

# ScanTELL



"The Talking Bar Code Reader"™

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- **Provides speech access to bar-coded items.**
- **Identifies workplace items, retail products, and any other bar-coded materials.**
- **Assists blind and visually impaired employees in the workplace.**
- **Economical and easy to use.**
- **Compatible with practically all commercial bar code scanners and labels.**



## Unique/Versatile

ScanTELL allows blind and visually impaired persons to quickly and independently identify bar coded items at work, school, and home. This includes workplace materials such as diskettes, CDs, books, documents, files, assets, inventory and stock items, manufacturing line items, equipment, etc. ScanTELL can also identify retail products and essentially any other bar-coded materials.

## Advantages

ScanTELL is a unique flexible system for identifying related information. ScanTELL allows blind and low vision employees to work with many types of workplace items. ScanTELL is typically used for workplace applications where hundreds or thousands of bar-coded items must be handled and accurately identified.

### ScanTELL

- Makes bar-coded items accessible to visually impaired employees.
- Is compatible with most bar code scanners and any standard bar codes.
- Can speak many levels of descriptive information.
- Works with cheap, durable bar code labels.

## Applications

Sample ScanTELL applications include:

- checking in and out books, software, hardware, and other equipment (e.g., for lending libraries);
- confirming and updating stockroom and other inventories;
- confirmation of information associated with shipping and receiving goods;
- identifying manufacturing line items and components;
- checking stock levels in retail stores and dispensing systems (e.g., soda pop machines);
- correctly identifying drugs and associated usage and warning information;
- obtaining instructions on the use of a bar-coded item (e.g., preparation or application details);
- training applications (e.g., self-paced Braille instruction using Braille cards with bar code labels); and,
- identifying grocery and other retail products using their pre-printed bar codes.

## Configurations

ScanTELL Software for Windows 95/98/NT/2000/XP

### Requirements:

- Bar code scanner with USB or keyboard wedge interface
- PC with 128 MB of RAM, 315 MB of available hard disk space, and CD-ROM drive
- Compatible sound card

### Portable ScanTELL

Available in the following configurations:

- Electronic device with a choice of bar code scanners and battery or AC power
- Add on hardware and software for selected handheld PCs running Windows Mobile PC.

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