CounterPoint®

Durable Counter Mats







Counter Top Space is Too Valuable to Waste!

Put This Valuable Space to Work for You – Add Your Message to Our Counter Mats and

- ✓ Deliver targeted marketing
- ✓ Generate impulse sales
- Create brand awareness
- ✓ Sell MORE!



Get the Most Out of This Valuable Space, Put Counter Point To Work for You and Get

DURABILITY

- Our exclusive Super Duty counter mats are the industry's most durable
- ✓ Our traditional mats print directly to plastic
- ✓ We use high quality materials not available from local printers and generic POP suppliers

QUALITY & RELIABILITY

- America's leading counter mat manufacturer
- ✓ Over 30 years of manufacturing experience
- ✓ Guaranteed quality
- Award winning print quality
- ✓ Manufactured in the USA using materials also made in the USA





DURABILITY GAUGE

BEST	Super Duty Origin'L Fabric® DuraTec®
BETTER	Barely There [™] Peel&Place [®] ReTreads [®]

300D

Heavy Duty

All of Our Products are Manufactured in the USA

Using Materials ALSO Made in the USA!





Durable Counter Mats

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BEST SELLERS

DESCRIPTION	SIZE	CODE
Super Duty Vynex®	11"x 17"x 1/8"	N81117
Frame-It <i>FLEX</i> ® Window	16"x20"x1/8"	FF8160
Peel&Place® Ultra-Thin	14"x19"x.015"	NP1419
Origin'L Fabric®	11"x17"x1/8"	BG117

Best selling standard sizes for each product category shown above.



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LOOK WHO'S USING COUNTER MATS

These businesses, industries, and service providers use counter mats to deliver targeted marketing and generate more sales on counter tops everywhere!

Automotive

Auto Repair Auto Parts Car Rental Auto Sales



Beauty & Health

Cosmetics Jewelry

Lingerie

Dental

Eye Glasses & Contacts Apparel & Fashion

Physical Fitness

Safety



Entertainment

Golf

Boating

Tourism

Toys

Recreation

Motion Picture

Newspaper

Television & Radio

Sports

Gaming



Food & Beverage

Alcohol Fast Food Soft Drink Convenience Store Snack Food Grocery





Hardware

Lawn & Garden Manufacturing Industrial Supply Construction Equipment Supply Equipment Rental Electrical Supply







Medical

Pharmaceutical Dental Doctors Hospitals



Pets

Pet Store Veterinary Pet Products



Retail

Credit Card
Consumer Electronics
Sporting Goods
Home Furnishings
Grocery
Office Supply
Floral
Lottery



Professional

Real Estate Insurance Banking Legal Financial



Services

Advertising
Education
Dry Cleaning
Transportation
Government
Freight & Delivery
Hospitality & Travel
Printing & Publishing





Counter Top Space is Too Valuable to Waste!

Put This Valuable Space to Work for You – Add Your Message to Our Counter Mats







COUNTER MAT OPTIONS

PROTECTIVE SURFACES



A durable, textured, matte finish and our most popular surface

Krystex A durable, "krystal" clear, gloss finish



Antimicrobial fabric with Heavy Duty Base

BASE MATERIALS



Super Duty SAC

Our EXCLUSIVE Supported Adhesion Coating (SAC) makes this the industry's most durable base. SAC is a dimensionally stable film fused to natural open cell rubber. 1/16", 1/8", & 3/16" Thick



Heavy Duty

A durable natural open cell rubber and an economical alternative to Super Duty SAC. 1/16" & 1/8" Thick



ReTreads® 🐴

A great GREEN option using 100% post-consumer recycled tires saved from landfills. 3/32" Thick



DuraTec®

Extremely durable, odorless, latex-free, synthetic rubber backing. Light weight. 1/16" & 1/8" Thick



Peel&Place®

This latex-free, ultra-thin base uses a lo-tac repositionable adhesive. .015" Thick



Barely There[™]

An economical, latex-free, ultra-thin non-slip base. .020" Thick

THICKNESSES Actual material thickness may vary slightly.

~3/16" ~1/8" ~3/32" ~1/16" **FABRIC ONLY** .020" SUPER DUTY ONLY 1.5mm (.059") 3mm (.118") 4.5mm (.177") 6mm (.236")

STANDARD SIZES

9"x 11"	10" x 15"	11" x 17"	12"x 18"	13"x19" 14"x19"	16" x 20"	17" x 26"	19½" x 28"
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DURABILITY GAUGE Relative comparison of all CounterPoint® counter mats.

BEST	BETTER	GOOD
Super Duty	Barely There [™]	Heavy Duty
Origin'L Fabric®	Peel&Place®	
DuraTec®	ReTreads®	

GUARANTEED QUALITY

As the industry's leading counter mat manufacturer, we are confident you will be satisfied with our product's quality. Our 100% Quality Guarantee is our ongoing promise that we will do what it takes to make sure you are satisfied with your purchase's quality.







~1/4"

THE INDUSTRY'S MOST DURABLE COUNTER MAT

SuperDuty

Rugged surfaces and our exclusive Super Duty SAC base creates the industry's most durable mat.

- ✓ Our most popular counter mat
- ✓ Built tough to withstand wear & tear of heavy products like auto parts, hardware, and equipment







SuperDuty Options

Imprint: 4-Color Process Offset Lithography on plastic

Surface: Vynex® durable textured matte or Krystex® gloss finish

Base: Super Duty SAC open cell natural rubber with our exclusive **Supported Adhesion Coating** (SAC)

Minimum: 25 pieces (2-24 pieces QUR), 250 Krystex®

Lead Time:

7-Day Production: PDF for reference only 8-Day Production: After PDF approval Reorder 7-Day: PDF for reference only Rush Services: 2-Day*, 3-Day*, 4-Day*

*Call for availability

Current Pricing: CounterPointPromo.com/sdpx

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Sizes	9" x 11"	10" x 15"	11" x 17"	12" x 18"	13" x 19"	14" x 19"	16" x 20"	17" x 26"	19½" x 28"
	Vynex®								
1/16" 1.5mm	N6911	N61	N61117	N612	N61319	N61419	N61620	N61726	N61952
1/8" 3mm	N8911	N81	N81117	N812	N81319	N81419	N81620	N81726	N81952
3/16" 4.5mm	N4911	N41	N41117	N412	N41319	N41419	N41620	N41726	N41952
J	Krystex®								
1/16" 1.5mm	K6911	K61	K61117	K612	K61319	K61419	K61620	K61726	K61952
1/8" 3mm	K8911	K81	K81117	K812	K81319	K81419	K81620	K81726	K81952
3/16" 4.5mm	K4911	K41	K41117	K412	K41319	K41419	K41620	K41726	K41952

GORILLA TOUGH

3/16"









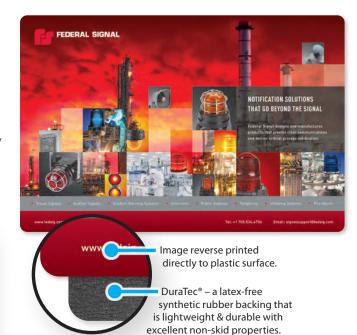
OUR PREMIUM LATEX-FREE COUNTER MAT

DuraTec®

Durability, economy, and freight savings make this **exclusive** mat a popular **long-term** option.

- ✓ Durability that beats Heavy Duty and rivals Super Duty
- ✓ Light weight reduces shipping cost
- ✓ ODORLESS & Latex-Free
- ✓ Great for education and health care promotions







DuraTec® Options

Imprint: 4-Color Process Offset Lithography on plastic Surface: Vynex® durable textured matte or Krystex® gloss finish

Base: DuraTec® durable, odorless, latex-free synthetic rubber

Minimum: 25 pieces (2–24 pieces QUR), 250 Krystex® Lead Time:

7-Day Production: PDF for reference only 8-Day Production: After PDF approval Reorder 7-Day: PDF for reference only

Rush Services: 2-Day*, 3-Day*, 4-Day*

*Call for availability

Current Pricing: CounterPointPromo.com/dtpx



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	Vynex®								
1/16" 1.5mm	ND911	ND1	ND1117	ND12	ND1319	ND1419	ND1620	ND1726	ND1952
1/8" 3mm	NH911	NH1	NH1117	NH12	NH1319	NH1419	NH1620	NH1726	NH1952
	Krystex®								
1/16" 1.5mm	KD911	KD1	KD1117	KD12	KD1319	KD1419	KD1620	KD1726	KD1952
1/8" 3mm	KH911	KH1	KH1117	KH12	KH1319	KH1419	KH1620	KH1726	KH1952

1/16" 1.5mm 1/8" 3mm



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OUR ECONOMY RUBBER BACKED COUNTER MAT

Heavy Duty

Economy rubber base and rugged surfaces create a popular general purpose option.

- ✓ Lower cost, less durable alternative to SuperDuty
- ✓ Medium to long term use







Heavy Duty Options

Imprint: 4-Color Process Offset Lithography on plastic Surface: Vynex® durable textured matte or Krystex® gloss finish

Base: Heavy Duty open cell natural rubber

Minimum: 25 pieces (2-24 pieces QUR), 250 Krystex®

Lead Time:

7-Day Production: PDF for reference only 8-Day Production: After PDF approval Reorder 7-Day: PDF for reference only

Rush Services: 2-Day*, 3-Day*, 4-Day*

*Call for availability

Current Pricing: CounterPointPromo.com/hdpx

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	Vynex®								
1/16" 1.5mm	NT911	NT1	NT1117	NT12	NT1319	NT1419	NT1620	NT1726	NT1952
1/8" 3mm	NG911	NG1	NG1117	NG12	NG1319	NG1419	NG1620	NG1726	NG1952
	Krystex®								
1/16" 1.5mm	KT911	KT1	KT1117	KT12	KT1319	KT1419	KT1620	KT1726	KT1952
1/8" 3mm	KG911	KG1	KG1117	KG12	KG1319	KG1419	KG1620	KG1726	KG1952

1/16" 1.5mm 1/8" 3mm









OUR SOFT BUT TOUGH FABRIC COUNTER MAT

Origin'L Fabric

Antimicrobial

Antimicrobial fabric surface and cushioned rubber base protects items placed on the mat as well as the countertop.

- ✓ Cushioned display surface ideal for glass countertops
- ✓ Great for sensitive products like eyeglasses, guns, and jewelry
- ✓ Great for game boards & play mats
- ✓ Rolls up for easy transportation and storage





Antimicrobial additive helps prevent microbe growth on the mat's surface.





Origin'L Fabric Options

Imprint: 4-Color Process Dye Sublimation
Surface: Antimicrobial Origin'L Fabric
Base: Heavy duty open cell natural rubber
fused to the polyester fabric surface

Minimum: 25 (2-24 pieces QUR)

Lead Time:

7-Day Production: PDF for reference only 8-Day Production: After PDF approval Reorder 7-Day: PDF for reference only

Rush Services: 2-Day*, 3-Day*, 4-Day*

*Call for availability

Current Pricing: CounterPointPromo.com/fapx

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Sizes	9" x 11"	10" x 15"	11" x 17"	12" x 18"	13" x 19"	14" x 19"	16" x 20"	17" x 26"	19½" x 28"				
	Origin'L F	Origin'L Fabric® Antimicrobial											
1/16" 1.5mm	BT911	BT1	BT117	BT12	BT1319	BT1419	BT1620	BT1726	BT1952				
1/8" 3mm	BG911	BG1	BG117	BG12	BG1319	BG1419	BG1620	BG1726	BG1952				
1/4" 6mm	BB911	BB1	BB117	BB12	BB1319	BB1419	BB1620	BB1726	BB1952				

1/16" 1/8" 1/4" 1.5mm 3mm 6mm







OUR RECYCLED RUBBER COUNTER MAT

ReTreads

Durable & Eco-friendly – built on 100% post-consumer recycled tire rubber saved from landfills.

- ✓ Great for auto/trucking promotions
- ✓ Ask about adding the Recycle or ReTreads® logo
- ✓ A great **GREEN** option

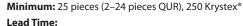


ReTreads® Options

Imprint: 4-Color Process Offset Lithography on plastic

Surface: Vynex® durable textured matte or Krystex® gloss finish

Base: ReTreads® 100% post-consumer recycled tire rubber saved from landfills



7-Day Production: PDF for reference only 8-Day Production: After PDF approval Reorder 7-Day: PDF for reference only

Rush Services: 2-Day*, 3-Day*, 4-Day*

*Call for availability

 $\textbf{Current Pricing:} \underline{CounterPointPromo.com/rtpx}$





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DISTINCTIVE

Sizes	9" x 11"	10" x 15"	11" x 17"	12" x 18"	13" x 19"	14" x 19"	16" x 20"	17" x 26"	19½" x 28"
	Vynex®								
3/32" { 2mm {	NY911	NY1	NY1117	NY12	NY1319	NY1419	NY1620	NY1726	NY1952
3/32" }	Krystex®								
2mm (KY911	KY1	KY1117	KY12	KY1319	KY1419	KY1620	KY1726	KY1952

3/32" 2mm



OUR ULTRA-THIN COUNTER MAT Barely There

Thinner than a dime, and worth every cent! These ultra-thin mats have a low-profile presence but deliver high-profile impact!

- ✓ Non-slip backing keeps promotion in place without adhesive
- ✓ Lightweight reduces shipping cost
- ✓ Very durable for applications that do not require a foam cushion



HERE

GET YOUR ORAL ONCOLOGY MEDICATIONS FROM OUR PHARMACY.





Barely There™ Options

Imprint: 4-Color Process Offset Lithography on plastic Surface: Vynex® durable textured matte or Krystex® gloss finish

Base: Barely There[™] ultra-thin, latex-free, non-slip polymer. Barely half the thickness of a dime

Minimum: 25 pieces (2-24 pieces QUR), 250 Krystex®

Lead Time:

7-Day Production: PDF for reference only 8-Day Production: After PDF approval Reorder 7-Day: PDF for reference only

Rush Services: 2-Day*, 3-Day*, 4-Day*

*Call for availability

Current Pricing: CounterPointPromo.com/btpx



Sizes	9" x 11"	10" x 15"	11" x 17"	12" x 18"	13" x 19"	14" x 19"	16" x 20"	17" x 26"	19½" x 28"
	Vynex®								
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Ĺ	KR911	KR1	KR1117	KR12	KR1319	KR1419	KR1620	KR1726	KR1952



.020'





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OUR ADHESIVE BACKED COUNTER MAT

Roller Grill Snack Iten

Peel&Place®

Low-profile – virtually flush with the counter top – kept in place with our special lo-tac **repositionable** adhesive.

- ✓ Lightweight reduces shipping cost
- ✓ Very durable for applications that do not require a foam cushion
- ✓ Also use as signs, window stickers, durable labels, and more



Peel&Place® latex-free, ultra-thin base with a thick lo-tac repositionable adhesive.



Peel&Place® Options

Imprint: 4-Color Process Offset Lithography on plastic

Surface: Vynex® durable textured matte or

Krystex® gloss finish

Base: Peel&Place® lo-tac, latex-free, repositionable adhesive

Minimum: 25 pieces (2–24 pieces QUR), 250 Krystex®

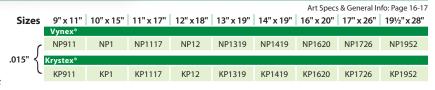
Lead Time:

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Rush Services: 2-Day*, 3-Day*, 4-Day*

*Call for availability

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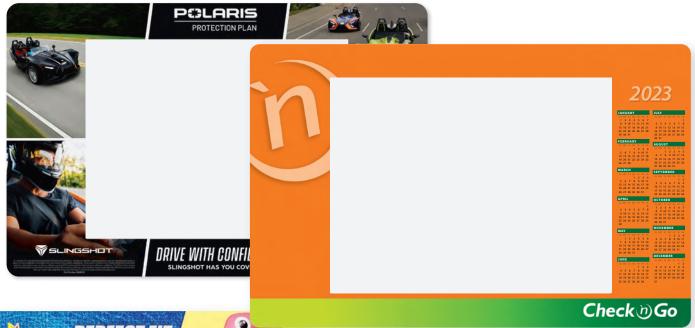




Easily update your promotion by simply changing an insert, keeping your content current and extending the life of the counter mat.

- ✓ Permanent message on the outside and interchangeable message on the inside
- ✓ Great for location-specific information and frequently changing pricing, menus, or promotions
- ✓ Easily build custom windows into the art
- ✓ Non-magnetic





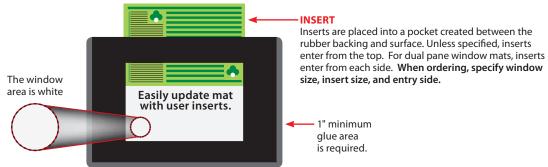








OUR INTERCHANGEABLE CONTENT COUNTER MAT





Change window content anytime!



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Frame-It FLEX® Options

Imprint: 4-Color Process Offset Lithography on plastic

Surface: Vynex® durable textured matte finish

Base: Super Duty SAC open cell natural rubber with our exclusive **Supported Adhesion Coating** (SAC)

Base: DuraTec® durable, odorless, latex-free synthetic rubber

Base: Barely There[™] ultra-thin, latex-free, non-slip polymer. Barely half the thickness of a dime

Base: Peel&Place® lo-tac, latex-free, repositionable adhesive

Minimum: 100 Lead Time:

9-Day Production: PDF for reference only 10-Day Production: After PDF approval Reorder 9-Day: PDF for reference only

Rush Services: 3-Day*, 4-Day*, 5-Day*

*Call for availability

Current Super Duty Pricing: CounterPointPromo.com/xspx
Current DuraTec® Pricing: CounterPointPromo.com/xdpx
Current BarelyThere® Pricing: CounterPointPromo.com/xbpx
Current Peel&Place® Pricing: CounterPointPromo.com/xppx

Sizes	9" x 11"	10" x 15"	11" x 17"	12" x 18"	13" x 19"	14" x 19"	16" x 20"	17" x 26"				
	Super Duty	,										
1/16" 1.5mm	FF6911	FF61	FF6111	FF612	FF6139	FF6149	FF6160	FF6172				
1/8" 3mm	FF8911	FF81	FF8111	FF812	FF8139	FF8149	FF8160	FF8172				
	DuraTec®											
1/16" 1.5mm	FFD911	FFD1	FFD111	FFD12	FFD139	FFD149	FFD160	FFD172				
1/8" 3mm	FFH911	FFH1	FFH111	FFH12	FFH139	FFH149	FFH160	FFH172				
	Barely There®											
.020"	FFR911	FFR1	FFR111	FFR12	FFR139	FFR149	FFR160	FFR172				
	Peel & Plac	e®										
.015"	FFP911	FFP1	FFP111	FFP12	FFP139	FFP149	FFP160	FFP172				
WINDOW	5¼"x8¼"	5¼"x8¼"	81/4" x 103/4" 81/4" x 133/4"	81/4" x 103/4" 81/4" x 133/4"	81/4" x 133/4" 103/4" x 163/4"	8¼" x 13¾" 10¾" x 16¾"	10¾"x16¾"	10¾" x 16¾"				
INSERT	5½"x8½"	5½"x8½"	8½" x 11" 8½" x 14"	8½" x 11" 8½" x 14"	8½"x14" 11"x17"	8½"x14" 11"x17"	11" x 17"	11" x 17"				
MAX WIN	7"x9"	8" x 13"	9" x 15"	10"x16"	12" x 17"	12"x17"	14" x 18"	15"x 24"				



PEEL&PLACE BASE

.015"

1/16" 1/8" 1.5mm 3mm









PRODUCT SAFETY

✓ CPSIA ✓ Prop 65

Our products are tested by Bureau Veritas to ensure they conform to applicable CPSIA and Prop 65 safety standards. All of our products passed the applicable tests. Unless the counter mat is specifically targeted for children, a CPSIA Certificate of Conformity is not usually required. View our Certificate of Conformity in the Product Safety section of our website at CounterPointPromo.com/safety.

FREE PDF "PAPER" PROOF



- ✓ Full color PDF to confirm the art received and used is correct
- ✔ FREE Emailed with every order & reorder
- ✓ Sent within 24 hours of receipt of PO and usable art

When the FREE PDF "Paper" Proof is sent for "reference ONLY", it means production will begin without waiting for PDF proof approval. This PDF is not an accurate color proof – use for design reference only.

STANDARD LEAD TIME

Production begins the business day <u>following</u> receipt of PO and approved, usable art. Art that is not usable requires additional lead time. Production lead times are based on orders up to 2,500 pieces. For larger quantities, call for production times.

Packaging requires additional production time determined by the type of packaging required.

Order with Production Proof: Production time following proof approval is 8 days, 10 days for Frame-It® FLEX. Rush options may be available – see below

Traditional Mats	FREE PDF Proof
7-Days 8-Days	For Reference Only Approval Required
Reorder 7-Days	For Reference Only
Frame-It® FLEX	FREE PDF Proof

RUSH SERVICES

Based on 2,500 piece order. See product options for rush service availability.

2-DAYProcess Only \$100/v \$62.50/v \$50/v \$37.50/v \$25/v

Contact us for order verification. All order details, including PO, art which is usable without modification or change, shipping instructions, and payment arrangements must be received by Noon Pacific Standard Time. Art must conform to our Art Check List (see Inside Back Cover).

FREE PDF "Paper" Proof sent for reference ONLY. Add one day or \$50/v for PDF approval if required. Quantities over 2,500 may incur additional charges – call for details.

Rush charges cover any special handling, overtime, and other factors necessary to meet a rush schedule. Order changes made after an order is submitted will affect delivery dates and rush charges may be incurred to maintain scheduled ship date.



PRODUCTION SPECS

Standard Production Time: Production begins the business day following receipt of PO and approved, output-ready art. Art that is not output-ready requires additional lead time. Standard lead times are based on orders up to 2,500 pieces. For larger quantities, call for production times.

7-DAY: PDF proof for reference only **8-DAY:** PDF proof approval required

Reorder 7-DAY: PDF proof for reference only Frame-It® FLEX: Add two days to above lead times Custom Dies: Add three days to above lead times

Packaging: Production time determined by the type of packaging required

Order with Production Proof: Production time following proof approval is 8 days, 10 days for Frame-It® FLEX. Rush options are available.

Rush Orders: Contact us for order verification. All order details, including PO, art which is usable without modification or change, shipping instructions, and payment arrangements must be received by **Noon Pacific Standard Time**. Art must conform to our Art Check List (see Inside Back Cover) and must be usable without modification or change. Your order will not ship as requested if unusable art is submitted. See product options for rush service availability - based on 2,500 piece order. **FREE PDF "Paper" Proof sent for reference ONLY.** Add one day or \$50/v for PDF approval if required. Quantities over 2,500 may incur additional charges.

2-Day Production: \$100.00/v, Process Color Only

3-Day Production: \$62.50/v 4-Day Production: \$50.00/v 5-Day Production: \$37.50/v 6-Day Production: \$25.00/v

See product options for rush service availability.

Rush charges cover any special handling, overtime and other factors necessary to meet a rush schedule. Order changes made after an order is submitted will affect delivery dates and rush charges may be incurred to maintain scheduled ship date. Additional rush charges, when required, are \$50/v (minimum) per day rushed.

Pricing: All prices include up to a 4-Color print but exclude a set-up fee. All prices are subject to change without notice. To ensure you have the best possible price, contact your Product Specialist for an aggressive BottomLine™ quote.

Terms: Standard credit terms are Net 30 upon approved credit. A signed credit application is required. Terms for credit card payments are Net 10. Late payments will incur a 1½% per month late fee. Prepayment of initial order may be required.

Marketing: It is our practice to use overruns for samples and product images in our advertising. If this is not acceptable, please indicate this to us in writing.

Co-Op Programs: Co-op programs are happily considered. Contact your Product Specialist with details and CounterPoint® will develop a program to fit your needs.

Cancelled Orders: If an order is cancelled, you are responsible for charges incurred up to the point of cancellation. **Important Note:** Lead times and rush charges are based upon the receipt of final art approval and complete order instructions – not when an order is submitted. Art that is not usable usually requires additional lead time. Always allow time to acquire art and proof approval. Packaging or custom die requirements may also increase lead time.

Returns: Authorization is required prior to return of product. Unauthorized returns will not be accepted. No credit will be issued for product that cannot be returned.

Box Weights: Box weights may vary depending on the actual raw materials used. Some variation is normal and expected.

Custom Dies: Die/handling charge is usually \$250/v, but may be more depending on the size and complexity of the pattern. All dies created by us remain factory property.

Multiple Destination Charge: The first two drop shipments are free. The charge for each additional location depends on the quantity per location. If each location is shipped in full-case multiples, the charge is \$12.50/v per location. If each location is shipped the same non-standard case pack quantity, the charge is \$18.75/v. If the quantity per location is different and requires non-standard case packs,

the cost per location is \$37.50/v. There will be an additional set-up charge of \$31.25/v and additional lead time will be added to your order. Drop ship lists must be submitted in our Excel spreadsheet. Any instructions not present at the time of quoting may alter pricing when the actual instructions are received. Fulfillment charges are not included in the Multiple Destination charges. If a fulfillment quote is needed, please provide requirements.

Packaging: Standard CounterPoint® packaging is in bulk. Special poly bagging with a standard 2 mil. poly bag is \$.438/v per piece. Shrink wrapping is available at \$.438/v per piece. To include a supplied insert or label with the product, please add \$.125/v. Labelling boxes is \$25/v plus \$1.25/v per box. CounterPoint® will quote most types of standard packaging including shrink wrap and custom retail packaging. Packaging will increase required lead time. Projects requiring non-standard case-packs will incur additional charges.

Minimum Order: See product pages for minimum order quantities.

Shortages & Overages: All orders are subject to 5% over or under run. Exact quantities incur a 10% surcharge.

Job Changes: Job change orders that occur once a project is in our system may incur additional or duplicate charges as applicable. Changes may also affect scheduled delivery dates. To avoid additional charges or delays, nail down all loose ends prior to job submission.

Shipping: F.O.B. Nevada. In accordance with the shipping terms of F.O.B., the responsibility of an order transfers to the customer when the order is shipped. Claims for shipping damage MUST be made by the customer when the shipment arrives. CounterPoint® accepts no responsibility or liability for carrier-caused delivery delays, problems, or product damages.



Important Note: Lead times and rush charges are based upon the receipt of final art approval and complete order instructions – not when an order is submitted. Art that is not usable usually requires additional lead time. Always allow time to acquire art and proof approval. Packaging or custom die requirements may also increase lead time.





GENERAL ART SPECS

The following, in conjunction with the "Art Check List" (Inside Back Cover), outlines the production specifications for the successful completion of your project.

Art Specifications: Art must be usable digital files and should conform to the art specifications found in our "Art Check List" on the Inside Back Cover. Changes made after production begins will incur additional charges.

Color Target: Send samples of printing or items to match for color when your order is placed. We can't match your target if we can't see it!

Art Services: Any time art must be created or modified, art services will be billed at \$75/v per hour.

FREE PDF "PAPER" Proof: When the FREE PDF "Paper" Proof is sent for "reference ONLY", it means production will begin without waiting for PDF proof approval. This PDF is not an accurate color proof – use for design reference only.

Production Proof: \$300/v. Production proofs are recommended whenever color matching is critical and may be required on larger orders.

Registration: Please allow $\pm 1/16$ " registration variance of the print to the product perimeter.

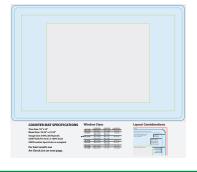
Email & FTP: Submit files smaller than 3Mb via email to your Product Specialist. Submit files up to 80Mb via the ftp upload utility at CounterPointPromo.com/upload. Remember to also send a printed sample of what you expect the art to look like. See our Art Check List (next page) for details on art submission.

Borders: When art includes a border or other art element that runs parallel to the counter mat's edges, the naked eye can distinguish slight variations in print positioning. For this reason, we do not recommend the use of a border because the nature of manufacturing limits registration capabilities to $\pm 1/16$ ".

Offset Lithography: All images submitted for hard surface counter mats are printed as submitted. Image resolution should be set at 300ppi. Remember that effective image resolution is decreased when an image is enlarged in a layout program; so, images should be 300ppi at 100% size in the final document.

While standard offset reproduces color and detail very well, the product surface can sometimes alter the color and appearance of the printed image. When color is critical, we always recommend a production proof. Fonts and type elements smaller than 8 point may not be readable.

PMS/Spot Colors: All PMS/Spot colors will be converted to 4-Color Process. When referencing a PMS color in a process color print, refer to a Pantone® COLOR BRIDGE® to see how the color translates when converted to CMYK. Most colors change when converted to CMYK.



Dye Sublimation: Sublimation is a specialized process that prints special heat activated inks on an advanced "transfer" paper. Heat and pressure are applied to the transfer, causing the ink to turn into a gas dye, which then sublimates into the fabric. Once the image is transferred, it is permanent and washable.

This heat activated ink transfer process produces a 100% to 400% dot gain, which impacts all reversed or "knocked out" art. When reversed elements are too small, the dot gain may fill in the reversed area or eliminate it completely. For this reason, we recommend all reversed type be set to bold. Serif fonts such as Times should be set at 18 point or greater and sans serif fonts like Helvetica should be set at 12 point or greater. All reversed lines should be 1.5 points or greater. Image resolution should be 300ppi. The sublimation process is designed to produce a "pleasing" representation – not an exact match – of the original.

During the sublimation printing process, a color target is used as a reference only. Color variation from a color target is normal and expected. When color is critical, we recommend a production proof.

Special Inks – Sublimation: All sublimation prints are created using 4-Color Process and 4-Color Process conversions for spot colors. Within the limits of sublimation, precise matching of PMS colors is not always possible. Metallic and fluorescent colors are not available. When color matching is critical, always order a production proof.

Original Size: All counter mats are initially cut to ordered size. However, since the fabric counter mats have a natural rubber base and the sublimation process uses high heat and pressure, the dimensions of the final product may vary from ordered size. This shrinkage and/or growth is a normal and expected effect of the sublimation process.

Color Conversion: Colors should be defined as either spot or CMYK (4-Color Process). All spot colors will be matched to the Pantone® COATED color guide. Converting spot or RGB colors to CMYK will change the appearance of the color, sometimes dramatically.

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VART CHECK LIST

A quick test to ensure success! Art and digital files that pass this pre-flight "test" usually flow through our system with ease. These guidelines are also explained in detail at CounterPointPromo.com/production.



- ✓ 1/8" Bleed when art extends off of the mat
- ✓ Critical elements at least 1/4" inside mat's edge

2 Image Resolution

Image resolution MUST be 300ppi or higher. EVERY file used to create the final piece MUST be included and editable. This includes linked or placed files.

- ✓ Save images at 300ppi/dpi, sized to 100%
- ✓ Save images as .psd, .tif, .eps, or .ai files
- ✓ Include editable versions of *all* files

3 Fonts

- ✓ For Sublimation: at least 18pt serif, 12pt sans-serif
- ✓ For Offset and UV Ink Jet: at least 8pt
- ✓ All reversed type set to bold
- ✓ Convert all fonts to outlines/curves
- ✓ Include all Screen & Printer fonts

4 File Formats

✓InDesign® ✓Hi-Res PDF ✓Photoshop® ✓Illustrator® Word, Publisher, PowerPoint, and Excel are not acceptable file formats.

6 Art Submission

- √FTP: <u>CounterPointPromo.com/upload</u> (3-80Mb)
- ✓ Email your Product Specialist directly (<3Mb)
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6 Color Target / Output Sample

Include a complete, full sized hard copy of the composite art submitted. These may be color or black & white, but must be printed from the final file(s) you provide. Print 4-Color Process targets using calibrated output devices.

- ✓ Calibrated Color Target ✓ Black & White
- ✓ COATED PMS Color Callout

Colors – Process & PMS

All PMS/Spot colors will be converted to 4-Color Process. When referencing a PMS color in a process color print, refer to a Pantone® COLOR BRIDGE® coated guide to see how the color translates when converted to CMYK. Most colors change when converted to CMYK.

✓ CMYK 4-Color Process

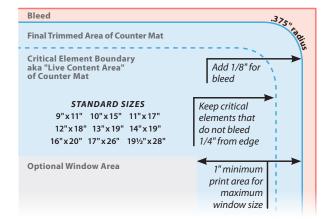
8 Design Tips

- Avoid small type and other thin elements for fabric counter mats
- ✓ Include all files, including fonts and images
- ✓ Avoid borders, text, and art elements that run close to and parallel to the mat's edge
- ✓ Convert fonts to outlines/curves
- √ For a list of standard fonts available for typesetting, visit CounterPointPromo.com/fonts
- ✓ Supply a printed copy of the final layout and color samples or color targets

9 Corner Radius

- ✓ Standard corner radius is 3/8" (.375")
- ✓ Any other corner radius requires a custom die
- ✓ Square corners are NOT recommended

Layout Considerations





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- FOOD & BEVERAGE - INDUSTRIAL SUPPLY

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DRY CLEANING - PROMOTIONAL PRODUCT

FOOD SERVICE - CONSTRUCTION - RENTAL CAR - SPORTS - TELEVISION - RADIO

OFFICE SUPPLY - SPORTING GOODS - INSURANCE -



AUTO PARTS

MEDICAL - PET SUPPLIES - PUBLISHING - SERVICE -

- RECREATION - FAST FOOD

GAMING - GROCERY - CREDIT CARD - FURNITURE -

ADVERTISING - GOLF -



AUTO SALES & SERVICE -

- SAFETY - BANKING - SNACK FOOD - FLORAL

BOATING - SOFT DRINK -

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FITNESS - NEWSPAPER -

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