

PUCK Base

USB HF NFC / RFID Reader

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WHAT IS THE PUCK ?

The PUCK Base is an efficient and versatile desktop contactless coupler.

Thanks to its compatibility with PC / SC standards, the PUCK Base allows the use of a contactless card and NFC tags as easily as a conventional smart card with a simple and straightforward implementation.

- The PUCK is delivered with its USB-C cable.
- A simple design, with its crown of light and its logo customizable, suitable for all environments.
- Its latest generation electronic components and its NFC PN5180 modulation from NXP allow excellent radio performance to be achieved.
- Its architecture is optimized to meet new security needs with the integration of Secure Elements directly into the product.





Size (D x H)
Ø 7.8 x 2.8

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TYPICAL PUCK USE CASES

- # Loyalty programs
- # Logistics
- # Library
- # Storage & Inventory
- # Order preparations
- # Product traceability
- # E-passport & other e-documents
- # Micro-payment, electronic wallet
- # Authentication
- # Badge formatting & personalization

LAST
GÉNÉRATION
READER

SPEED OF
TRANSACTIONS

ALWAYS MORE EFFICIENT

- > Communication with cards at 848 kbit / s and passage extended APDUs (eAPDUs) up to 64 kB which decreases transaction time with cards supporting this mode of communication.
- > Support for the latest versions of standards:
EMV-ready
CEN / TS 16794-ready (AFIMB / RCTIF 5)

ALWAYS MORE COMPLETE

- > Monitoring of NFC Forum specifications.
- > Compatibility with Apple VAS (Wallet) and Google Smart Tap (Google Pay)

ALWAYS MORE COMPATIBLE

- > New features include the ISO / IEC 18000-3M3 RFID protocol, without renouncing the old card protocols (Innovatron, ST SR, ASK, CTS, ...).



PUCK Base COMPATIBLE CARDS

COMPATIBLE CARDS ISO/IEC 15693 & 18000-3M1 (NFC-V)

NXP: the entire ICODE SLI and SLI2 (not ICODE1)

Infineon: the entire my-d Vicinity

ST MicroElectronics: range ST25TV, M24LR

Texas Instrument: range TagIT HF

COMPATIBLE CARDS ISO/IEC 18000-3M3 (EPC HF)

NXP: range ICODE-EPC

STANDARDS COMPLIANT CARDS

PUCK complies with all the standards in force for near field communication at 13.56MHz, it is immediately compatible with all NFC or RFID chips which comply with the same standards.

COMPATIBLE CARDS JIS:X6319-4 (NFC-F)

Sony: range FeliCa Lite & Lite-S

CARDS USING A PROPRIETARY PROTOCOL

Calypso protocol

Innovatron: CD97, GTML

Innovision/Broadcom: Topaz, Jewel

ST MicroElectronics: SR176, SRI512

ASK/Paragon ID: CTS256, CTS512

Inside Contactless

PicoPass / HID iClass

Silicon Craft: SI43NT

EM Marin: EM4134

COMPATIBLE CARDS ISO/IEC 14443 (NFC-A or NFC-B)

NXP: the entire range MIFARE, included MIFARE UltraLight, MIFARE Classic, MIFARE Plus, DESFire, SmartMX, and the entire range NTAG

Infineon: range my-d Proximity, my-d Move, range SLE et SLS

ST MicroElectronics: range ST25TA, ST25TB, CD21, M24SR

Atmel/Microchip: range AT88SC

NFC PASS

PUCK is able to read and retrieve NFC pass information from Apple Wallet and GooglePay applications in your smartphones. Try it out by downloading your demo pass from springpass.springcard.com

COMPATIBILITY BETWEEN A CARD AND A READING SYSTEM COVERS THREE LEVELS

ANALOGUE LEVEL COMPATIBILITY

This point covers the correct transmission of energy and good quality of the radio link.

PROTOCOL COMPATIBILITY

The electronic chip on the card and the reader must speak the same language.

PUCK implements the latest versions of the standards and respects the EMV and CEN / TS 16794 (AFIMB / RCTIF 5) implementation recommendations for maximum compatibility.

APPLICATION LEVEL COMPATIBILITY (TRANSACTION)

This point covers the securing (optional) of the link and the access to the information which the chip contains.

In Smart Reader and RFID Scanner mode, the reading templates allow the PUCK "intelligent reader" to access data from most chips on the market.

In PC / SC mode, PUCK operates in transparent mode (pass-through) and gives applications running on the host computer full access to the functions of the chip.





PC / SC MODE

100% COMPATIBLE

The PUCK Base brings its approach 100% compatible with all desktop operating systems (Windows, Mac OS, Linux). Full interoperability with their predecessors in the Prox'n'Roll family and with all smart card readers on the market thanks to the PC / SC standard.

SMART READER MODE

INTELLIGENT READER

The transaction between the reader and the card is executed directly by the reader without the need for any code that runs on an application. The integrated secure elements ensure the protection of the keys.

RFID SCANNER MODE

KEYBOARD EMULATION

This mode is identical to the smart reader in keyboard emulation. This feature allows, once the pass is presented on the reader, to have its data automatically sent to the PC as if they were typed on the keyboard.



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Our SpringCard Companion software is also a local web server accessible from companion.springcard.com. SpringCard Companion allows you to configure your PUCK in one click and store your configuration data. Once the PUCK is connected on the PC, the software communicates through the web with the connected reader in USB.

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TEMPLATES AVAILABLE

SMART MODE READER AND RFID SCANNER

The PUCK independently reads the card, RFID tag or NFC object, before transmitting the desired data obtained to the PC or tablet directly in the format suitable for downstream applications.

The PUCK has 4 independent templates which allow optimal use of badges issued by different organizations.

When the card implements protection against cloning or offers a secure read transaction, the read keys remain safe in the Secure Integrated element of the PUCK.

READING NDEF STRUCTURED DATA

Reading URLs (SmartPoster) or any specific business data, as long as it is stored in a structure compliant with the NFC Forum RTDs from all compliant tags (Type 1, 2, 3, 4A and 4B, 5).

Receiving peer-to-peer push messages (SNEP).

READING OF SMARTPHONES AND OF NFC OBJECTS

Secure reading of Apple VAS (PassKit / Wallet NFC) and Google VAS (Smart Tap / Google Pay) passes with storage of ECC keys in the secure element,



Secure reading of Orange NFC Retail and Orange NFC Office passes, or NFC passes SpringCard SpringBlue.

READING THE PROTOCOL SERIAL NUMBER (ID)

Carrier frequency: 13.56MHz ISO/IEC 14443 (NFC-A and NFC-B, including the entire NXP range MIFARE), ISO/IEC 15693 and 18000-3M1 (NFC-V), ISO/IEC 18000-3M3 (EPC HF), JIS:X6319-4 (NFC-F).

All tags consistent with NFC Forum: Type 1 (Innovision/ Broadcom Topaz and compatible), Type 2 (including NXP NTAG, Infineon my-d, ...), Type 3 (Sony FeliCa Lite and Lite-S), Type 4 (including NXP DESFire, STMicroelectronics ST25TA and M24SR, ...) and Type 5 (including NXP ICODE, Texas Instrument TagIT, STMicroelectronics ST25TV and M24LR, ...).

Transportation Cards "B" (Calypso Innovatron historical protocol) and STMicroelectronics transport tickets (SR176, SRI512, ...) and ASK/Paragon ID (CTS256 and CTS512).

READING DATA STORED IN MEMORY

APDUs 7816-4 exchange for querying ISO/IEC 14443-4 cards (T=CL / ISO-DEP) or Innovatron (SELECT APPLICATION, SELECT FILE, READ BINARY or READ RECORD).

NXP DESFire, NXP MIFARE Classic and compatible, NXP MIFARE Plus and compatible.

Direct access to memory areas of wired logic chips: all NFC Forum Type 2 compatible chips (including NXP MIFARE

UltraLight, NXP NTAG, Infineon my-d, ...) and ISO/IEC 15693-3/ NFC Forum Type 5 (including NXP ICODE, Texas Instrument TagIT, STMicroelectronics ST25TV and M24LR)

ADDITIONAL FEATURES

Formatting the output in decimal with Lühn key (ski passes), and

Verification of the authenticity (anti-clone function) of most of the chips in the NXP (NTAG DNA, MIFARE, etc) and ST ranges,

DESFire authentication before reading the ID for cards in Random-ID (random protocol identifier).

QUICK UPDATE AND
WITHOUT HANDLING
WITH COMPANION:
ONCE THE PUCK CONNECTED
TO THE SOFTWARE,
THE UPDATE IS MADE IN
A FEW SECONDS

TECHNICAL
DOCUMENTATIONS
[DOCS.SPRINGCARD.COM](https://docs.springcard.com)

THE PUCK
DOES ALSO
EMULATIONS
CARDS

EXCHANGES
NFC IN PEER
TO PEER

HE IS ABLE
TO STORE
DATA USERS OR
LICENSE KEYS

CUSTOMIZATION
THE LEDS COLORS: 100%
CONFIGURABLE WHICH
ALLOWS THE PUCK TO BE
ADAPTED TO THE COLOR
OF YOUR
COMPANY

POSSIBILITY OF
PERSONALIZE
LOGO ON THE FACE
OF THE READER



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TECHNICAL DATA

	PUCK BASE
ISO / IEC NFC / RFID standards	14443 A6B PCD (NFC-A, NFC-B), 15693 (NFC-V), 18000-3M1 & 3M3, 18092 (NFCIP-1), 14443 A PICC (card emulation)
Carrier frequency	13.56MHz (RFID HF, NFC)
RF field level	Typ: 3A / m at 0cm, 1.5A / m at 5cm
Antenna	Integrated, balanced, diameter 7cm Typ: 0-5cm, up to 10cm
Baudrate operating distance	26kbps (15693), 106/212/424 / 848kbps (14443), 106/212 / 424kbps (18092)
Technologies Non-ISO RF	NFC Forum Tag, types 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 (R / W), type 4 (emulation) NXP (Philips) MIFARE, BroadComm (Innovision) Jewel & Topaz, ThinField (Kovio) RF Barcode, ST SR & LR, ASK CTS, Atmel CryptoRF,... Calypso FeliCa Innovatron radio protocol (NFC-F): simple mode only HID iClass, Inside PicoTag: serial number only
Host Interface	USB 2.0 full speed
Host Interface, USB	CCID (PC / SC) SpringCard Direct HID keyboard
Other Features	Secure host communication (AES-128)
Light	True R, G, B LED with advanced brightness control
Sound	(Battery status, Bluetooth status, mode) 1 tone buzzer
Size	Diameter 7.8cm / Size: 2.8cm / Weight: 140g
Cable / connector	1.8m cord - USB type C connector
Temperature	Operation -20 / + 70 ° C, storage -40 / + 85 ° C
Humidity	0-90% non-condensing 0-90%
Approvals	Radio: EN 300330, EMC: EN 301489, Safety: EN 60950-1, CE marked FCC class B part 15 (pending) RoHS, WEEE
Size	Ø 7.8 cm x 2.7 cm
Weight	75 g
Warranty	2 years

ABOUT SPRINGCARD

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CONTACTLESS & 13.56MHZ RFID & NFC SOLUTIONS AND READERS

SpringCard is a French company that designs and manufactures contactless readers by combining different technologies.

With 20 years of field experience in systems with 13.56 MHz, we offer more than just technical skills.

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