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# RAIN at the jewelry counter



Dec 10, 2020 2:50pm

Kevin Berisso, Ph.D.

Automatic Identification Lab



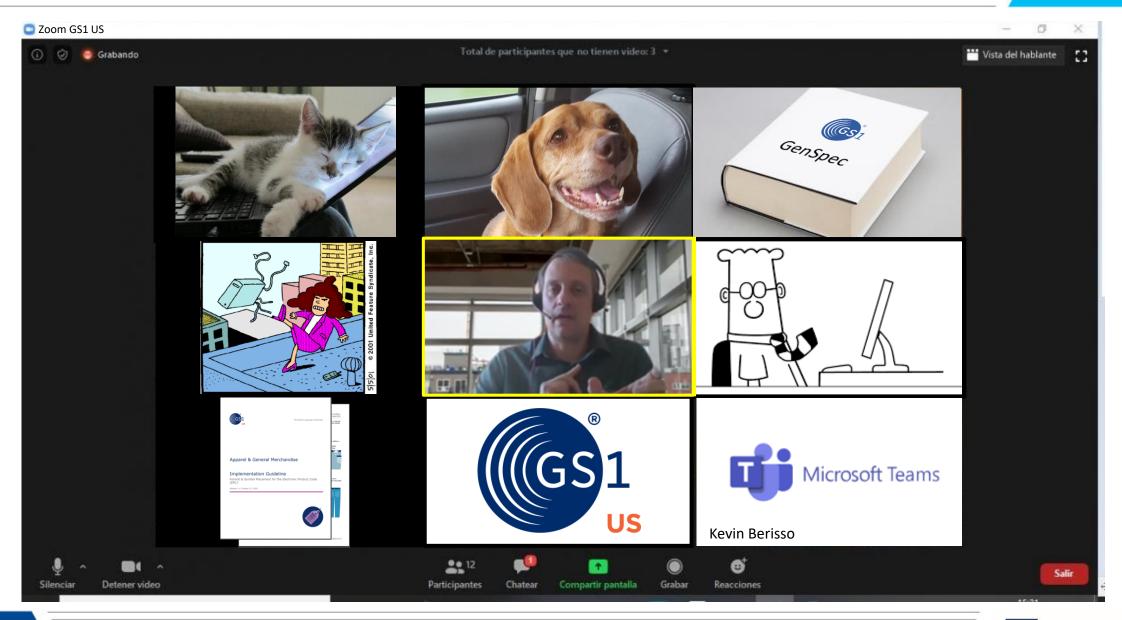
















# CURIOSITY

Some Places Remain Unknown Because No One Has Ventured Forth.
Others Remain So Because No One Has Ever Come Back.



# \$99/month Turnkey RFID Asset Tracking System







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#### **Search Results**

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Mar 30, 2020 by studio98

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#### RFID Tracks Jewelry Inventory, Shopping With Smart Tray

Jan 26, 2020 ▶ by Claire Swedberg

Hong Kong jewelry brand Chow Tai Fook is employing an RFIDenabled tray from Converge Retail as part of a holistic solution to bring visibility and automation to the manufacture, supply chain and inventory management of its products.



#### Can RFID Be Embedded in Gold or Silver Jewelry?

Mar 17, 2016 by RFID Journal

If so, how would a tag be placed inside a wedding band, and has RFID Journal published any stories about [...]

#### Innovative Marketing: Jewelry Shines Brighter With NFC



#### IGC Brand Services Tags Diamonds, Jewelry

Apr 3, 2015 by Claire Swedberg

The HF RFID system enables the wholesaler to track when products arrive, where they are as they are processed, and when they are stored, shipped or returned, via a combination of handheld and desktop readers.



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Achieving Return on Investment using RFID for Jewelry Tracking





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# Thanks!





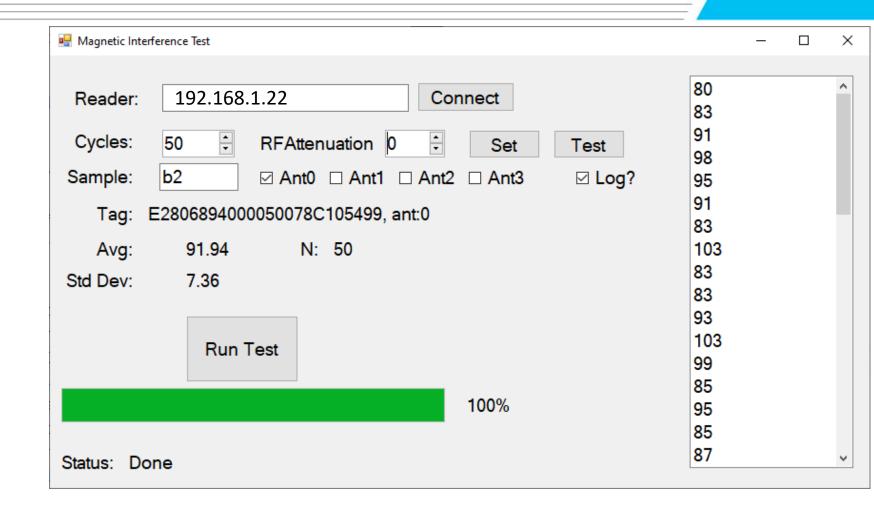




## **Custom app**







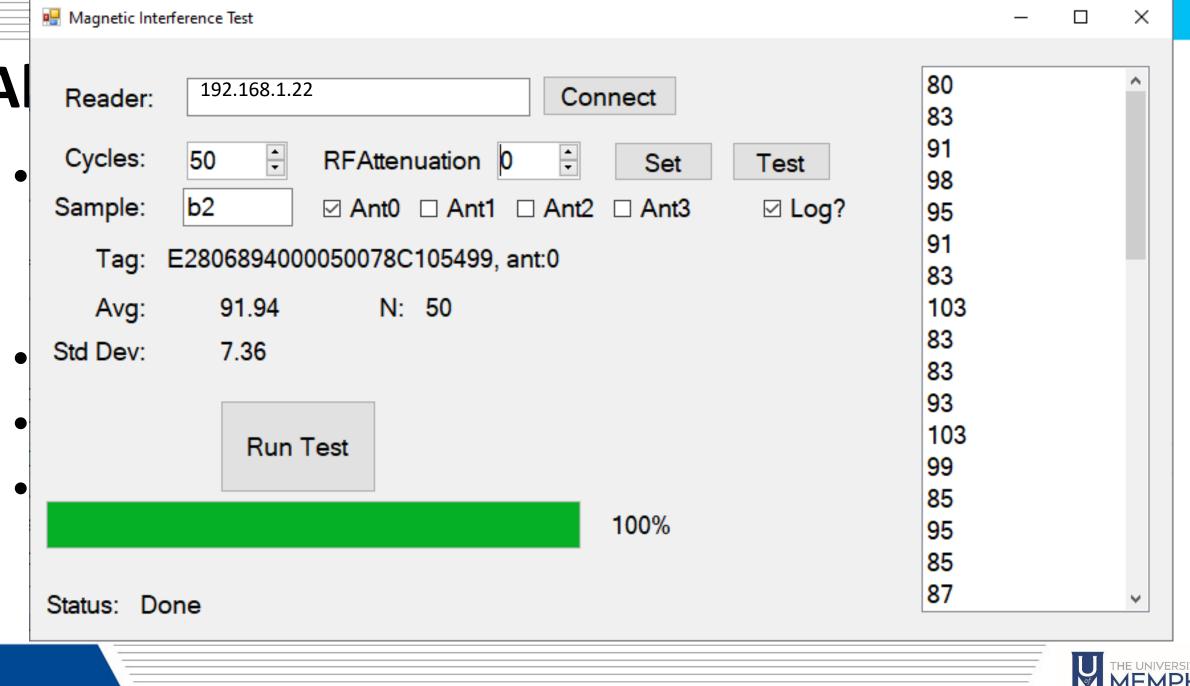


#### Alien TOT command

 Turn on Threshold (minimum power required to get a response from the tag)

- Units: dBm
- Range: 50-315 (-1 if tag can't be read)
- Multiple read attempts recommended (reading is frequency dependent)

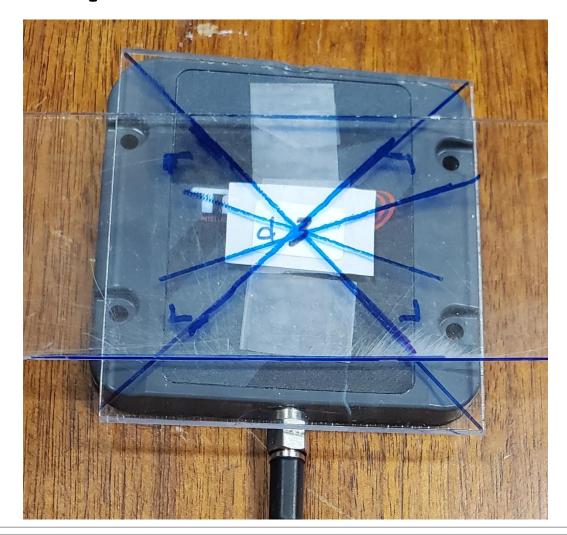






## **Antenna Setup**









## Magnets

- Neodymium
- 3/8" O.D.
- 0.06" thick



Qty	Strength			
0	13 μΤ			
1	117 μΤ			
2	259 μΤ			
3	400 μΤ			
4	526 μΤ			
5	625 μΤ			
6v	217 μΤ			
6h	585 μΤ			





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#### **Intentional Test Protocol Limitations**

#### **Being tested**

- Impacts of static magnetic field
- NF RAIN RFID performance
- NF targeted tags (small form factor)

#### Not being tested

- Tag to tag performance
- Electronically generated magnetic fields (motors)
- All tag formats

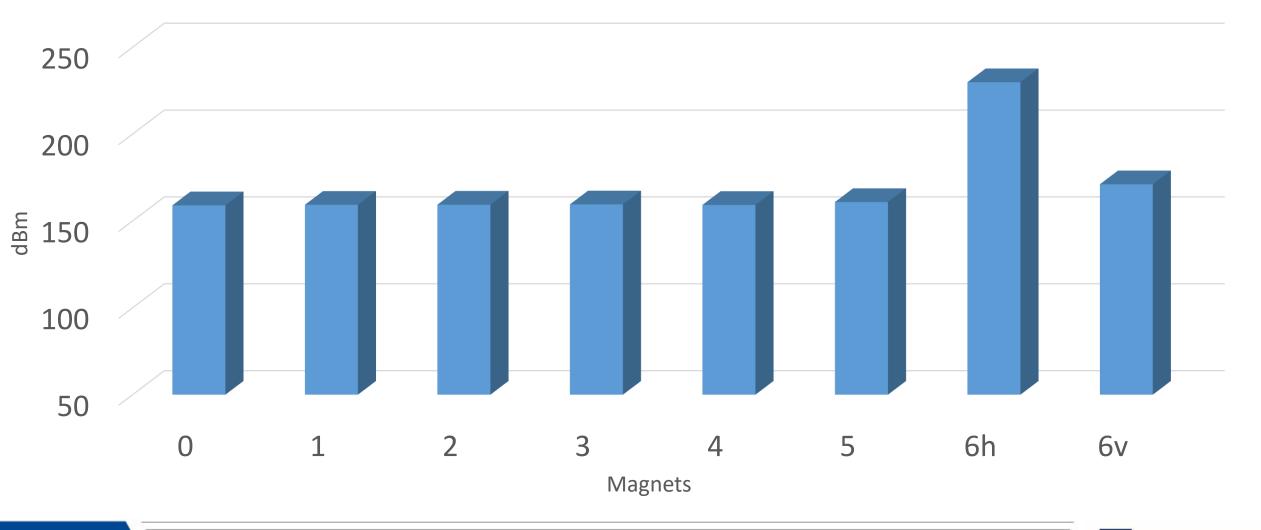


## Results (for all tags)

Magnets	Average	Max	Min	Std Dev
0	159.0	304	80	46.42
1	159.3	272	75	40.20
2	159.3	278	75	41.43
3	159.5	277	73	40.14
4	159.2	263	76	38.52
5	160.8	290	80	41.77
6h	229.8	292	133	38.85
6v	171.1	315	83	46.79

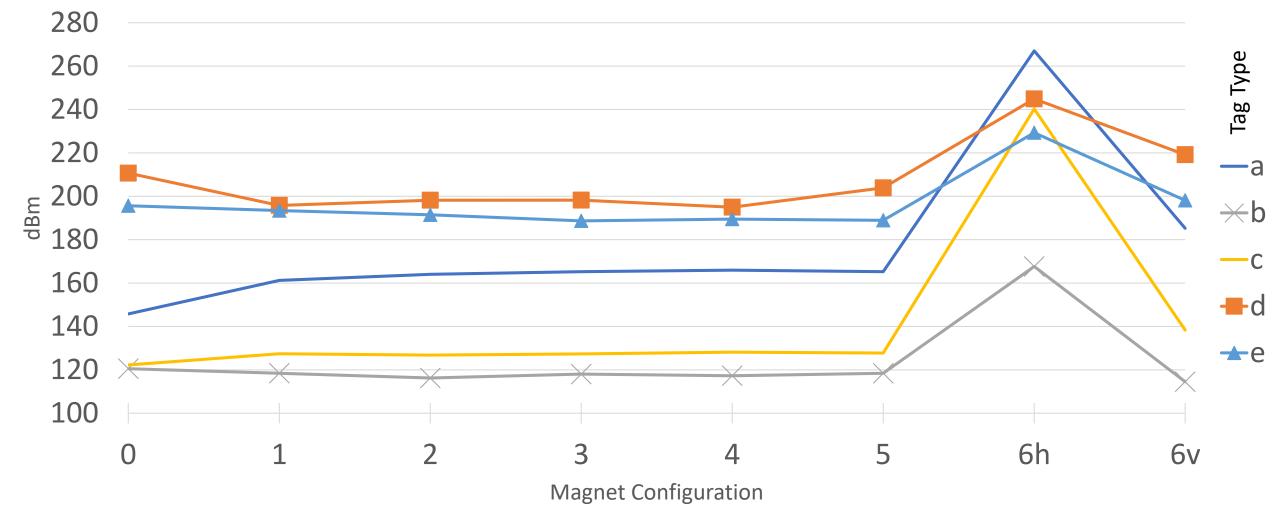


## Results – By Magnetic Configuration





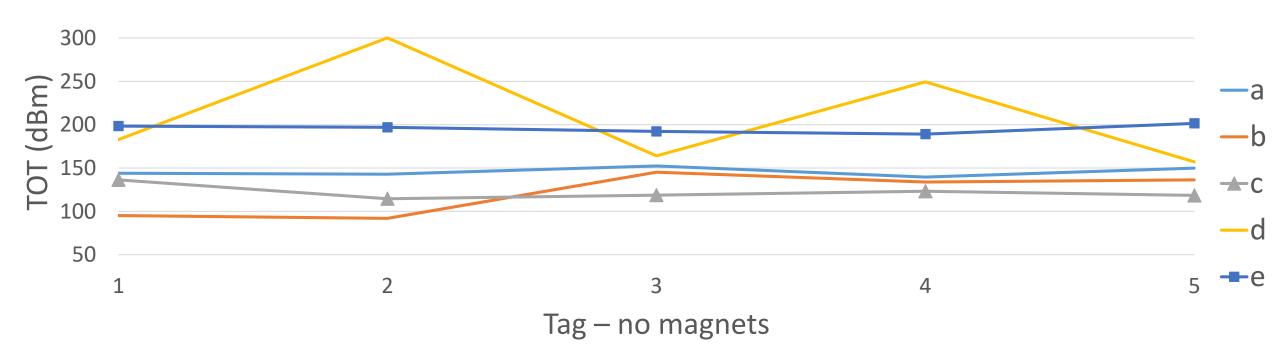
## Results – By Tag





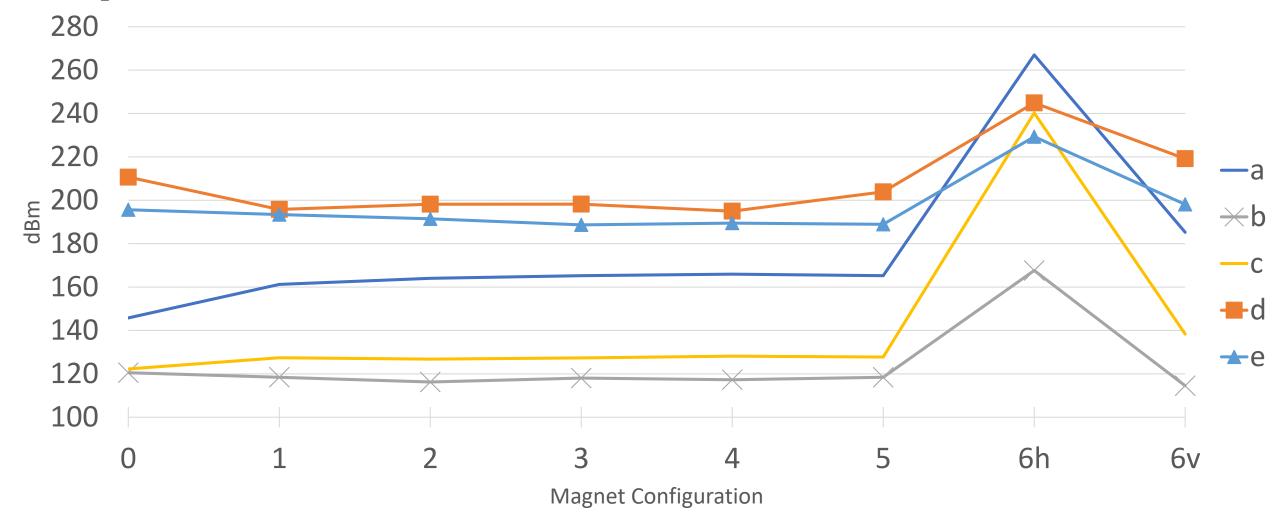
### Conclusions

- Failed to show a significant difference
- Within tag variations were larger than expected

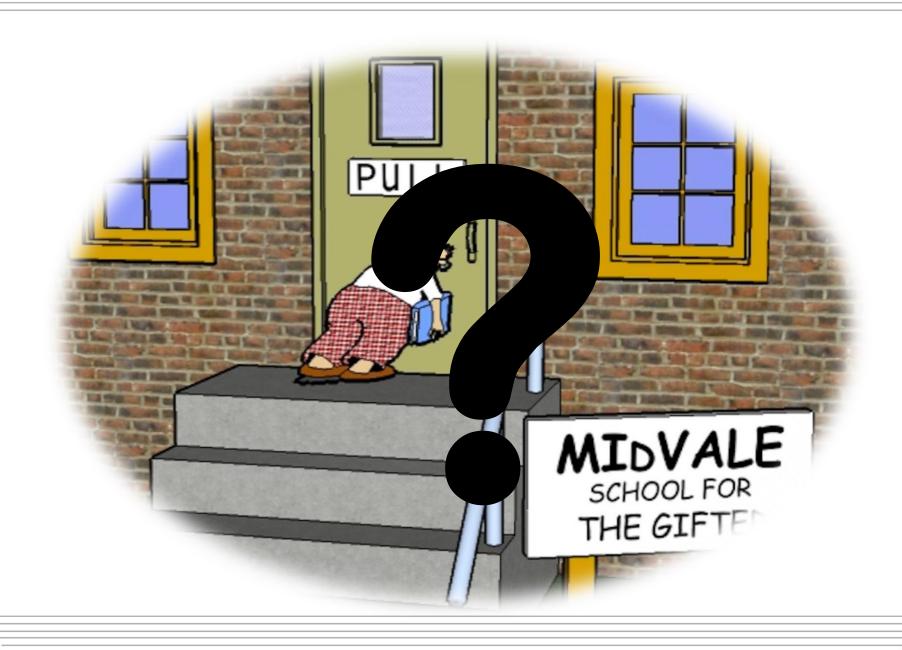




## **Surprises**









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