

# Getting Started with RFID —Intelligent Labels

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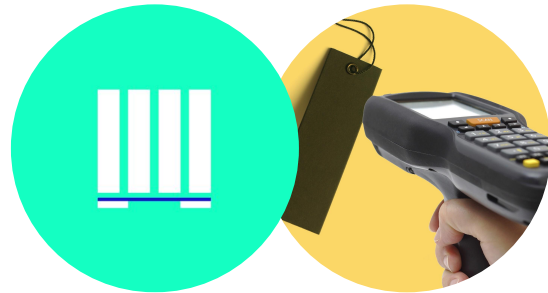


# What is RFID?

# RFID vs. Barcode



## Solution—Item level UX-enablers



**Ultra High Frequency**  
**UHF, 868-915MHz**

**High Frequency**  
**HF(NFC), 13.56MHz**

Read Range

3-7m (passive)

10cm-1m (passive)

Cost of Tags

Low

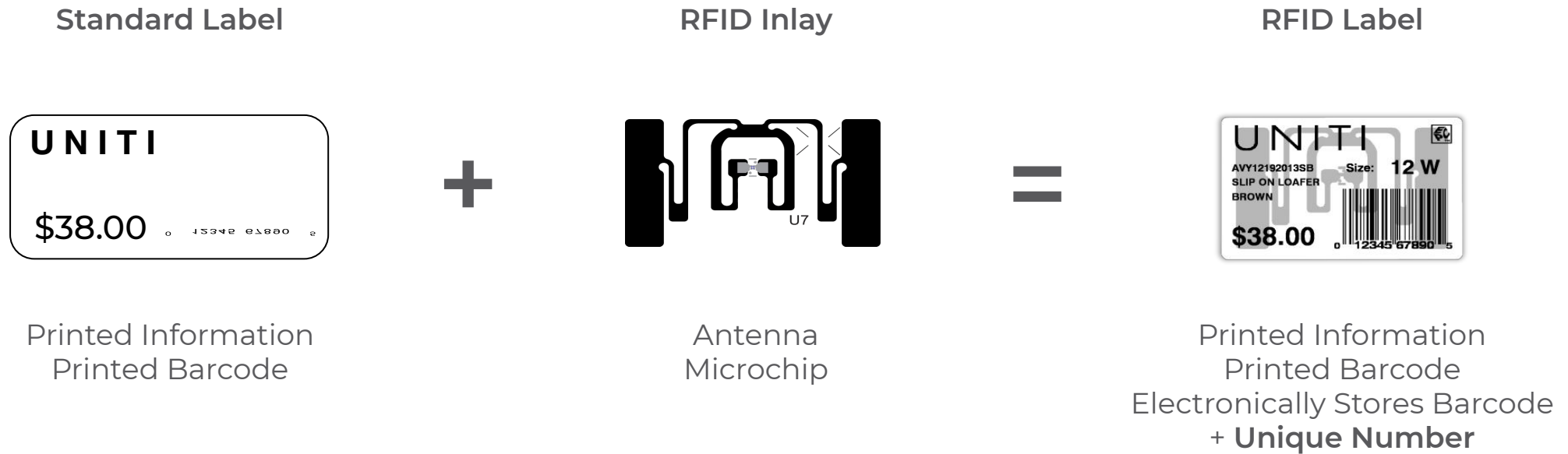
Medium to Low

Applications

Logistics Supply Chain  
Baggage Tracking  
Pallet & Case Tracking

Smart Cards  
Consumer Engagement

# Components of Passive RFID



RFID Inlay = IC + Antenna + Carrier  
RFID Tag = finished ticket or label encasing the IC and Antenna

# What's Encoded in a Retail Tag?

SGTIN = GTIN (UPC or EAN 13) + Unique Serial Number

Company Prefix    Item Reference    Serial

EAN  
5060204120848

05060204120848 + 100000000001

GTIN                      Serial Number

3039EE2901926D174876E801

SGTIN-96

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UPC  
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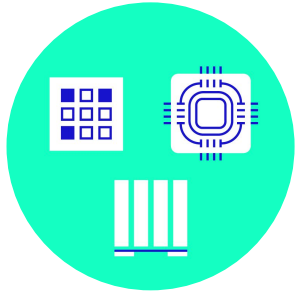
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# RFID Basics



1

An RFID enabled tag, ticket or label



2

An RFID reader (fixed or mobile)



3

Software, on premise or cloud based

## RFID systems consist of three components

Each tag contains a unique identification number that is then linked to additional product data on a secure database. RFID tags and tickets can therefore identify each individual item.

## RFID tickets allow you to:

- Read the RFID tag without line of sight
- Read multiple items hanging on a rack or stacked on a shelf very quickly
- Read multiple items in a box without opening the packaging

# RFID Market Growth





# RFID Market Growth Forecast

- Expected EU volume market growth 2019 vs 2018: +28%
- Expected EU volume market growth 2023 vs 2018: +143%



# RFID Market Use Cases

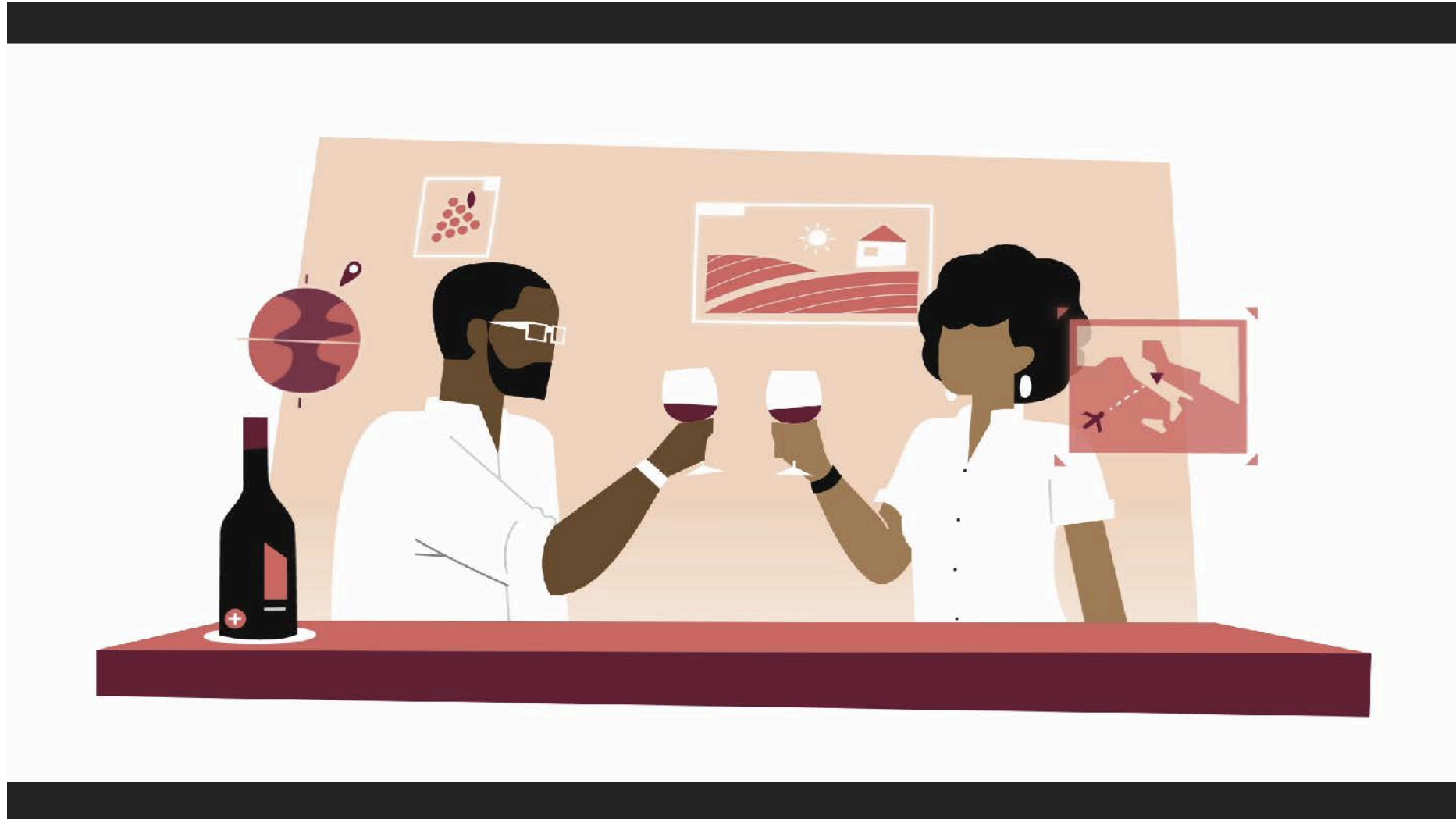


Today  
**Digital identity means that  
products have a fingerprint**

Tomorrow

**Products will have more than a fingerprint,  
they'll have a birth certificate and a digital life!**

# Tomorrow

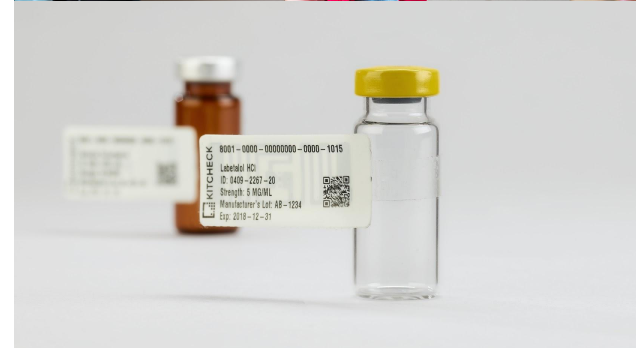


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# Beyond Apparel—Converter Segment Opportunities

RFID is profoundly transforming the industries that we serve and is opening up a whole realm of emerging segment opportunities for intelligent labels.

In Avery Dennison we have a vertical segment approach, offering specialized solutions, designed for maximum performance in the key market applications.



# RFID Application Cases in Fresh Food



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# Food Supplier Reynolds Increases Sustainability by Enabling UHF RFID

## The Challenge

- **60,000 disposable cardboard cartons** each week to customers around 4,000 different sites
- Retailers requesting deliveries in plastic returnable trays to **lower environmental impact** and reduce costs
- **£190,000 worth of crates lost** in yr prior to implementation of RFID
- **Prove ownership of trays** that get diverted into other organizations

## The Results

- **£46k annual labour cost saving** on assembling and managing cardboard boxes vs reusable trays
- **40% reduction of storage space** when storing nested plastic crates versus stacked cardboard
- **Early 6 months Initial payout** in the first year of full deployment
- **92% return rates** in the first year of RFID deployment
- Swiftly **resolves delivery disputes** and ensures accurate payments





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# RFID Application Cases in Healthcare

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# Kitcheck RFID Implementation in Hospitals and Pharmacies

## The Challenge

- Low inventory accuracy of kits and emergency boxes in Hospitals
- Handwritten paperwork and long processing time
- High risks of medical error
- Hospital pharmacy kits contain 10–20% expired or incorrect medications
- Outdated/Recalled medications (Labour intensive/Manual)

## The Results

- Nearly 100% read rates
- Reduce Medical Error – 99.9% accuracy (Hospital pharmacy kits contain 10 – 20% expired or incorrect medications)
- Verification of kits and emergency boxes time reduced from 30 min to 3 min
- Eliminates handwritten paperwork and reduce processing time



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# Healthcare



# RFID Application Cases in Aviation

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# Delta Airline Application Case

## The Challenge

- Globally tracking over 180 million bags annually
- Trace across 344 airports (in the US)
- The cost of a mishandled bag is \$100 (in 2020, lost baggage may cost \$2.7B)
- Mishandling of baggage for the past 5 years, it is still ranked either as the 1st or 2nd main complaint
- Per IATA, 81% of passengers want to track bags in real time

## The Results

- Nearly 100% read rates
- Reduce the likelihood of lost baggage
- Enhance security
- Improve on-time departures and customer satisfaction
- Fulfills IATA Resolution 753\*
- Improve bag throughput by 16%








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## Aviation



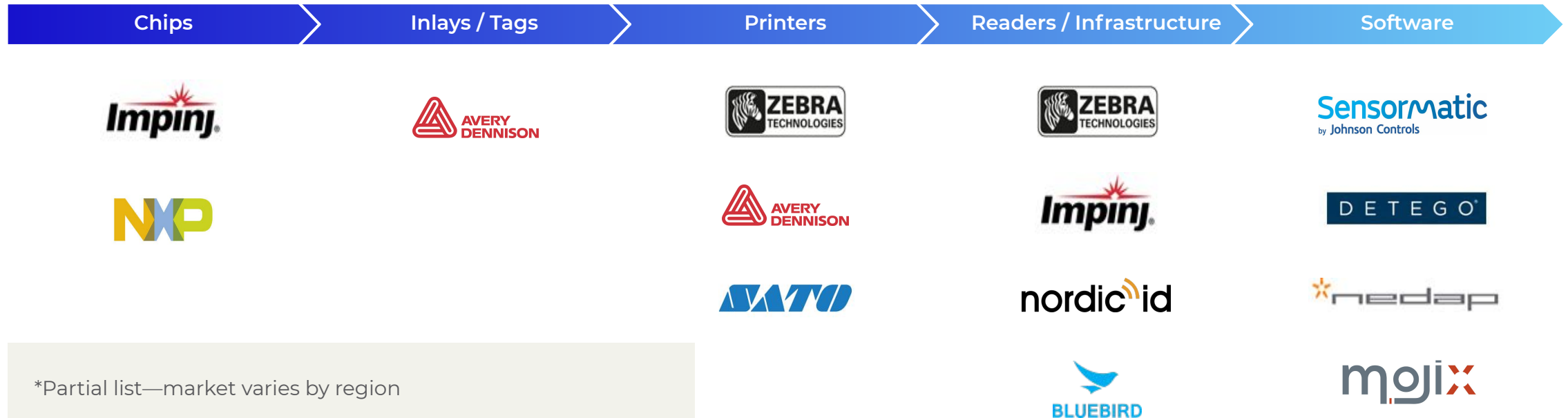
# Segment Specific Examples

Type	Key Use Cases	ROI Drivers
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• In-store inventory accuracy</li><li>• Omni-channel fulfillment (SFS, BOPIS)</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Sales uplift , increased NPS</li><li>• Fewer markdowns, labor savings</li></ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Traceability – Food supply chain safety</li><li>• Authenticity of product</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Reduced food waste</li><li>• Labor productivity</li></ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Baggage tracking</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Fewer lost bags</li><li>• Increased baggage fees</li><li>• Increase in customer satisfaction</li></ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Medication and supply tracking</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Staff productivity</li><li>• Chargebacks</li><li>• Fewer expired products</li><li>• Safety!</li></ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• RTI Management</li><li>• Parts tracking</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Better usage of existing RTI's</li><li>• Improved information management lifecycle</li></ul>

# Why Partner With Us



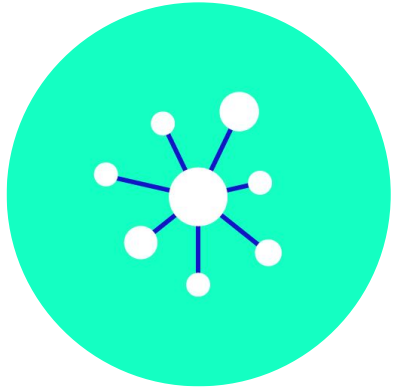
# RAIN RFID is Becoming Mature



\*Partial list—market varies by region

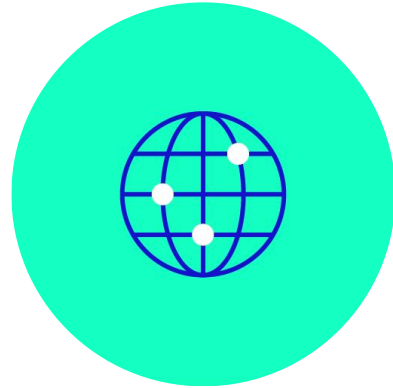
- Large public companies play across the value chain and are driving growth
- Industry organizations (GSI, Auburn, RAIN RFID) promote standards and adoption
- Mature, scalable deployment processes and methodologies

# Why Partner With Avery Dennison?



## Strategic Commitment

- Strategic investment in RFID capacity, business case capabilities and innovation focus
- The World's Largest UHF RFID partner
- Industry thought leadership with groups like GS1, RAIN RFID, Auburn University



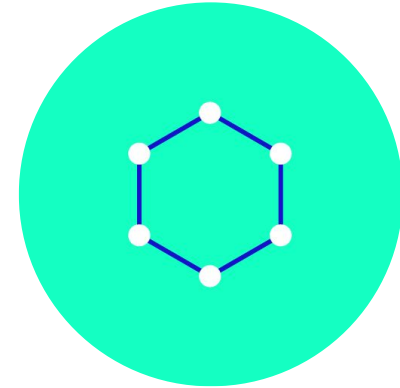
## Capabilities Overview

- (20+) billion tags shipped to date
- 1000+ patents worldwide
- Proven 5-step pilot process to validate ROI
- Leading new adoption
- Enabled > 100 engagements across 5,000 factories



## Market Support

- Train your sales staff
- Technical support
- Knowledge on standards like GS1, VDA, NFC
- Free sample support
- Order shipment within 24h.



## Be a part of a global ecosystem

- Support from leading system integrators to accelerate your RFID projects
- Connect with RFID inserting machine manufacturers
- Technical support from RFID hardware suppliers

# Global Manufacturing Capabilities

## ▲ I.Lab

- Oegstgeest, Netherlands
- Mentor, USA
- Pune, India
- Kunshan, China

## ▲ RFID Inlay Manufacturing

- Timisoara, Romania
- Juarez, Mexico
- Nansha, China
- Panyu, China

## ▲ Customer Design + Innovation Centers

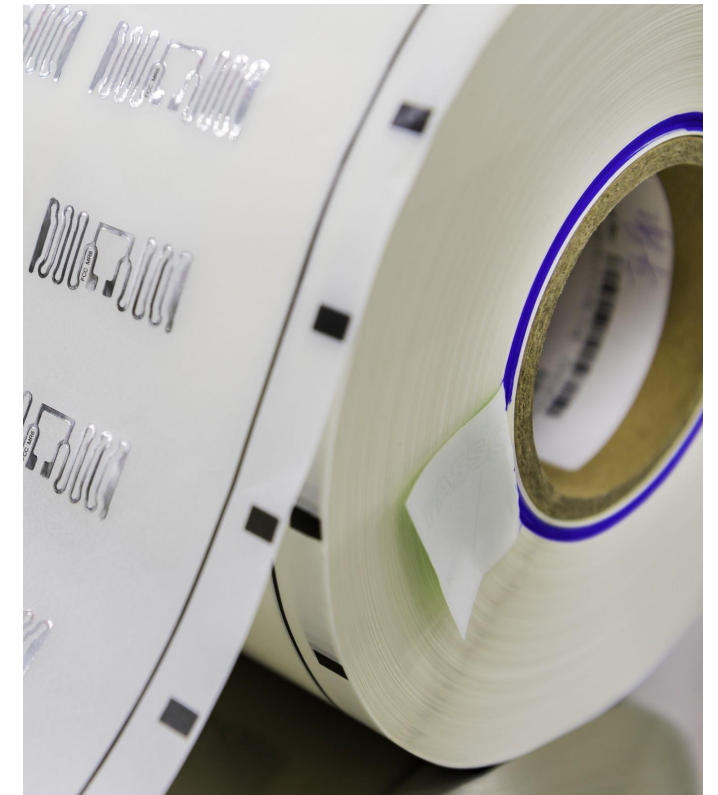
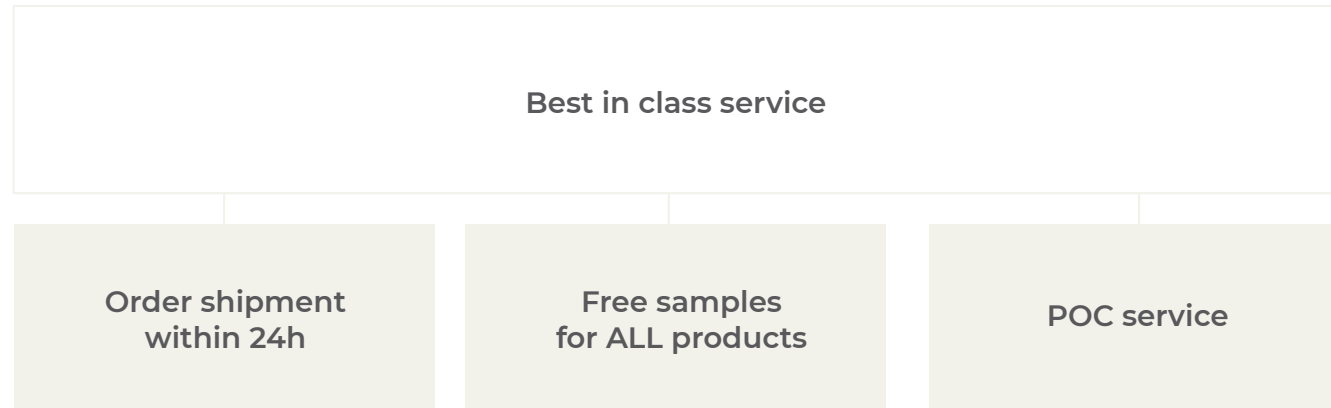
- Miamisburg, USA
- Los Angeles, USA
- New York City, USA
- Baddow, UK

## ▲ RFID Service Bureaus



# RFID Testing, Sampling and Delivery Service in EU

- 29 SKUs stocked in Lux
- Samples in 3 formats: mixed sample bags, 25 pcs. sample bag and rolls.
- Testing facilities at your disposal in the US and UK



# Q&A?

# Thank You

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