



# 1166 *BLUETOOTH*<sup>®</sup> RUGGED UHF RFID READER



## A Tough-Enough UHF RFID Reader

The new 1166 *Bluetooth*<sup>®</sup> Rugged UHF RFID reader from TSL<sup>®</sup> provides high performance UHF RFID reading in a tough and rugged form factor. The reader is highly resistant to water, dust and mechanical trauma. A high capacity battery enables non-stop operation of the reader over the full working day. Designed to read and write to EPC Class 1 Gen 2 (ISO18000-6C) tags, the 1166 can also be configured with class leading high performance 2D data scanning to bring unparalleled data collection capabilities to any host it is connected to.

## Platform Independence

Use existing *Bluetooth*<sup>®</sup> wireless technology enabled<sup>1</sup> host devices including Enterprise Handhelds, Consumer Phones, Touchscreen MP3 players, Tablets and PC's – the 1166 will bring high performance RFID and 2D scanning to all these devices running a wide range of Operating Systems.

Extensive software support is available for a wide range of platforms including code samples, demonstration applications and source code.

## Batch Mode

Transponder EPC readings can optionally be stored on the embedded Micro SD card, meaning that the

1166 UHF RFID Reader can be used independently of a host device. The 1166 can store over 250 million\* transponder EPCs - date and time stamped by the on-board Real Time Clock. The internal storage can be directly mounted in a Windows environment using the 1166 Docking Station Kit (separate purchase).

## Speedy integration - ASCII 2 Protocol

The new 1166 Rugged *Bluetooth*<sup>®</sup> UHF RFID reader incorporates TSL's unique ASCII protocol for faster and easier application development. This sophisticated parameterised ASCII protocol provides the developer a powerful set of commands that carry out multiple actions locally within the reader. This approach enables multiple tag operations executed using simple pre-configured ASCII commands which not only speeds integration of the reader into applications but also abstracts the developer from some of the complexities of the underlying Native API and ultimately results in un-paralleled levels of performance.

## Customise Your Solution

The choice of host device is yours - from low cost touchscreen MP3 players through to fully featured Enterprise Handheld Terminals. Devices can be mounted on top of the reader using an elegant push-lock adapter, enabling a one-piece solution.

## Features:

### High Performance *Bluetooth*<sup>®</sup> Multi-modal Data Capture

UHF RFID and 2D barcode data capture in one integrated *Bluetooth*<sup>®</sup> device.

### Hardware Platform Independence

Operates with wide variety of *Bluetooth*<sup>®</sup> wireless technology enabled host devices including touchscreen MP3 players, phones, tablets, Enterprise Handhelds and PC's.

### OS Independence

Operates with iOS, Windows Mobile, Windows Phone 8, WinCE, Windows 10/8/7/Vista/XP and Android™.

### Batch Mode Operation

Real time clock for extended batch data collection independent of host connection. Store millions of tags and barcodes with date and time stamping

### High Performance barcode scanning

A range of optional barcode engines can be specified to provide 2D data capture up to 15m

Made for



\* For units manufactured in August 2020 onwards.

# 1166 SPECIFICATIONS

## Physical and Environmental Characteristics

Dimensions:	178.7 x 107.3 x 173.1 mm (LxWxH).
Weight:	860g (inc. battery).
User input:	Single stage trigger.
User feedback:	Speaker, vibration motor, LEDs.
Power:	Rechargeable Lithium Ion removeable battery pack (11.25V, 2950mAh, 33.2Wh).
Minimum operating time:	Light use <sup>†</sup> : 31.5 hrs Moderate use <sup>‡</sup> : 23.5 hrs Heavy use <sup>***</sup> : 13 hrs <small><sup>†</sup>Light Use: Continuous RFID inventories for 20s of every 120s <sup>‡</sup>Moderate Use: Continuous RFID inventories for 10s of every 30s <sup>***</sup>Heavy Use: Continuous RFID inventories for 59s of every 60s</small>
Enclosure materials:	Polycarbonate and TPU.

## Performance Characteristics

RFID engine:	TSL <sup>®</sup> custom module with embedded Impinj R2000.
Communication protocols:	TSL <sup>®</sup> ASCII 2.0 parameterised command set.
Memory:	Embedded 16GB* NAND storage card - store up to 250 million date and time stamped EPCs <small>* For units manufactured in August 2020 onwards. Units sold before this time will have 4GB or 8GB of storage.</small>
Compatible Host devices (Bluetooth <sup>®</sup> ):	Any Bluetooth <sup>®</sup> Host <sup>1</sup> supporting the Serial Port Profile (SPP) or Human Interface Device (HID) profile (Android, iOS, Linux, Mac, Windows). <a href="#">Comparison of Bluetooth<sup>®</sup> modes for TSL<sup>®</sup> UHF Readers.</a>
Compatible Host devices (USB):	Any USB host with FTDI VCP driver support (Windows, Linux, Mac, Android).

## Environmental

Operating Temp.:	-10°C to 40°C (14°F to 104°F).
Charging Temp.:	5°C to 40°C (41°F to 104°F).
Storage Temp.:	Less than 1 month at at -20 to +60°C (-4°F to 140°F). Less than 3 months at -20°C to +45°C (-4°F to 113°F). Less than 1 year at -20°C to +20°C (-4°F to 68°F).
Humidity:	5% to 85% non-condensing.
Drop Spec:	1.8 m.
Tumble:	1500 0.5 metre tumbles at room temperature (3,000 cycles).
Environmental Sealing:	IP67*.
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 and EPC C1G2 (TBD).
Nominal read range <sup>2</sup> :	Up to 9 m (29.5 ft).

Field:	110-degree forward facing (approx.) measured from front of device.
Antenna:	Circularly Polarized.
Frequency Range:	EU: 865-868MHz; US: 902-928MHz.
Maximum Output Power:	Up to 30 dBm (region dependant) + 4.0 dBiC Antenna

\*Please note; that this IP rating only applies to units with serial numbers ending in -000800 or higher

## Barcode Scanning

Imager:	Optional TSL <sup>®</sup> custom 2D Barcode Scan Engine module.		
Sensor Resolution:	752 x 480 pixels.		
Field of View:	Horizontal: 40°, Vertical: 25°.		
Focal Distance:	SR: 8 in. DL: 5.3 in. HD: 2.9 in.		
Aiming LED (VLD):	655 ±10 nm Laser.		
Illumination:	625 ±5 nm LEDs (2x).		
Min. Print Contrast:	Minimum 25%.		
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 <sup>3</sup> :	DL Focus	Near	Far
	5 mil Code 39	1.4 in./36 mm	7.3 in./185 mm
	100% UPC	1.6 in./41 mm	12 in./305 mm
	5 mil PDF417	2.8 in./71 mm	4.5 in./114 mm

## Communication

Bluetooth <sup>®</sup> :	Bluetooth <sup>®</sup> Version 2.1.
Bluetooth <sup>®</sup> Frequency Range:	2.4 - 2.4835 GHz.
Bluetooth <sup>®</sup> Profiles:	SPP Profile. HID Profile. Apple iAP.
Bluetooth <sup>®</sup> Power:	Class 2.
Bluetooth <sup>®</sup> Range <sup>4</sup> :	30m.
Bluetooth <sup>®</sup> Pairing:	PIN, Simple Secure Pairing, NFC OOB Pairing.

## Peripherals and Accessories

External interface:	8-way sealed connector with gold plated contacts.
Bundled accessories:	Battery.
Other accessories available:	Docking Station with power and Mini USB cable. Adapter mounts for a variety of smartphones, handheld terminals and touchscreen devices.

# 1166 SPECIFICATIONS

## Regulatory

Regions	EU (CE), USA (FCC), Canada, New Zealand and more (see page 4 for details)
FCC ID	S6J1166
IC	8948A-1166
EMC	EN 55032:2012 EN 55024:2010 +A1:2015 EN 301 489-1 V1.9.2
RF	EN 302 208 V2.1.1 EN 300 328 V1.9.1 EN 301 489-3 V1.6.1 EN 301 489-17 V2.2.1 47 CFR Part 15C 15.247 RSS-247 Issue 2
RF Exposure	EN 50566:2013 EN 62209-1:2016 EN 62209-2:2010 EN 62479:2010 47 CFR Part 2.1093 RSS-102 Issue 5
Electrical Safety	IEC 62368-1:2018 EN 62368-1:2020 +A11:2020
Laser Safety (Imager Variants Only)	IEC 60825-1:2014, EN 60825-1:2014 IEC 62471:2006, EN 62471:2008 21 CFR 1040.10
Environmental	<b>2011/65/EU (RoHS 2)</b> Restriction of the use of certain Hazardous Substances in electrical and electronic equipment <b>2015/863 (RoHS 3)</b> Amendment to Annex II of 2011/65/EU



## TSL® RFID Apps



RFID Explorer  
[www.tsl.com/apps/rfid-explorer](http://www.tsl.com/apps/rfid-explorer)



RFID Tag Finder  
[www.tsl.com/apps/rfid-tag-finder](http://www.tsl.com/apps/rfid-tag-finder)



RFID Web Wedge  
[www.tsl.com/apps/rfid-web-wedge](http://www.tsl.com/apps/rfid-web-wedge)



RFID Scan Scan Write  
[www.tsl.com/apps/rfid-scan-scan-write](http://www.tsl.com/apps/rfid-scan-scan-write)



TSL® Reader Configuration  
[www.tsl.com/apps/tsl-reader-configuration](http://www.tsl.com/apps/tsl-reader-configuration)

# WARRANTY

## Warranty

The TSL® 1166 reader is warranted against defects in workmanship and materials 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.

<sup>1</sup> Compatible *Bluetooth*® stack required in the Host device

<sup>2</sup> Tag Read/Write performance is dependent on tag type, items tagged, number of tags in the field and other radio and environmental factors

<sup>3</sup> Artificial lighting can affect scanning performance

<sup>4</sup> Open field

## Terms

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# 1166 PART NUMBERS

Countries			Part Numbers	Operating Frequency
Albania Andorra Austria Bahrain Belgium Bhutan Bosnia & Herzegovina Bulgaria Croatia Cyprus Czech Republic Denmark Estonia Falkland Islands Finland France French Guiana Georgia	Germany Greece Greenland Guernsey Guadeloupe Hungary Iceland Ireland Italy Jersey Latvia Liechtenstein Lithuania Luxembourg Macedonia Malta Martinique Monaco	Montenegro Netherlands Norway Oman Poland Portugal Qatar Romania Saudi Arabia Slovakia Slovenia Spain Sweden Switzerland United Kingdom (UK)	With 2D barcode imager: <a href="#">1166-ES1</a>  No barcode imager: <a href="#">1166-EX1</a>	865 – 868 MHz 4 Channels
Egypt			<a href="#">1166-ES1-EG</a> <a href="#">1166-EX1-EG</a>	865 – 868 MHz 4 Channels Power Limited: 100mW EIRP Max
Kazakhstan			<a href="#">1166-ES1-KZ</a> <a href="#">1166-EX1-KZ</a>	865 – 868 MHz 4 Channels Power Limited: 100mW EIRP Max
Pakistan			<a href="#">1166-ES1-PK</a> <a href="#">1166-EX1-PK</a>	865 – 868 MHz 4 Channels Power Limited: 100mW EIRP Max
Russia			<a href="#">1166-ES1-RU</a> <a href="#">1166-EX1-RU</a>	865 – 868 MHz 3 Channels
United States of America (USA) Guam Guatemala Northern Mariana Islands	Canada Ecuador Mexico Puerto Rico		With 2D barcode imager: <a href="#">1166-AS1</a>  No barcode imager: <a href="#">1166-AX1</a>	902 – 928 MHz 50 Channels
Algeria			<a href="#">1166-AS1-DZ</a>	915 – 921, 925 – 926 MHz 14 Channels Power Limited: 100mW EIRP Max
Bangladesh			<a href="#">1166-AS1-BD</a> <a href="#">1166-AX1-BD</a>	925 – 927 MHz 4 Channels
Brazil			<a href="#">1166-AS1-BR</a>	902 – 907.5, 915 – 928 MHz 35 Channels
Brunei			<a href="#">1166-AS1-BN</a> <a href="#">1166-AX1-BN</a>	923 – 925 MHz 4 Channels
China			<a href="#">1166-AS1-CN</a> <a href="#">1166-AX1-CN</a>	920.5 – 924.5 MHz 4 Channels
Colombia			<a href="#">1166-AS1-CO</a> <a href="#">1166-AX1-CO</a>	915 – 928 MHz 24 Channels
El Salvador			<a href="#">1166-AS1-SV</a> <a href="#">1166-AX1-SV</a>	915 – 928 MHz 24 Channels
Japan			<a href="#">1166-AS1-JP</a>	916.7 - 920.9 MHz 6 Channels
Indonesia			<a href="#">1166-AS1-ID</a> <a href="#">1166-AX1-ID</a>	920 – 923 MHz 6 Channels Power Limited: 400mW EIRP Max
Malaysia			<a href="#">1166-AS1-MY</a> <a href="#">1166-AX1-MY</a>	919 – 923 MHz 8 Channels
New Zealand			<a href="#">1166-AS1-NZ</a> <a href="#">1166-AX1-NZ</a>	921.5 – 928 MHz 11 Channels
Thailand (Licence Required)			<a href="#">1166-AS1-TH</a>	920 – 925 MHz 10 Channels

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

# 1166 PART NUMBERS

Charging Accessories	Part Number
1166 Docking Station Kit, 65W PSU and Mini USB lead	1166-CRD-01-KIT
Line Cord (UK Plug, 1m)	IEC-1M-UK
Line Cord (US Plug, 1.8m)	IEC-1.8M-US
Line Cord (EU Plug, 1.8m)	IEC-1.8M-EU
1166 External Battery Charger. Includes PSU and UK Line Cord	1166-BC-UK
1166 External Battery Charger. Includes PSU and US Line Cord	1166-BC-US
1166 External Battery Charger. Includes PSU and EU Line Cord	1166-BC-EU
Spare Battery – Rechargeable Lithium Polymer for 1166 UHF Reader	1166-00-BA-3000

Pop-Loq® Mounts	Part Number
Pop-Loq® Mount for CAT S40	1166-CRD-01-KIT
Pop-Loq® Mount for CAT S41	IEC-1M-UK
Pop-Loq® Mount for Datalogic Skorpion X3/X4	IEC-1.8M-US
Pop-Loq® Mount for Honeywell CT50	IEC-1.8M-EU
Pop-Loq® Mount for Honeywell D75e	1166-BC-UK
Pop-Loq® Mount for Honeywell D75e – Extended Battery	1166-BC-US
Pop-Loq® Mount for iPad Air 2	1166-BC-EU
Pop-Loq® Mount for iPad Mini 4	1166-00-BA-3000
Pop-Loq® Mount for iPhone 5	PL-IPHN5G
Pop-Loq® Mount for iPhone 6	PL-IPHN6G
Pop-Loq® Mount for iPhone 6 Plus	PL-IPHN6G-PLUS
Pop-Loq® Mount for iPhone 7	PL-IPHN7G
Pop-Loq® Mount for iPhone 7 Plus	PL-IPHN7-PLUS
Pop-Loq® Mount for iPhone 8	PL-IPHN8G
Pop-Loq® Mount for iPhone 8 Plus	PL-IPHN8-PLUS
Pop-Loq® Mount for iPhone XS	PL-IPHNXS
Pop-Loq® Mount for iPod 5/6G	PL-IPOD6G
Pop-Loq® Mount for Samsung Galaxy J5 (2016 version)	PL-J5-2016
Pop-Loq® Mount for Samsung Galaxy J7 (2017 version)	PL-J7-2017
Pop-Loq® Mount for Moto G (3rd Gen)	PL-MOTO-G-GEN3
Pop-Loq® Mount for Otterbox Defender, iPod 5/6G	PL-OBD-IPOD5/6
Pop-Loq® Mount for Samsung Galaxy S5 (2017)	PL-S5-2017
Pop-Loq® Mount for Samsung Galaxy S9 Plus (2018)	PL-S9-PLUS-2018
Pop-Loq® Mount for Samsung Tab A 7"	PL-SAMSUNG-TAB-A7"
Pop-Loq® Mount for Zebra TC20	PL-TC20
Pop-Loq® Mount for Zebra TC51 /56	PL-TC51/56
Pop-Loq® Mount for Zebra TC55	PL-TC55

Pop-Loq® Mounts	Part Number
Pop-Loq® Mount for Zebra TC70 /75	PL-TC70/75
Pop-Loq® Mount for Samsung Galaxy Xcover 3	PL-XCOVER3
Pop-Loq® Mount for Samsung Galaxy Xcover 4	PL-XCOVER4

# ABOUT

## ABOUT TSL®



Technology Solutions UK Ltd (TSL®), part of HID Global, 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.

TSL® is an ISO 9001:2015 certified company.



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