



TMT-3

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1 PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

The patent-pending **TROI TMT-3 Plastic Boltable Tag** provides identification and tracking capabilities never-before available in such a tiny plastic package designed for rugged or hazardous use-areas. Not only can the tag be mounted to any metallic surface by either gluing or bolting the tag, but it can withstand unprecedented temperature (consistent temperatures of 200 degrees Centigrade), pressure and environmental conditions.

1.1 SPECIFICATIONS

Device type Passive RFID tag	Standard: UHF (Ultra High Frequency band) Optional: HF (High Frequency band) Optional: LF (Low Frequency band)
Air interface protocol	UHF: EPCGlobal Class1Gen2 / ISO/IEC 18000-6C HF: ISO/IEC 15963, ISO/IEC 14443 LF: ISO/IEC 18000-2
Operational frequency	Standard: UHF 865-869 MHz (EU), 902-928 MHz (US) Optional: LF 125 KHz Optional: HF 13.56 MHz
IC options - UHF	Standard: Alien Higgs 3 (others on request) Optional: EM, Fujitsu, Impinj, NXP (others on request)
EPC memory - UHF	Standard: 128 bit Optional: Up to 240 bit
EPC memory content	Unique 96-bit number encoded
Extended memory - UHF	Standard: 512 bit
HF EEPROM	ISO/IEC 15693, 64 Bit UID; 512 bit & 1024 bit ISO/IEC 14443 A, 7 Byte UID; 512 bit & 1024 bit
LF EEPROM	Standard: 512 bit & 256 bit
TID - UHF	Factory-programmed, non-changeable, unique 64-bit ID.
Read range - UHF	Real-world: 1 – 2 meters, depending on attachment Lab environment: 7 meters
Applicable surfaces	Any material, including sub-surface (back-filled with epoxy [non-metallic materials]). Surface mounting on metal surfaces, both ferrous and non-ferrous.
Material	High temperature plastic - GE Noryl
Weight	0.5 oz 14 grams
Standards compliancy	ISO 17665 – Sterilization of Health Care Products – Moist Steam ISO 11135 - Sterilization of Health Care Products – Ethylene Oxide ATEX-compliant
Product RoHS compliant?	Yes



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1.2 DIMENSIONS

Length: 35 mm

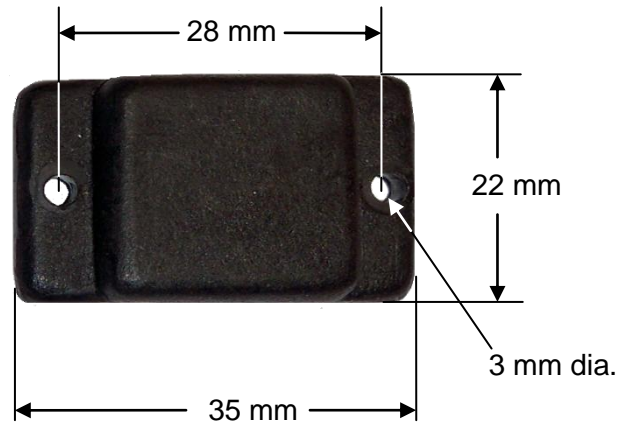
Width: 22 mm

Height: 7 mm

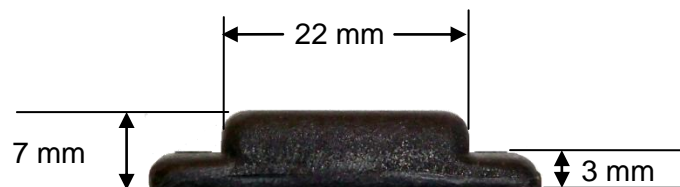
Mounting hole diameter: 3 mm

Distance between mounting holes: 28 mm

PLAN VIEW



PROFILE VIEW





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1.3 READ RANGE

	UHF Max read range on metal with 4W ERP
TMT-3 (915 MHz)	660.4 cm / 260 inches (6.63 m / 21.75 feet)

The read range listed above was obtained from a lab test environment. Actual test results may be different. Testing in actual use environments is strongly recommended.

1.4 ENVIRONMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS

Operating temperature	-50°C to +200°C* -50°F to +392 °F*
Temperature Cycling Test	200 deg C continuous, for 30-days
IP classification	IP68: - Complete protection against dust - Protection against continuous immersion in water (Tested for 5 hours in 1 m [3.3 ft] depth)
Weather ability	Excellent, including UV-resistance and sea water immersion
Pressure resistance	Embedded RFID tag tested to 30,000 PSI for 30 days
Chemical resistance	No physical or performance changes in: - Salt water - NaOH (depending on concentration) - Sulfuric acid (depending on concentration) - Motor oil (tested in 168 hour exposure) Generally good against: - Most solvents - Most acids and bases

*** NOTE:**

The RFID tag will not be functional if it is left at the maximum indicated temperatures such that the internal soak temperature exceeds +80 deg C. The RFID tag itself will function between -50 deg C and +80 deg C.

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1.5 SUPPORTING COMPONENTS

1.5.1 TMT-3 Gluing, Bolting or Banding

See Section 2 Installation Instructions for further details and pictures

Purpose	Glue, adhesive, bolts or bands used to attach TMT-3 to metal surface
Advantages	<p>Glue: Permanent epoxy. No need to drill holes in mounting surface.</p> <p>Adhesive: Pressure-sensitive adhesive film applied to the tag by TROI LLC.</p> <p>Bolt: Secure attachment that is easier to remove than gluing (adhesive_paint).</p> <p>Band: Rugged - easy-on, easy-off.</p>

1.6 SUPPORTED SERVICES

Several options are available:

- Tag pre-encoding
- Laser engraving on tags surface

For further details, please contact TROI LLC.



Information has been laser-etched onto the tag.

1.7 POSSIBLE APPLICATIONS

Metal surfaces	Metal returnable containers, metal canisters, metal pallets, high value metal items, aerospace applications, military applications, etc.
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2 INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

2.1 TAG PLACEMENT

The **TMT-3** tag must be mounted to the metal surface with the metal “cup” pointed up and with no metal covering the tag.

When selecting the mounting location, ensure the following:

- Select an even metal surface so that the entire base of the **TMT-3** is in contact with the mounting surface.
- Place the tag in the middle of the largest metal mounting surface available.
- It is recommended that the tag be taped to the metal surface before bolting the tag, to check orientation and performance.

The **TMT-3**'s performance depends on the shape of the metal object and the tags placement on that surface. The above recommendations are valid for flat surfaces. Testing is recommended to verify performance in each use-case.

2.2 TAG ATTACHING METHODS

The tag can be either glued (epoxyed), bolted or banded to the metal surface.

2.2.1 Gluing (epoxy) the tag to the metal surface

It is strongly recommended that **TROI's AP-1** adhesive_paint be used when gluing tags. (See **TROI's AP-1** adhesive_paint datasheet for details).

Whichever epoxy is used, make sure that the mounting surface is clean and free of debris before gluing the tag to the surface.

2.2.2 Pressure-sensitive adhesive

The quickest method of attachment; peel the liner from the adhesive and press to the cleaned mounting surface.

2.2.3 Bolting the tag to the metal surface

Bolting achieves effective mounting and retention in various use conditions.

The **TMT-3** can be mechanically attached using;

- Screws (size M4)
- Pop rivets (size 4 mm)

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2.2.4 Banding the tag to the metal surface

Banding is an effective mounting and retention method.

TROI LLC offers a number of banding options: Contact us for more details / options.

- **TMT-3-B1**; metal banding riveted to tag (other banding material can be used)



- **TMT-3-B2**; metal banding looped through the mounting holes and over the tag (other banding material can be used)



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