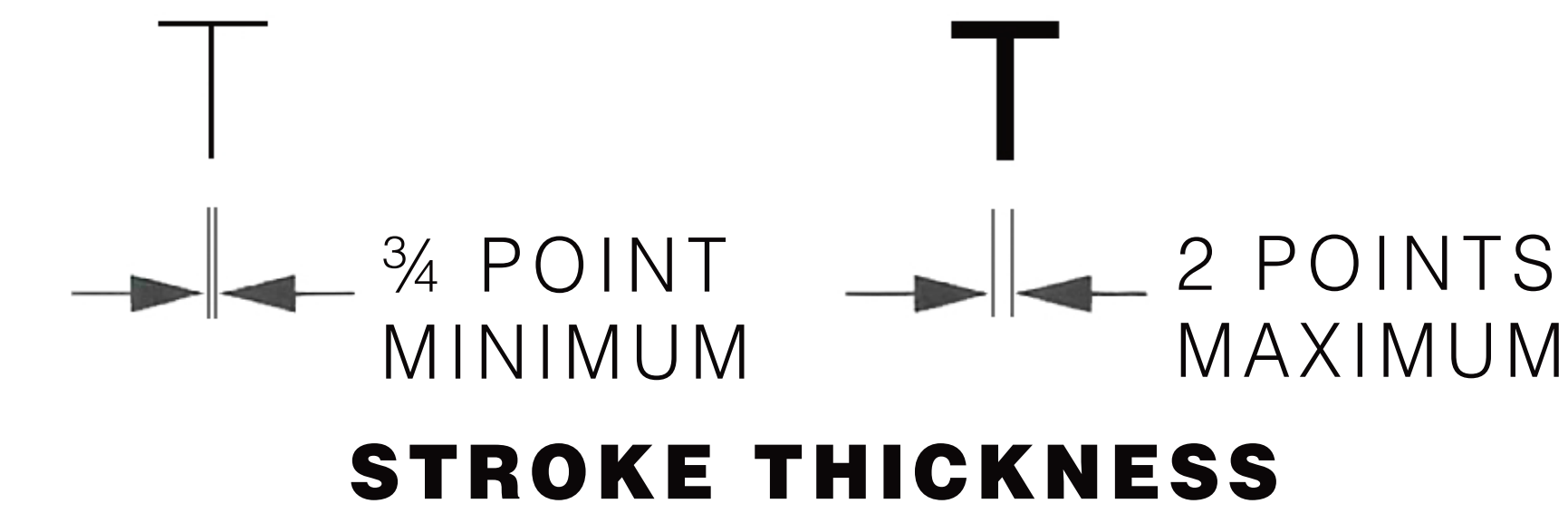
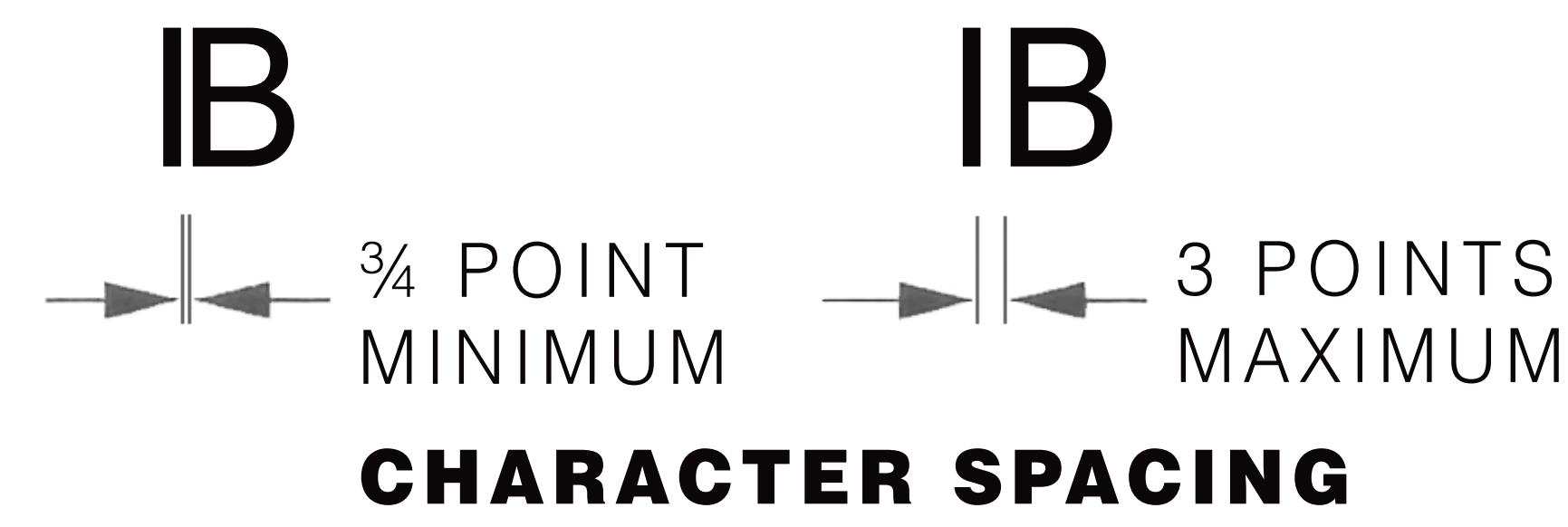
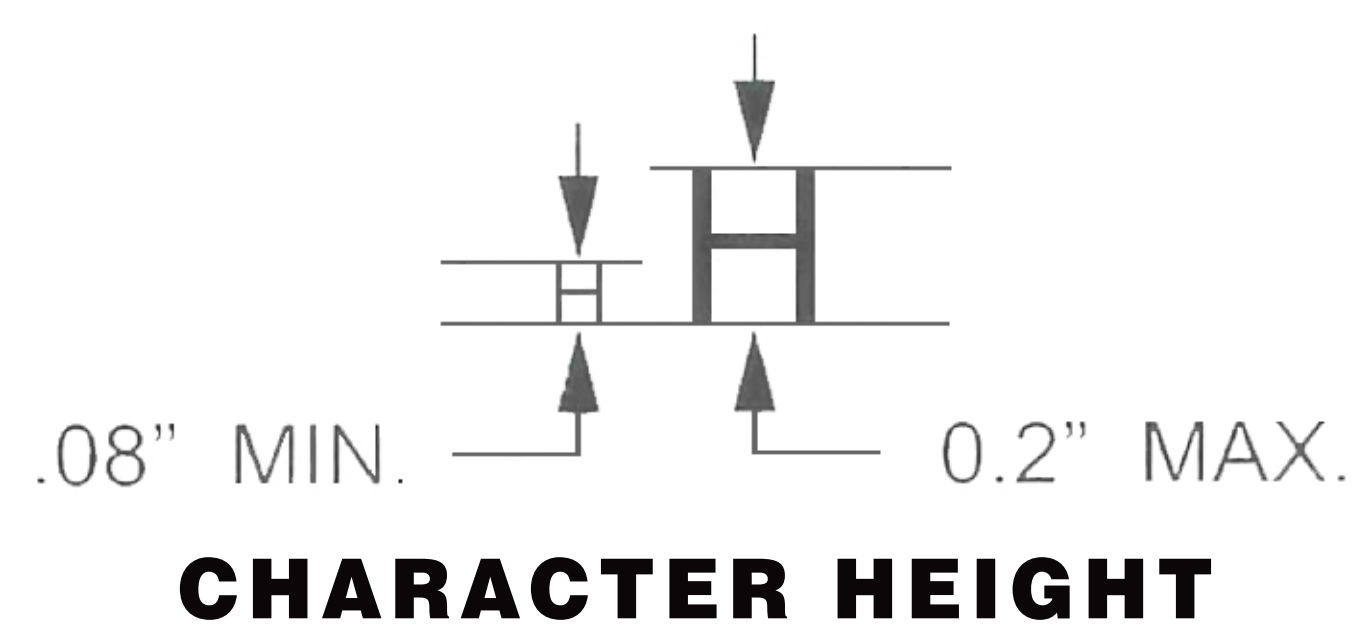


USE THIS TEMPLATE WITH PUBLICATION 25, DESIGNING LETTER MAIL, AND THE DOMESTIC MAIL MANUAL WHEN DESIGNING CARD-SIZE AND LETTER-SIZE MAIL FOR AUTOMATED PROCESSING.



RULE THICKNESS

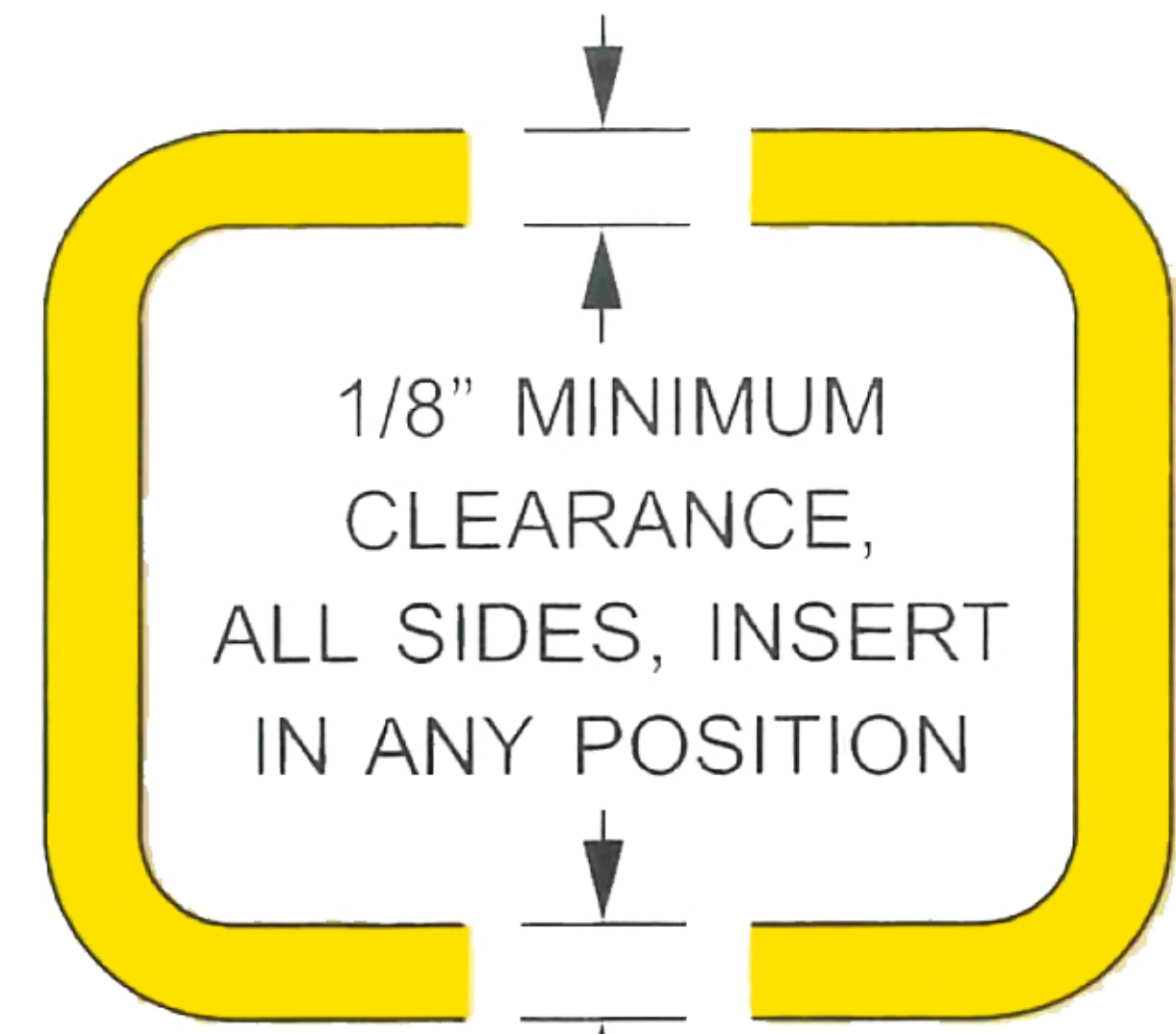
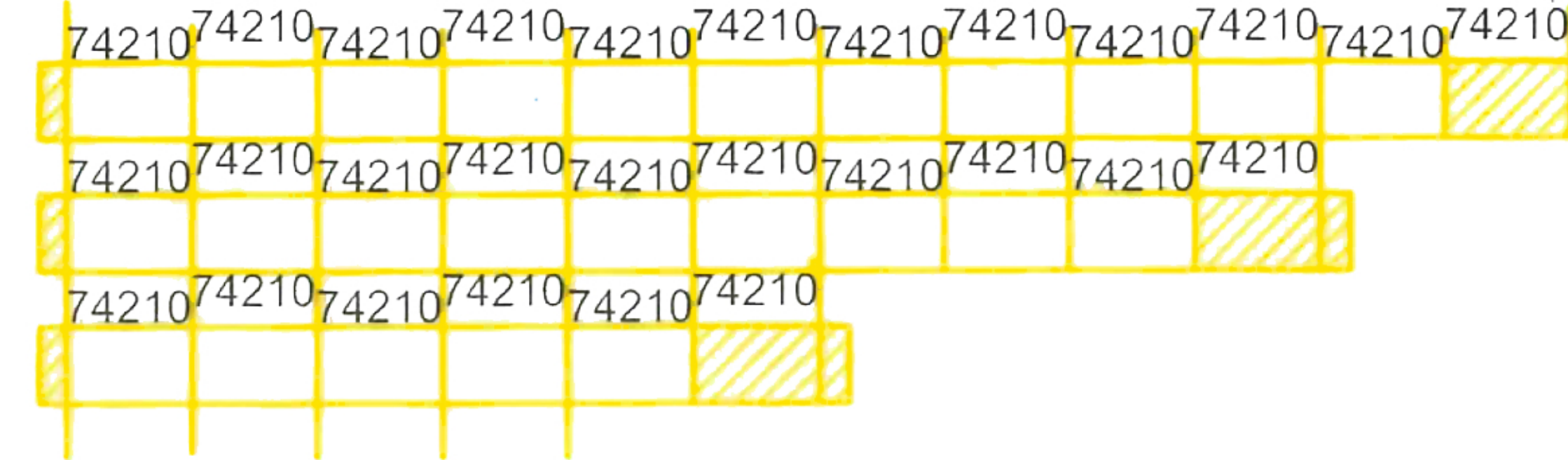
1/2 POINT	(HAIRLINE)
3/4 POINT	
1 POINT	
1 1/2 POINTS	
2 POINTS	
2 1/2 POINTS	
3 POINTS	
4 POINTS	

PLACE ENTIRE RETURN ADDRESS IN THE TOP 1/3 OF MAILPIECE

RETURN ADDRESS LOCATION

POSTNET DECODER

DPBC
 ZIP+4
 5-DIGIT



DELIVERY ADDRESS / WINDOW CLEARANCE

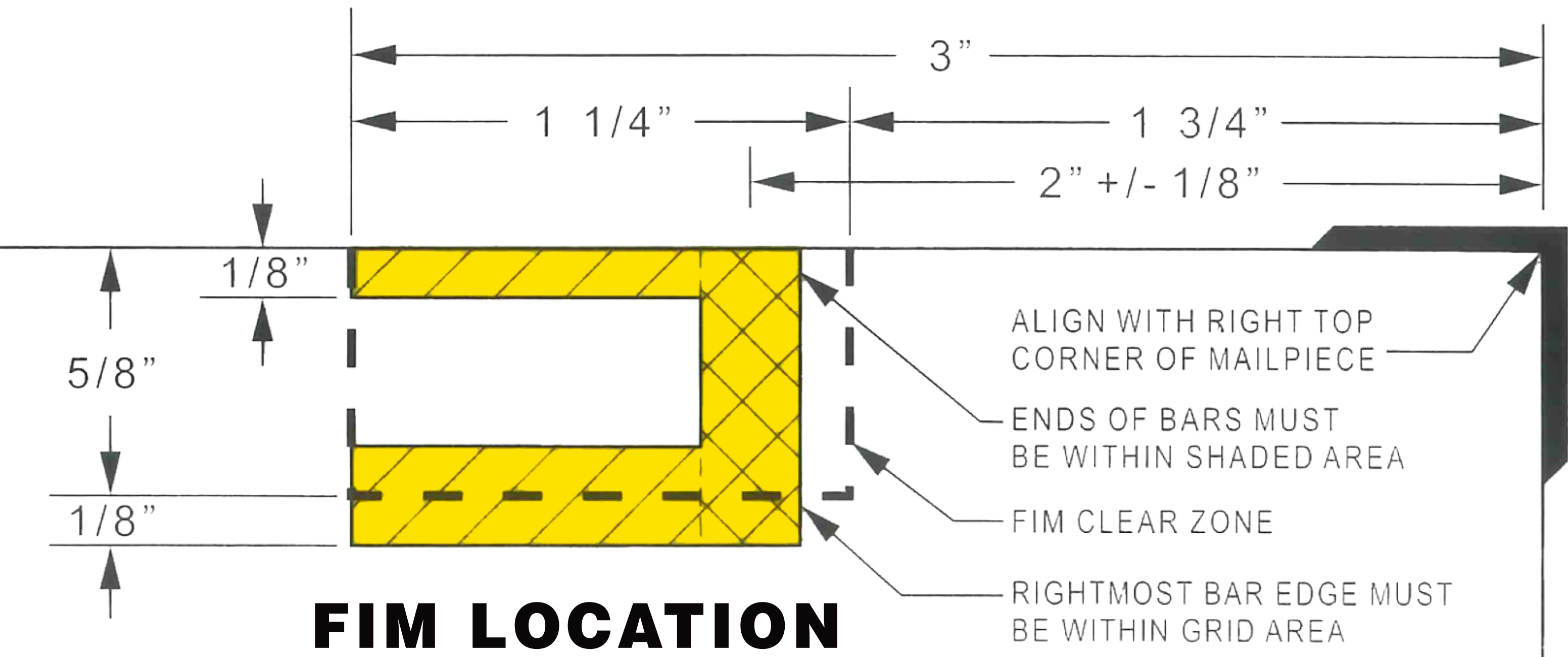
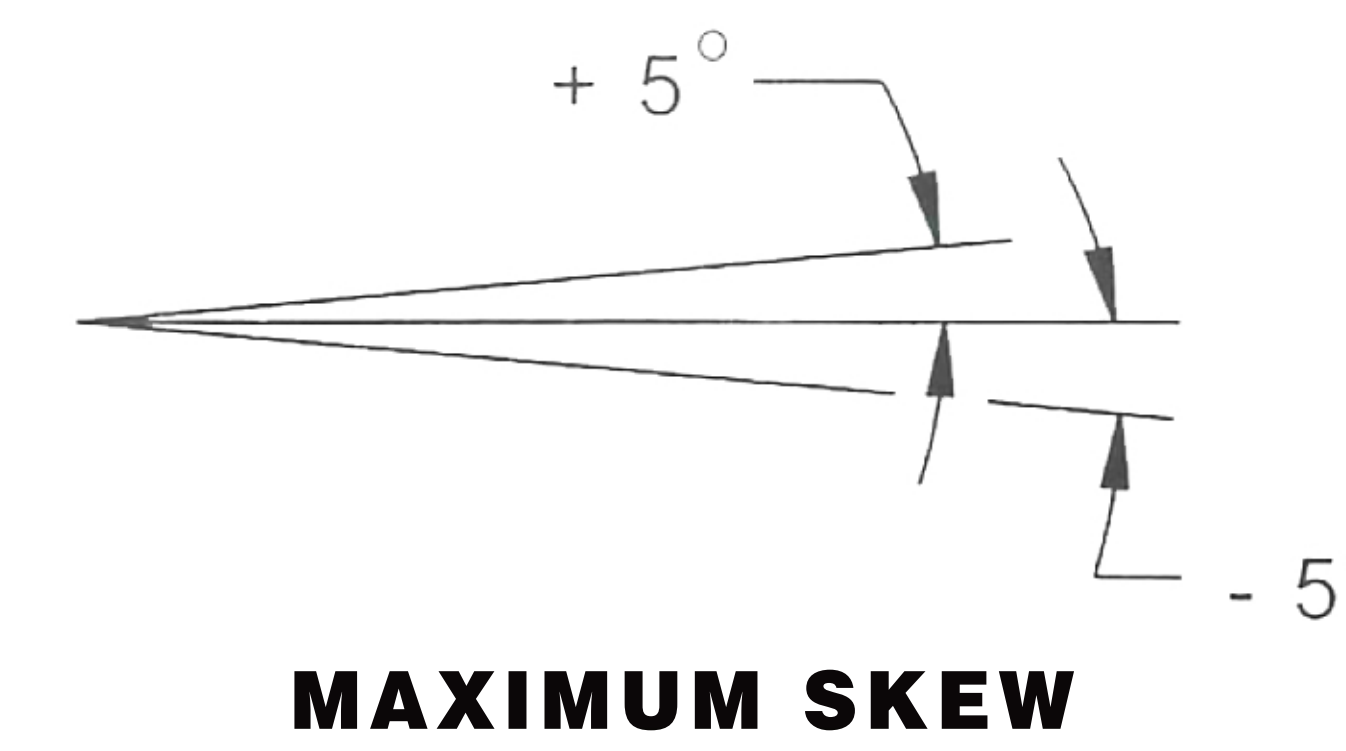
MINIMUM VERTICAL SPACING BETWEEN ADDRESS BLOCK BARCODE AND OTHER PRINTING, WINDOW, OR LABEL EDGES

.040" MINIMUM

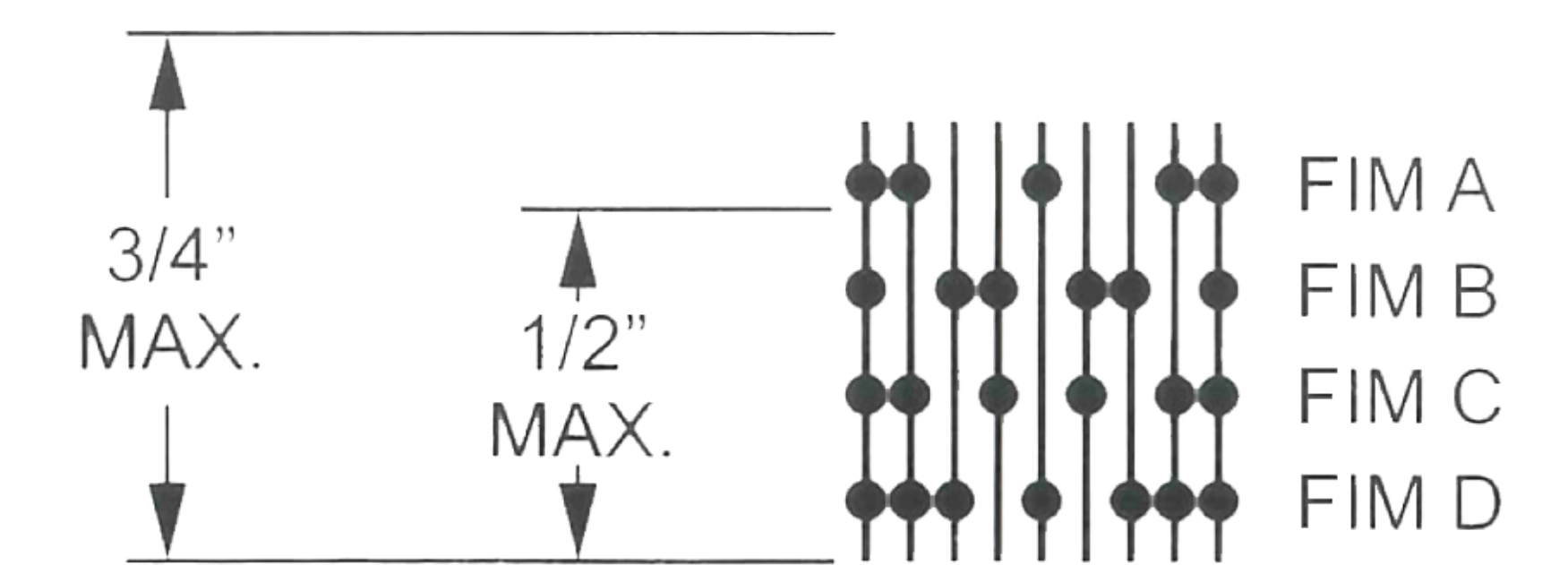
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.125" MINIMUM

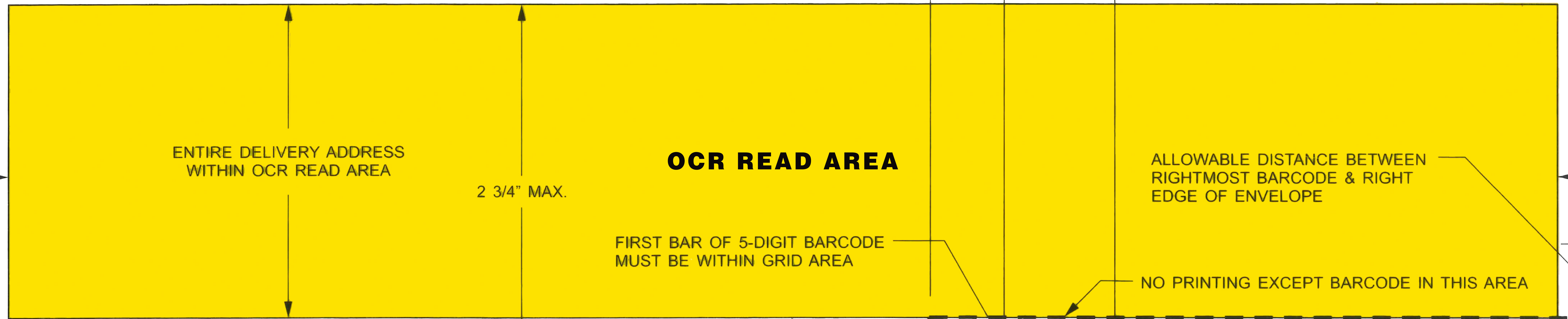
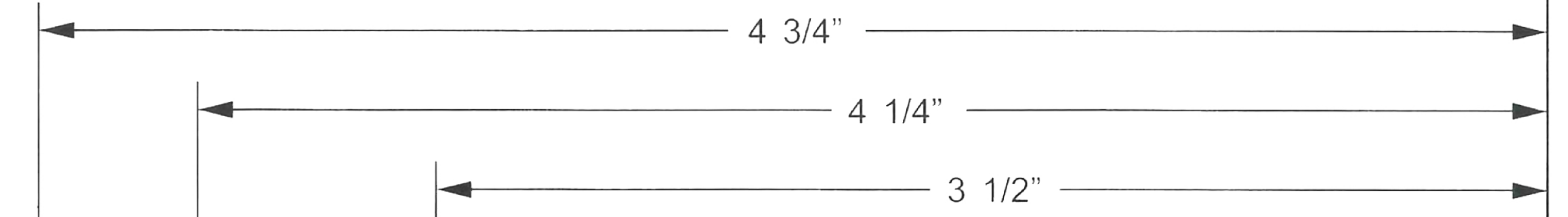
ADDRESS BLOCK BARCODE CLEARANCE



FIM PITCH GUIDE



DOTS INDICATE BAR POSITION FOR EACH FIM TYPE



ALIGN WITH LEFT BOTTOM CORNER OF MAILPIECE TO CHECK ADDRESS BLOCK LOCATION

5/8" MIN.

ALIGN WITH RIGHT BOTTOM CORNER OF MAILPIECE TO CHECK BARCODE AND ADDRESS BLOCK LOCATIONS

MINIMUM LENGTH 5"
 MAXIMUM LENGTH FOR POSTCARD RATE 6"

BARCODE BASELINE (PREFERRED) 1/4" MAXIMUM LENGTH 11 1/2"