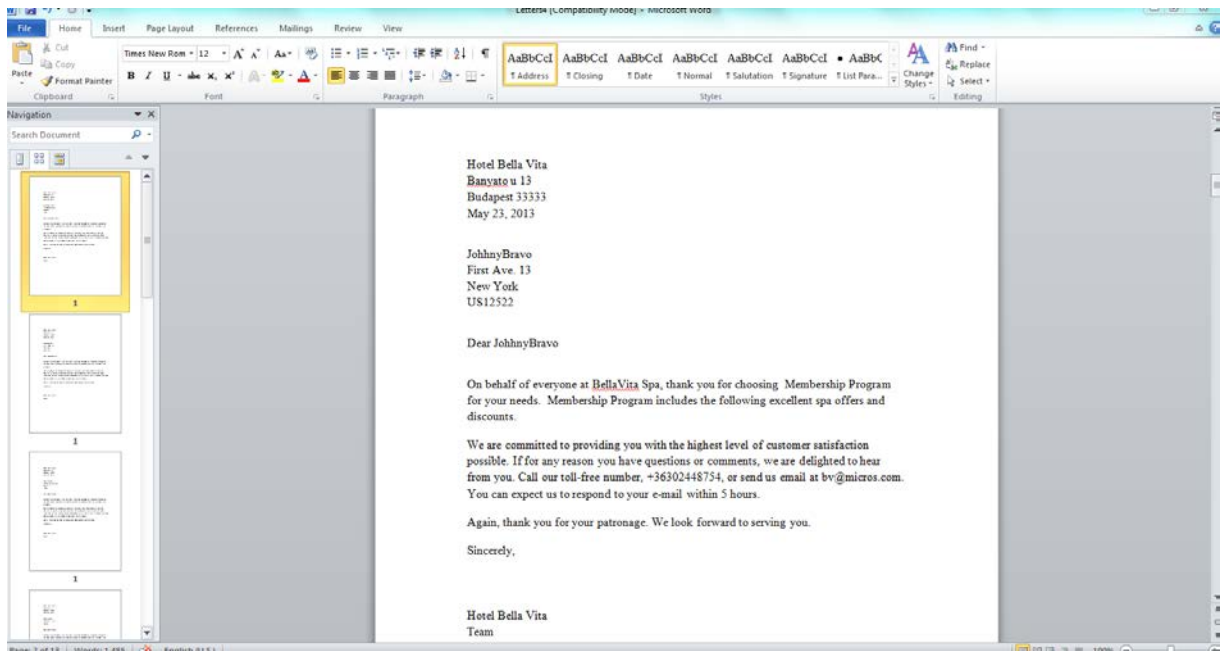
Simple Letter

- Select the desired letter in Microsoft Word,
- Click on Start Mail Merge and choose letter
 - Fill in the necessary information which must appear on the letter (Spa info only)
 - Guest name and address must be chosen on by one from Insert Merge Field such as:
«FIRSTNAME»«LASTNAME»
«STREET»
«CITY»
«ZIP»



If you click on the Preview Results, you can check that all the data appears on the right place. The last step is to Finish&Merge where you can Edit the individual documents.

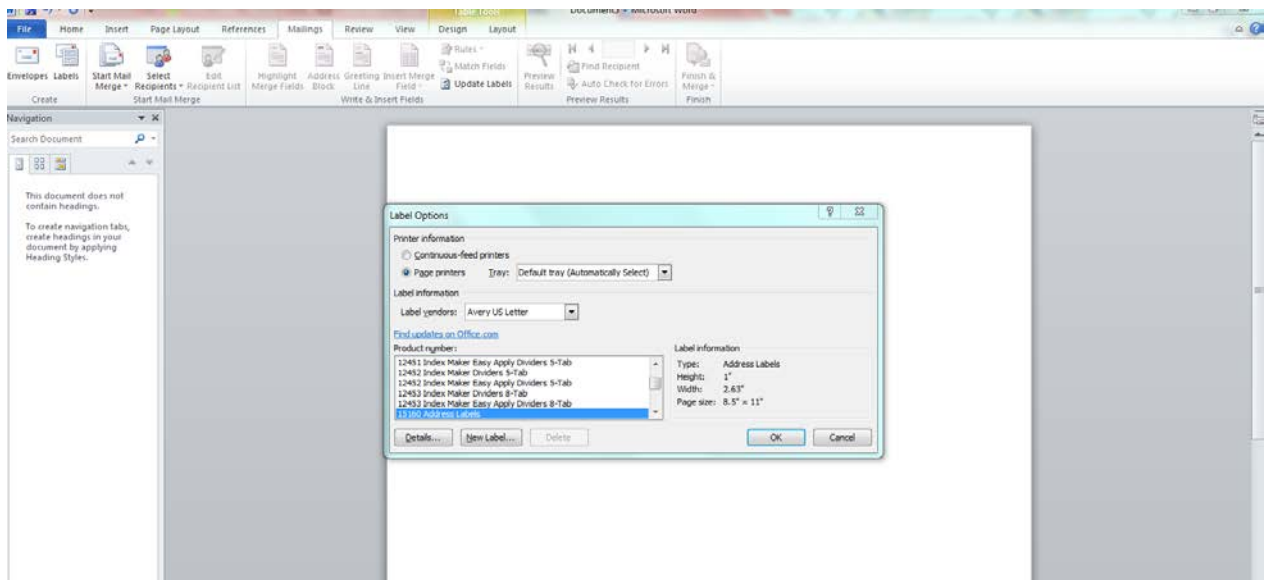




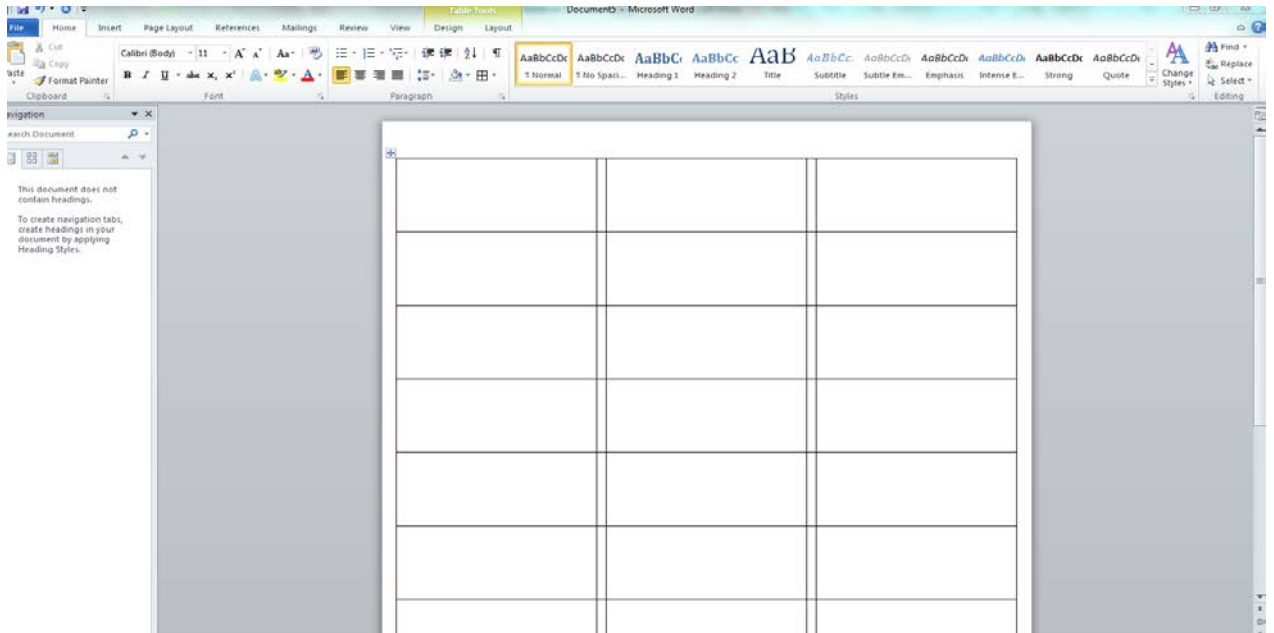
Table

To check the addresses before printing, you can merge them into a new document easily. Choose a Blank Document and Start Mail Merge. There Choose the labels and determine the options.

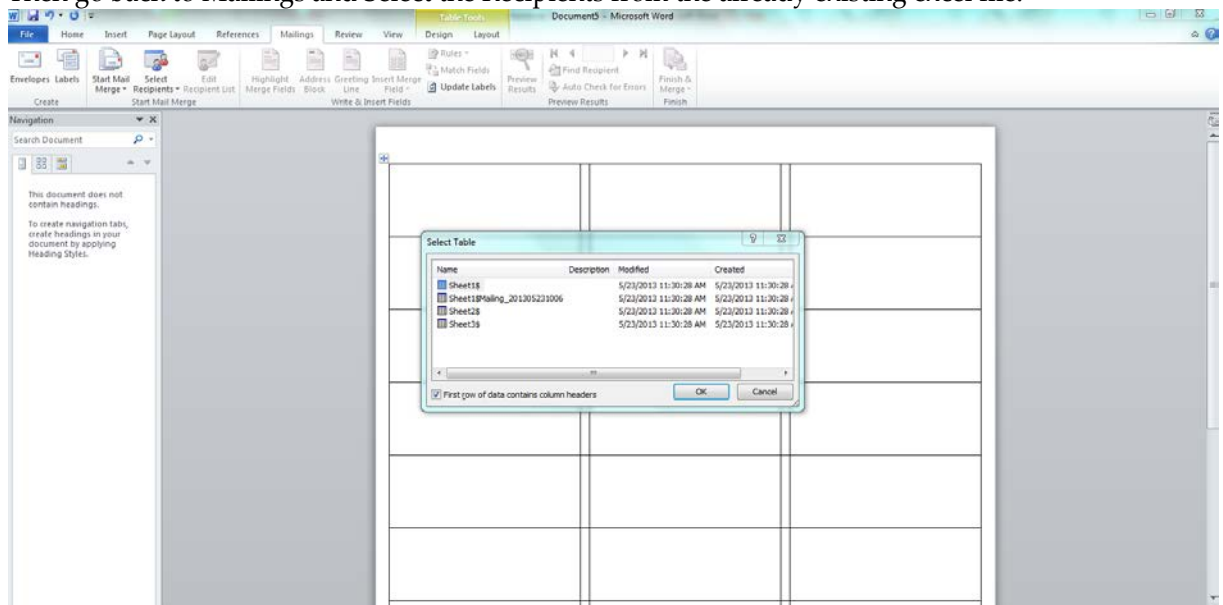
- Default Tray
- Avery US Letter
- 15160 Address Labels



After this step a Table will appear without borders, go to Home and create borders for all sides.



Then go back to Mailings and Select the Recipients from the already existing excel file.



You can start Inserting the Merge Fields that you want to print.

When you are ready click on the Update Labels which will apply your changes to the whole Table.

Clicking on Preview Results will show the final look of the document.

