

CubiScan® 110 case study with John Day Company



Reducing Parcel Shipping Charges

John Day Company® – Innovation Leads to Productivity

The John Day Company is a wholesaler and distributor of agricultural, industrial, material handling, safety supplies, and equipment. They believe in serving their customers' needs with innovative products, technical expertise, and personalized service. This way of business supports the production and procurement of their customers.

Located in Omaha, Nebraska, John Day has been serving its customers since 1909. On average, they ship 100 orders a day and manage 20,000 SKUs. The John Day Company decided to look into a dimensioning device so that they could continue to increase their customers' productivity.

Miscalculating Dimensional Weight

As a UPS® CTP customer, the John Day Company needed a way to obtain accurate dimensional weight for all their small package shipments. As more and more carriers require dimensional weight, distributors need to be able to keep up. Gathering dimensional data manually to calculate dimensional weight is inefficient and usually contains mistakes. With so many products to manage, John Day needed a way to streamline their shipping process and minimize shipping charge corrections.



The Quick (and Accurate) Fix

The answer was the CubiScan® 110. Joseph Davis, Warehouse Manager at the John Day Company, reported that before purchasing a measuring device, “We were having problems obtaining correct dimensional weight for shipping via UPS.” This resulted in unnecessary and costly billing corrections. Joseph goes on to say, “We also wanted to improve our accuracy and efficiency by collecting accurate cube data, and stop wasting time manually measuring our shipments.”

With this dimensioning and weighing system, John Day was able to quickly and accurately gather dimensional data on their shipments—resulting in precise dimensional weights. Once the



dimensional data was obtained, the John Day Company was easily able to transfer the information to UPS WorldShip® using CubiScan software called Qbit-Xfer™. Eliminate the manual process of measuring, calculating, and transferring dimensional weight information. The challenges of dim weight are easy to overcome with the right cubing system.

CubiScan 110 – Eliminating Costly Mistakes

With a new twist on static dimensioning, the CubiScan 110 provides you with a flexible and convenient layout that allows for pass-through package processing. The CubiScan 110 can measure objects up to 30 x 24 x 36 inches with

an accuracy of 0.1 inches. Easily gather data and pass it along to nearly any system. Imagine what you could do with accurate dim weight data that is automatically transferred where you need it to go. Eliminate costly mistakes and save time with the CubiScan 110.