

## Creating a Global Document Type Identifier (GDTI)

**Checklist for creating a Global Document Type Identifier (GDTI)** 

<u>Task</u>		<u>Example</u>	
1.	Acquire a GS1 Company Prefix	0614141 is the GS1 Company Prefix assigned	
2.	Determine the types of documents to be identified with GDTIs.		
3.	Assign Document Type Numbers to each type of document	<ul><li>00000 is the first Document Type Number</li><li>00001 is the second Document Type Number</li><li>00002 is the third Document Type Number and so on</li></ul>	
4.	Assign Serial Numbers by document type for each document type	<ul> <li>1 is the first Serial Number for the first Document Type Number</li> <li>2 is the second Serial Number for the first Document Type Number</li> <li>3 is the third Serial Number for the first Document Type Number and so on</li> </ul>	
5.	Maintain a data file of document types and GDTIs		
6.	Maintain a data file of Serial Number assignment by document type including what Serial Number is linked to who or what		
7.	Manage data files for maintenance (changed or deleted assignments)		

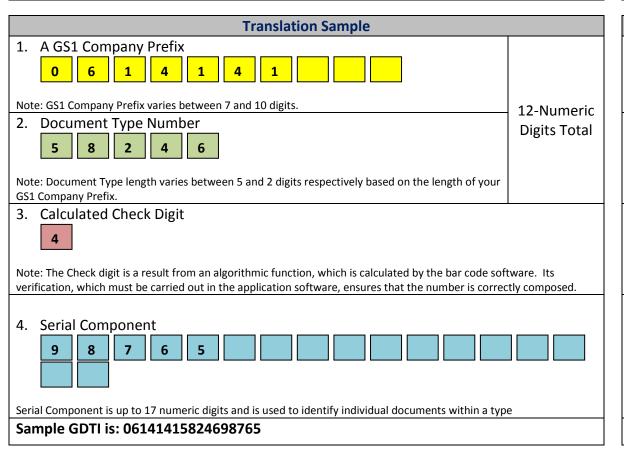
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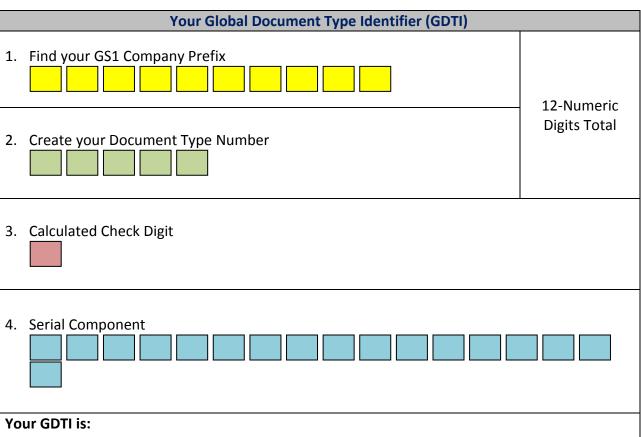
### Creating a Global Document Type Identifier (GDTI)

#### Identify the components of the GDTI and Serial Component

Components of a Global Document Type Identifier (GDTI):				
•	GS1 Company Prefix (Assigned by GS1 US)			
•	Document Type Number (Assigned by the owner of the GS1 Company Prefix)			
•	Check Digit - Online Check Digit Calculator			
	(Automatically calculated - Modulo 10 Algorithm)			
•	Serial Component (Assigned by the owner of Document Type)			



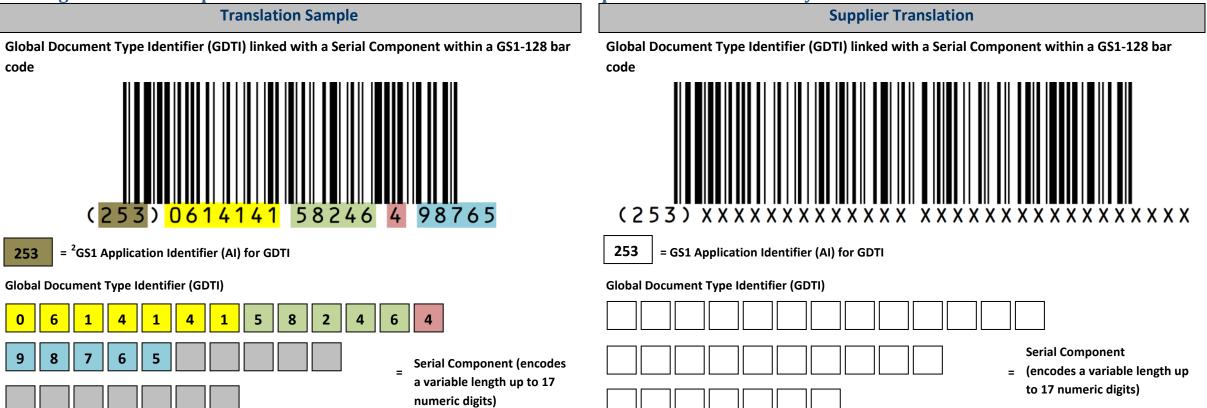
# Components of a GDTI: GS1 Company Prefix (Assigned by GS1 US) Document Type Number (Assigned by the owner of the GS1 Company Prefix) Check Digit - Online Check Digit Calculator (Automatically calculated - Modulo 10 Algorithm) Serial Component (Assigned by the owner of Document Type)





### Creating a Global Document Type Identifier (GDTI) for use in a Barcode<sup>1</sup>

If using a barcode to capture the GTDI: Insert the GDTI and Serial Component into a GS1-128 symbol



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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For further information about printing GS1-128 barcodes please refer to (<a href="http://www.gs1us.org/resources/standards/gs1-128">http://www.gs1us.org/resources/standards/gs1-128</a>) and technology providers (barcode specialists) who will create the barcode labels.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> GS1 Application Identifiers are the field of two to four digits at the beginning of an Element String in a barcode that uniquely defines its format, length, and meaning. They are all identified in Section 3 of the GS1 General Specifications. Parentheses surrounding the Application Identifier (AI) are not encoded within the barcode but are used for the Human Readability.



### Creating a Global Document Type Identifier (GDTI) for use in EPC/RFID<sup>3</sup>

When using an ECP/RFID-enabled Tag: Convert the GDTI and Serial Component to the EPC GDTI Format

Translation Sample	Supplier Translation		
GS1 Company Prefix (Note: Varies in length between 7 and 10 digits.)  Document Type (Note: Object Class length varies between 5 and 2 digits		GS1 Company Prefix (Note: Varies in length between 7 and 10 digits.)  Document Type (Note: Object Class length varies between 5 and 2 digits respectively based on the	
9 8 7 6 5 Serial Component (assigned by the GS1 Company Prefix)		length of your GS1 Company Prefix.)  Serial Component (assigned by the	
Owner)  GDTI: 06141415824698765	GDTI:	GS1 Company Prefix Owner)	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> For further details about encoding EPC-enabled RFID Tags, please refer to the Tag Data Standard (<a href="http://www.gs1.org/gsmp/kc/epcglobal/tds/">http://www.gs1.org/gsmp/kc/epcglobal/tds/</a>) and technology providers (integrators) who will create the tags/inlays.