



PACKAGE CONTENTS & INFORMATION

Provided by Jampos Softwares LTD – Your Trusted Barcode Partner in Africa

CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICITY

This certificate confirms that your barcode numbers are **unique, valid, and assigned exclusively for your use**. Jampos Softwares LTD ensures that all barcode numbers sold are legitimate and only issued once. These barcodes are suitable for global trade and meet international standards.

EAN & UPC BARCODE FORMATS

You have received both **EAN-13 (GTIN-13)** and **UPC-12 (GTIN-12)** barcode files in the following formats:

- PDF (for general use)
- JPG (for quick viewing and sharing)
- EPS (for high-resolution professional printing)

EAN-13 barcodes consist of **13 digits** and are the **standard format used across Africa, Europe, Asia, Australia, and most of the world**.

UPC-12 barcodes consist of **12 digits** and are primarily used in **USA and Canada**.

Each barcode includes a **check digit**, automatically calculated based on the preceding numbers using a standardized algorithm.

IMPORTANT NOTE ON BARCODE COMPATIBILITY

Due to international retail compliance standards (e.g., the Sunrise 2005 initiative), **most barcode scanners globally can read both EAN-13 and UPC-12 barcodes**. However, if you are selling products primarily in **Africa or outside North America**, you are advised to use the **EAN-13 format** for maximum compatibility.

ART FILE FORMATS AND USAGE



Each barcode comes in three file formats:

- **PDF & JPG:** Suitable for visual reference, digital catalogs, and general sharing.
- **EPS:** Ideal for high-quality printing on packaging and product labels. This format should be used by your designers or printing service providers.

We recommend that you **always use the EPS file** for final print runs to ensure barcode clarity and scannability.

BARCODE SIZE RECOMMENDATIONS

Your barcodes are supplied at **100% standard size (approx. 1.5" x 1")**.

- The **width** should never be reduced below **80% (approx. 1.2")**.
- The **height** may be truncated, but not recommended below **0.25"**. Maintain the original size for best results and scan accuracy.

DOCUMENTATION INCLUDED

- **Excel Spreadsheet (Editable):** Contains all your barcode numbers and check digits. Ideal for creating your product list, sharing with vendors, or managing internal inventory.
- **PDF Spreadsheet (Read-only):** A permanent reference listing all your assigned codes.

These spreadsheets can include additional product information such as item descriptions, pricing, size, color variants, and other relevant details for retailers or resellers.

LEGAL VALIDITY & COMPLIANCE

All barcodes supplied by **Jampos Softwares LTD** are valid and legitimate for worldwide retail use. The barcode numbers originate from original UCC (now GS1) allocations and are free from renewal obligations.

You are **not required to pay annual fees, register, or renew** your codes.

Once assigned, the barcode numbers are **yours permanently** and can be used without any further cost or restrictions.



THE ITF-14 BARCODE

For bulk packaging, pallets, or cartons, you may require an **ITF-14** barcode.

The **ITF-14** (also known as GTIN-14 or Case Code) is generated using your EAN-13 or UPC-12 product number and is essential for warehouse and logistics operations.

It includes 14 digits and is based on the same product codes you've been assigned, with slight formatting differences.

If needed, Jampos Softwares LTD can assist you in generating ITF-14 barcodes derived from your product GTINs.

NO EXPIRY. NO RENEWALS. NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED.

With barcodes issued by Jampos Softwares LTD:

- There are **no renewal fees**
- Your codes **do not expire**
- You **do not need to register**
- They are **globally scannable** and **retail-ready**

If you have any further questions or need assistance in setting up or applying your barcodes, our team at **Jampos Softwares LTD** is ready to support you.