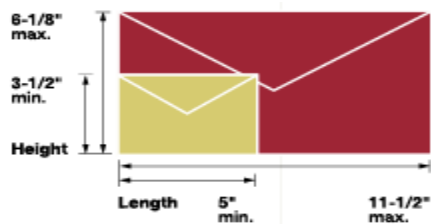


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Shape Matters – Letters

- Maximum weight 3.5 ounces
 - Pieces that exceed 3.5 ounces or any letter-size dimension are charged as flats



	Minimum	Maximum
Length	5 inches	11-1/2 inches
Height	3-1/2 inches	6-1/8 inches
Thickness	0.007 inch	1/4 inch

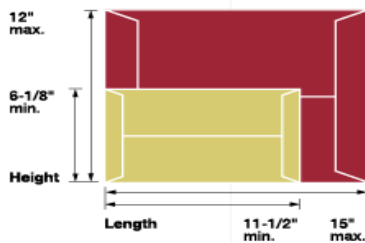
Nonmachinable letters weighing 1 ounce or less will be charged 17¢ nonmachinable surcharge.

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Shape Matters – Flats

- Maximum weight 13 ounces
 - Pieces that exceed any dimension are charged as parcels



	Minimum*	Maximum
Length	11-1/2 inches	15 inches
Height	6-1/8 inches	12 inches
Thickness	1/4 inch	3/4 inch

*Flats exceed at least one of these dimensions.

Flats with the following characteristics are also subject to parcel prices:

- Not flexible
- Not rectangular
- Not uniform in thickness

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