

2128P BLUETOOTH® UHF RFID RAIN READER

HIGH PERFORMANCE, LONG RANGE RFID READING WITH THE CONVENIENCE OF EPOP-LOQ® CONNECTIVITY AND CHARGING





Simultaneous charging of the UHF reader and attached Hand-Held Terminal



High Performance RFID Reading

The fixed High Gain Antenna provides up to 9m (29.5ft) of read range.

Enhanced Modes of Operation

The 2128P RAIN RFID Reader can provide inreader tag de-duplication for more than 50,000 unique tags from more than 1 million tag reads. In addition the Reader can store on-board (using the embedded micro SD card) more than 500 million unique tags with date and time stamping for a truly powerful batch collection mode of operation.

Sophisticated user feedback provides the most configurable, in-depth and capable 'search and find' features currently available.

Connect Devices Using ePop-Loq

The 2128P RAIN RFID Reader features the new TSL® ePop-Loq connector. The patented ePop-Loq system allows data and charge connections to be passed from the reader to an attached device, such as a smartphone or handheld terminal.

The unique ePop-Loq system is designed to safely separate when the reader is subject to large impacts, such as when dropped.

Single Point Charge Solution

The 2128P Docking Station allows charging of both the 2128P RAIN RFID Reader and a smartphone or handheld terminal attached via an ePop-Loq mount. This unique design can accommodate a wide range of devices from many handheld and smartphone manufacturers. The 2128P Docking Station Kit is supplied separately and includes the docking station, power supply unit and a USB data cable.

Powerful and Comprehensive Software Development Tools

Applications developed for the 1128, 2128, 2128P 1153, 1166 or 3166 RAIN RFID Readers can easily be configured to work with the 2128L, as all of these readers share TSL's unique 'ASCII Protocol'. This sophisticated, parameterised set of commands carry out multiple actions locally within the reader. This approach enables multiple tag operations to be executed using simple pre-configured ASCII commands which not only speeds integration of the reader into applications but also makes application development easier.

Flexible Bluetooth Connectivity

The 2128P supports both *Bluetooth* Classic as well as *Bluetooth* Low Energy (BLE). The reader can be operated in Serial Port Profile (SPP) or Human Interface Device mode (HID), as well as supporting iApp2 for Apple iOS devices. The reader also supports an automatic re-connect mode for both Android and Apple devices.

Ultra Secure Data Gathering Option

As the ePop-Loq system provides a wired connection between the host device and RFID Reader, sensitive data can be given that extra level of security by avoiding the use of wireless data transfer. The 2128P supports batch data collection and is equipped with a Micro SD socket and a real time clock. Up to 500 million transponder EPCs can be stored on a 32GB Micro SD card (optional purchase). This provides the ability to collect and log data even if USB or *Bluetooth* communication channels are not available. Docking the 2128P then enables this data to be synchronised with a PC.

Features:

Long Range RAIN RFID Reader

UHF RFID and 2D barcode data capture in a single device.

Hardware Platform Independence

Operates with wide variety of *Bluetooth* wireless technology enabled host devices from smartphones to tablets, laptops and desktop computers.

OS Independence

The reader is compatible with Android, iOS and Windows.

Integrated ePop-Loq Socket

A smarter way of mounting devices to the RAIN RFID Reader.

Bluetooth LE Support

Lower power consumption and longer battery life.

Direct USB Connection

For increased security of data transfer via ePop-Loq mounts.

Lightweight

Only 400g (14.1oz) including battery, trigger handle and 2D Imager.

High Performance Barcode Scanning

Integrated 2D imaging engine provides class leading barcode scan performance via its unique patent pending fast pulse illumination which delivers outstanding motion tolerance and class leading 1D and 2D data capture.





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Physical and Environmental Characteristics

Dimensions:	158 x 98 x 170 mm (LxWxH).		
Weight:	465 g / 16.4 oz (including Trigger Handle & battery).		
User input:	Trigger button.		
User feedback:	Speaker, vibration motor, LED - user configurable.		
Power:	Removable, rechargeable 3.7V, 2400mAh, 8.9Wh Lithium Polymer pack.		
Minimum operating time ¹ :	Light use ² : 8.5 hrs Moderate use ³ : 5 hrs Heavy use ⁴ : 2.5 hrs		
Input Rating:	5.2VDC, 4.0A.		
Enclosure materials:	Polycarbonate.		

Performance Characteristics

RFID engine:	TSL custom module.	
Communication protocols:	TSL ASCII 2.0 parameterised command set and Impinj binary protocol.	
Memory:	Optional Micro SD card (maximum 32GB capacity supported). Up to 500 million date and time stamped EPCs can be stored on a 32GB Micro SD card (separate purchase from alternative supplier).	
Compatible Host devices (Bluetooth):	Any Bluetooth Host ⁵ supporting the Serial Port Profile (SPP) or Human Interface Device (HID) profile (Android, iOS, Linux, Mac, Windows). See Bluetooth Mode Comparison.	
Compatible Host devices (USB):	Any USB host with FTDI VCP driver support (Windows, Linux, Mac, Android).	

Environmental

Operating Temp.:	-10°C to 50°C (14°F to 122°F).			
Charging Temp.:	Standard Trigger Handle (with Varta XL battery): 5°C to 40°C (41°F to 104°F).			
Storage Temp.:	Less than 1 month at -20°C to +45°C (-4°F to 113°F). Less than 6 months at -20°C to +35°C (-4°F to 95°F).			
Humidity:	5% to 85% non-condensing.			
Drop Spec:	Multiple drops to concrete: 4 ft./1.2 m ambient, 3ft / 0.9m across the operating temperature range.			
Tumble:	1000 0.5 metre tumbles at room temperature (2000 cycles).			
Electrostatic Discharge (ESD):	± 15kVdc air discharge; ± 8kVdc contact discharge.			
MIL-STD 810F:	Meets and exceeds applicable MIL-STD 810F for drop, tumble and sealing.			

RFID Performance

Standards supported:	EPC Class 1 Gen 2.
Nominal read range ⁶ :	Up to 9 m (29.5 ft).
Nominal write range ⁶ :	Up to 4 m (13.1 ft).

Field:	150-degree forward facing.			
Antenna:	Right Hand Circularly Polarized with optional 2D scanner.			
Frequency	865 - 868 MHz (EX1/ES1 variant).			
Range:	902 - 928 MHz (AX1/AS1 variant).			
Maximum Output	Up to 30 dBm (region dependent)			
Power:	+ 4.0 dBiC Antenna.			

Barcode Scanning

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Optional 2D Barcode Engine:	Optional TSL custom 2D Barcode Scan Engine module.				
Sensor Resolution:	1280 x 960 pixels, rolling shutter				
Field of View:	Horizontal: 44.5°, ve	rtical: 33.5°			
Focal Distance:	From front of engine	From front of engine: 15.24 cm (6 in.)			
Aiming LED:	Green LED				
Illumination:	1 warm white LED				
Symbologies Supported:	1D: All major codes 2D: PDF417, MicroPDF417, Composite, RSS, TLC- 39, Datamatrix, QR code, Micro QR code, Aztec, MaxiCode Postal Codes: US PostNet, US Planet, UK Postal, Australian Postal, Japan Postal, Dutch Postal (KIX).				
Ranges ⁷ :	Barcode	Near	Far		
	5 mil Code 39	6.1 cm	24.1 cm		
	5 mil Code 128	7.1 cm	22.9 cm		
	6.67 mil PDF 417	6.1 cm	20.3 cm		
	10 mil DataMatrix	7.4 cm	21.6 cm		
	100% UPCA	4.6 cm	49.5 cm		
	15 mil QR	3.0 cm	29.2 cm		
	20 mil QR	3.0 cm	35.6 cm		

Communication

Bluetooth:	Bluetooth Version 4.2.		
Bluetooth Frequency Range:	2.4 - 2.4835 GHz.		
Bluetooth Profiles:	SPP Profile, HID Profile, Apple iAP2, <i>Bluetooth</i> Low Energy.		
Bluetooth Range ⁸ :	Up to 100m.		
Bluetooth Pairing:	Simple Secure Pairing, NFC OOB Pairing.		
Direct USB	USB connection to handheld terminal via ePop- Loq cases (separate purchase).		

¹ Minimum operating time figures are based on new units that have been stored, charged and operated within the stated Environmental Specifications. Units stored over 3 months must be recharged every 3 months. Number of transponders in the environment affects minimum operating time.

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² Light Use: Continuous RFID inventories for 20s of every 120s

³ Moderate Use: Continuous RFID inventories for 10s of every 30s

⁴Heavy Use: Continuous RFID inventories for 59s of every 60s

⁵Compatible *Bluetooth* stack required in the Host device

 $^{^6}$ Tag Read/Write performance is dependent on tag type, items tagged, number of tags in the field and other radio and environmental factors

⁷ Artificial lighting can affect scanning performance

Open field

Peripherals and Accessories

External interface:	Custom connector - requires 2128 Docking Station for battery charging, and USB connectivity.	
USB operating modes:	Tethered for real time data capture in conjunction with SmartWedge software. Download of stored scan data.	
Desktop charger:	TSL 2128 Docking Station (separate purchase).	
Other Accessories:	New ePop-Loq cases can be ordered by special request (volume dependent, lead times apply).	

Regulatory

Regions	EU (CE), USA (FCC), Canada, Australia (see page 4 for details)			
FCC ID	S6J2128P			
IC	8948A-2128P			
EMC	EN 55032:2015 +AC:2016 EN 55024:2010 +A1:2015 EN 301 489-1 V2.2.0 47 CFR Part 15B 15.107, 15.109 ICES-003 Issue 6			
RF	EN 300 328 V2.1.1 EN 302 208 V3.1.1 EN 301 489-3 V2.1.1 EN 301 489-17 V3.2.0 47 CFR Part 15C 15.247 RSS-247 Issue 2			
RF Exposure	EN 50566:2017 EN 62209-2:2010 EN 50663:2017 EN 62479:2010 47 CFR Part 2.1093 RSS-102 Issue 5			
Electrical Safety	IEC 62368-1:2014 CB EN 62368-1:2014 +A11:2017 UL 62368-1:2014 CAN/CSA C22.2 No. 62368-1-14			
Environmental	2011/65/EU (RoHS 2) Restriction of the use of certain Hazardous Substances in electrical and electronic equipment 2015/863 (RoHS 3) Amendment to Annex II of 2011/65/EU			

Warranty

The TSL 2128P reader is warranted against manufacturing defects for a period of one year (12 months) from date of shipment, provided the product remains unmodified and is operated under normal and proper conditions.

Full warranty information can be downloaded from the TSL website at www.tsl.com/warranty.

Terms

"Made for iPod," "Made for iPhone," and "Made for iPad" mean that an electronic accessory has been designed to connect specifically to iPod, iPhone, or iPad, respectively, and has been certified by the developer to meet Apple performance standards. Apple is not responsible for the operation of this device or its compliance with safety and regulatory standards. Please note that the use of this accessory with IPod, IPhone, or IPad may affect wireless performance.

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RFID Web Wedge www.tsl.com/apps/rfid-web-wedge



RFID Scan Scan Write www.tsl.com/apps/rfid-scan-scan-write



TSL Reader Configuration www.tsl.com/apps/tsl-reader-configuration



2128P PART NUMBERS

Countries		Part Numbers	Operating Frequency		
Albania Andorra Austria Belgium Bosnia & Herzegovina Bulgaria Croatia Cyprus Czech Republic Denmark Estonia Falkland Islands Finland France French Guiana	Georgia (Licence Required) Germany Greece Greenland Guernsey Guadeloupe Hungary Iceland Ireland Italy Jersey Latvia Liechtenstein Lithuania Luxembourg		Macedonia Malta Martinique Monaco Montenegro Netherlands Norway Poland Portugal Romania Slovakia Slovenia Spain Sweden Switzerland United Kingdom (UK)	With 2D barcode imager: 2128P-ES1 No barcode imager: 2128P-EX1	865 – 868 MHz 4 Channels
United States of America (USA)		co	With 2D barcode imager: 2128P-AS1 No barcode imager: 2128P-AX1	902 – 928 MHz 50 Channels	
Australia		2128P-AS1-AU 2128P-AX1-AU	920.25 – 925.75 MHz 12 channels		
Bangladesh		2128P-AS1-BD 2128P-AX1-BD	925 – 927 MHz 4 channels		
Brazil (Licensed via ACURA)		2128P-AS1-BR 2128P-AX1-BR	902 – 907.5, 915 – 928 MHz 50 channels		
Colombia		2128P-AS1-CO 2128P-AX1-CO	915 – 928 MHz 24 channels		
India				2128P-ES1-IN 2128P-EX1-IN	865 – 867 MHz 4 channels
New Zealand		2128P-AS1-NZ 2128P-AX1-NZ	920.25 – 925.75 MHz 12 channels		
Peru (Licensed via ACURA)				2128P-AS1-PE 2128P-AX1-PE	915-928MHz

If you are interested in purchasing for a country/region that is not listed above, please contact enquiries@tsl.com for assistance.

Accessories Part Numbers

Docking Station, Power Supply and Mini USB Cable	2128-CRD-03-KIT
4-Slot Battery Charger Kit	2136-01-4WMS-CHG
Spare Battery for 1128/2128 UHF Reader	1128-00-BA-2000

MOUNTING A HOST DEVICE ON THE UHF READER

You can physically connect Enterprise Hand-Held Terminals to your UHF RFID Reader using ePop-Loq® mounts. These custom made mounts can provide direct USB charge and data connections (when available) between the Reader and host device. To enquire about ePop-Loq mounts for devices not listed below, please contact enquiries@tsl.com.



Datalogic Memor 10/11





Datalogic Memor 12/17





Datalogic Memor 30/35





Honeywell CT40/45/45XP/47





Honeywell CT50/60





Honeywell D75e





Honeywell EDA50/51





Janam XT30/40





Zebra TC22/27





Zebra TC51/52/56/67



Device Mount Part Numbers

ePop-Loq Mount for Datalogic Memor 10/11	2108-A-EPL-CASE
ePop-Loq Mount for Datalogic Memor 12/17	2118-A-EPL-CASE
ePop-Loq Mount for Datalogic Memor 30/35	2117-A-EPL-CASE
ePop-Loq Mount for Honeywell CT40, CT45/ CT45XP and CT47 (CT47: Charging only)	2103-A-EPL-CASE-V2
ePop-Loq Mount for Honeywell CT50/CT60	1192-A-EPL-CASE
ePop-Loq Mount for Honeywell D75e	1190-A-EPL-CASE
ePop-Loq Mount for Honeywell EDA50	1195-C-EPL-CASE
ePop-Loq Mount for Honeywell EDA51	1217-C-EPL-CASE
ePop-Loq Mount for Janam XT30/XT40	ATC-XT-01 (order through Janam Technologies)
ePop-Loq Mount for Xiaomi Mi A2	2106-A-EPL-CASE
ePop-Loq Mount for Zebra TC22/TC27	2119-A-EPL-CASE
ePop-Loq Mount for Zebra TC51/52/56/57	1199-A-EPL-CASE



ABOUT TSL



Technology Solutions UK Ltd (TSL®), part of HID, is a leading manufacturer of high performance mobile RFID readers used to identify and track products, assets, data or personnel.

For over two decades, TSL has delivered innovative data capture solutions to Fortune 500 companies around the world using a global network of distributors and system integrators. Specialist in-house teams design all aspects of the finished products and software ecosystems, including electronics, firmware, application development tools, RF design and injection mould tooling.

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