



Practical Farm Livestock Identification

Clever engineering & technical innovation



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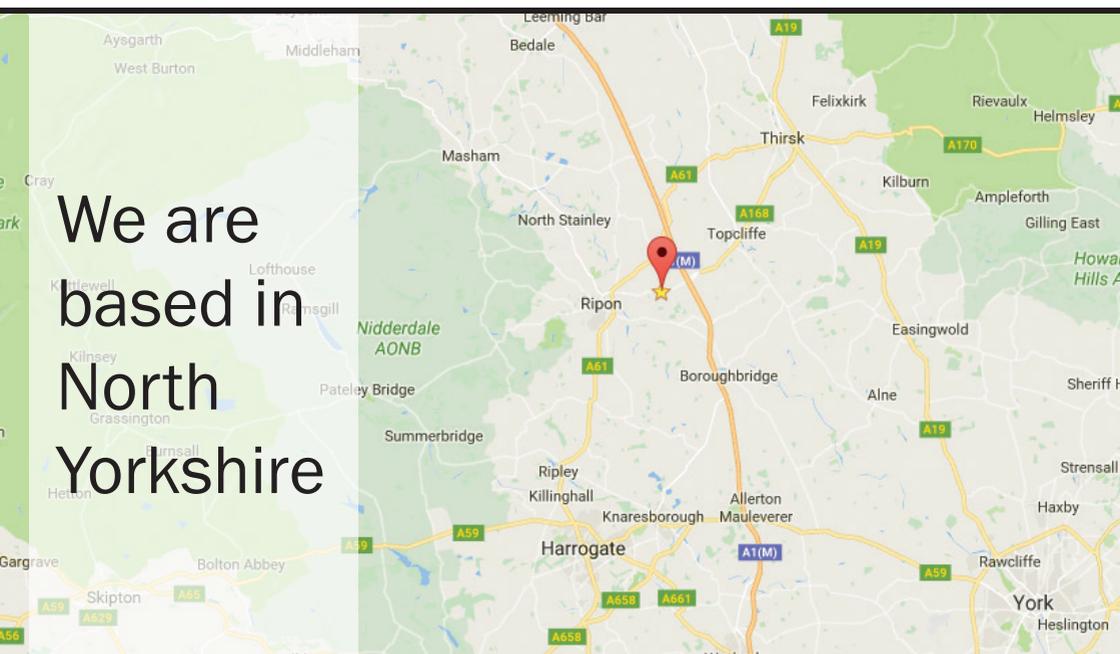
Monday to Friday
8:30am to 5pm

Cattle Tag Replacement Policy

If the tag fails mechanically within the first three years we will replace it FOC. If the mechanical damage was as a result of using an applicator other than the Caisley™ Universal Applicator, the replacement tag would be charged at the standard price. The most common reasons for tag loss are due to incorrect application:

- ✓ Using the wrong applicator will damage the tag and locking mechanism.
- ✓ The female part of the tag (with the locking mechanism cap) should always be in the inside of the ear.

Handling and feeding systems, and fencing etc. differ on every farm and can be a factor with tag loss. However as a rough rule of thumb, with cattle flag tags (large or medium) we would not expect on average over a seven year period a tag loss of more than 1 or 2 tags per 100 and will investigate all cases where the loss rate is significantly higher.



Postage Charges - Cost Per Order

Replacements

- Standard Service – £1.00
- Guaranteed by 9am – £14.00
- Guaranteed by 1pm – £7.00

Saturday Deliveries

- Guaranteed by 9am – £16.00
- Guaranteed by 1pm – £10.00

New Tags

- Standard Service – £8.00
- Guaranteed by 1pm – £10.00
- Guaranteed by 1pm
- Saturday – £19.00

Next day delivery excluding Highlands & Islands see website for details All prices are exclusive of VAT

You can speak to our Customer Service Team anytime between 8.30am & 5.00pm Monday to Friday

How to order...



Telephone - fast, friendly and easy ordering
call Customer Service on 01765 530296



Online 24/7 - order online visit
www.caisleytags.co.uk
email sales@caisleytags.co.uk



At Shows - come and meet the Caisley™
Team in person at one of the many shows
across the country



Visit Caisley™ - if you are local to us just
pop in and order your tags

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What is different about Caisley™ technology?

Key features for tag retention:

1 Applicator design

- ✓ Straight-line action drives male & female precisely together
- ✓ No damage to locking mechanism or electronic (EID) transponder
- ✓ Minimises ear tissue & animal trauma



2 Tag raw materials

- ✓ Blend of premium quality plastic ingredients
- ✓ No recycled materials used
- ✓ High elasticity & tensile strength allows tag to be released when snagged

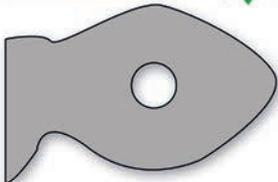


3 Design of male & female locking mechanism

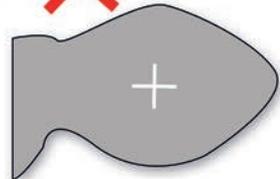
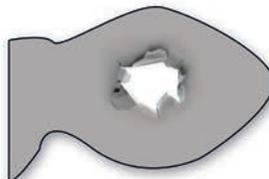
- ✓ Hardened glass-fibre inserts punch a clean hole in the ear-tissue
- ✓ Cleanly punched hole allows free and frictionless tag rotation throughout the lifetime of the animal



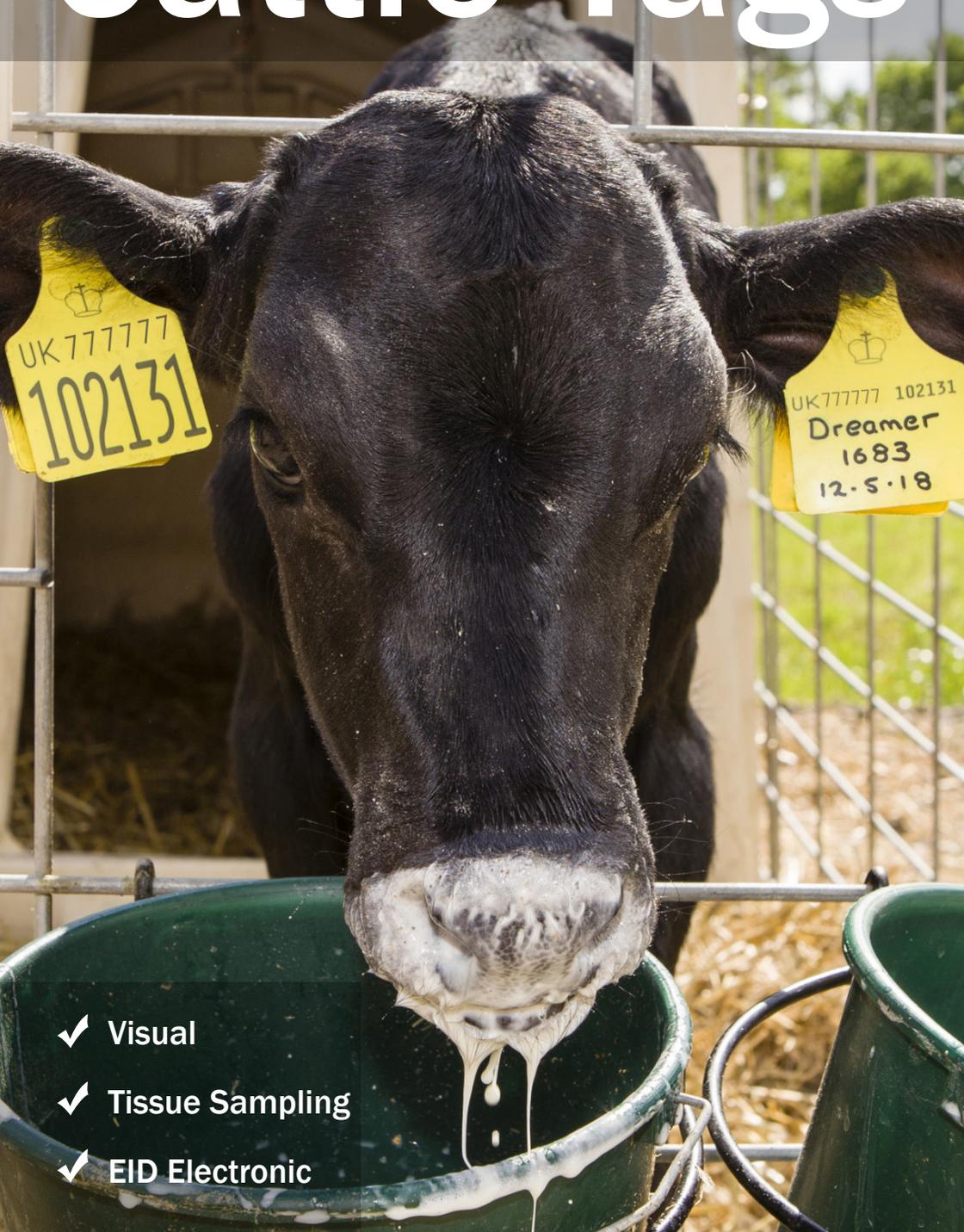
Caisley Tag



Other Tags



Cattle Tags



- ✓ Visual
- ✓ Tissue Sampling
- ✓ EID Electronic

Ministry Approved Combos	Primary Tag	Secondary Tag	1 to 49	50 to 99	100 to 299	300 +
<p>Combo 1 Large Flag with Button</p> 	FlexoPlus® D/D	MultiFlex R/R®	£2.50	£2.10	£1.80	
<p>Combo 2 Strip Large Flag with Large Flag Management Space</p> 	FlexoPlus® D/D	FlexoPlus® D/D <i>Available in 6 colours</i>	£2.30	£1.90	£1.60	
<p>Combo 2 B Strip Large Flag with Large Flag printed with big animal number on secondary tag</p> 	FlexoPlus® D/D	FlexoPlus® D/D <i>Available in 6 colours</i>	£2.30	£1.90	£1.60	
<p>Combo 3 Strip Large Flag with Large Flag</p> 	FlexoPlus® D/D	FlexoPlus® D/D <i>Available in 6 colours</i>	£2.30	£1.90	£1.60	
<p>Combo 4 Large Flag with Medium Flag</p> 	FlexoPlus® D/D	FlexoPlus® F/F	£2.50	£2.10	£1.80	
<p>Combo 5 Strip Medium Flag with Medium Flag</p> 	FlexoPlus® F/F	FlexoPlus® F/F <i>Available in 2 colours</i>	£2.30	£1.90	£1.60	

Price on request

Price ex VAT

Ministry Approved Combos		Primary Tag	Secondary Tag	1 to 49	50 to 99	100 to 299	300 +
Combo 6 Strip Large Flag with Large Flag both barcoded 		FlexoPlus® D/D Barcoded	FlexoPlus® D/D Barcoded	£2.30	£1.90	£1.60	
EID (Electronic)	Combo 7 Large Flag with Button EID 	FlexoPlus® D/D	Flexotronic® R/R30 	£4.70	£4.30	£4.10	Price on request
	Combo 8 Medium Flag with Button EID 	FlexoPlus® F/F	Flexotronic® R/R30 	£4.70	£4.30	£4.10	
EID (Electronic)	Combo 9 Strip Large Flag with LargeFlag EID Management space 	FlexoPlus® D/D	Flexotronic® D/D30 MS Available in 6 colours  	£4.50	£4.10	£3.80	

Caisley™ Cattle Tags

Secondary tags available in a choice of colours



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Price ex VAT

Ministry Approved Combos		Primary Tag	Secondary Tag	1 to 49	50 to 99	100 to 299	300 +
Tissue Sampling	Combo 11 Strip Large Flag Tissue sampling Sampling with Large Flag Management Space BVD or DNA	FlexoPlus® Geno D/D	FlexoPlus® D/D <i>Available in 6 colours</i>  	£2.80	£2.40	£2.10	Price on request
	Combo 11 B Strip Large Flag with Large Flag printed with last four four digits on secondary tag BVD or DNA	FlexoPlus® Geno D/D	FlexoPlus® D/D <i>Available in 6 colours</i>  	£2.80	£2.40	£2.10	
	Combo 13 Large Flag with Button Tissue Sampling BVD or DNA	FlexoPlus® D/D	FlexoPlus® Geno R/R 	£3.00	£2.60	£2.30	

Storage Box & Mini Storage for secure & easy sample tube management

 Mini - 16 sample tubes

 Standard - 192 sample tubes



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BVD Test 'Pay-As-You-Go' See page 12

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www.caisleyeartag.co.uk

Ministry Approved Combos		Primary Tag	Secondary Tag	1 to 49	50 to 99	100 to 299	300 +
Tissue Sampling	Combo 14 Medium Flag with Button Tissue Sampling BVD or DNA 	FlexoPlus® F/F	FlexoPlus® Geno R/R 	£3.00	£2.60	£2.30	Price on request
	Combo 15 Strip Large Flag Tissue Sampling with Large Flag BVD or DNA 	FlexoPlus® Geno D/D 	FlexoPlus® D/D <i>Available in 6 colours</i> 	£2.80	£2.40	£2.10	
	Combo 16 Strip Large Flag Tissue Sampling with Large Flag Tissue Sampling BVD or DNA 	FlexoPlus® Geno D/D 	FlexoPlus® Geno D/D 	£3.30	£2.90	£2.60	
	Combo 24 Medium Flag with Button 	FlexoPlus® F/F	MultiFlex R/R®	£2.50	£2.10	£1.80	
	Combo 25 Strip Large Flag Tissue Sampling with Medium Flag BVD or DNA 	FlexoPlus® Geno D/D 	FlexoPlus® F/F	£3.00	£2.60	£2.30	

Caisley™ Cattle Tags

Ministry Approved Combos		Primary Tag	Secondary Tag	1 to 49	50 to 99	100 to 299	300 +
<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Caisley™ Cattle Tags</p>	Tissue Sampling	<p>Combo 35 Strip Medium Flag Tissue Sampling with Medium Flag BVD or DNA</p> 	<p>FlexoPlus® Geno F/F</p> 	<p>FlexoPlus® F/F</p>	£2.80	£2.40	£2.10
	Tissue Sampling	<p>Combo 36 Strip Medium Flag Tissue Sampling with Medium Flag Tissue Sampling BVD or DNA</p> 	<p>FlexoPlus® Geno F/F</p> 	<p>FlexoPlus® Geno F/F</p> 	£3.30	£2.90	£2.60
	Tissue Sampling & EID	<p>Combo 37 Strip Large Flag Tissue Sampling with Large Flag EID MS BVD or DNA</p> 	<p>FlexoPlus® Geno D/D</p> 	<p>Flexotronic® D/D30 MS <i>Available in 6 colours</i></p> 	£5.00	£4.60	£4.30
	Tissue Sampling & EID	<p>Combo 38 Large Flag Tissue Sampling with Button EID (Electronic) BVD or DNA</p> 	<p>FlexoPlus® Geno D/D</p> 	<p>Flexotronic® R/R30</p> 	£5.20	£4.80	£4.50
	Tissue Sampling & EID	<p>Combo 39 Strip Large Flag Tissue Sampling with EID & Tissue Sampling MS BVD or DNA</p> 	<p>FlexoPlus® Geno D/D</p> 	<p>FlexoPlus® GenoTronic D/D30 MS</p> 	£6.00	£5.60	£5.30

Price on request

Replacement Cattle Tags

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Replacement	Price ex VAT
Replacement 1 Large Flag FlexoPlus® D/D 	£2.50
Replacement 2 Large Flag FlexoPlus® D/D Management Space <i>Secondary only</i> 	£2.50
Replacement 3 Large Flag FlexoPlus® D/D Barcoded 	£2.50
Replacement 4 Medium Flag FlexoPlus® F/F 	£2.50
Replacement 5 Button Multiflex® R/R <i>Secondary only</i> 	£2.50
Replacement 6 Large Flag EID Electronic FlexoTronic® D/D30  	£3.50

Replacement	Price ex VAT
Replacement 7 Button EID Electronic FlexoTronic® R/R30  	£3.50
<i>Secondary only</i> Replacement 8 Large Flag EID Electronic FlexoTronic® D/D30 Management Space  	£3.50
<i>Secondary only</i> Replacement 9 Button FlexoPlus®Geno R/R Tissue Sampling  	£3.50
<i>Secondary only</i>	

Replacement Cattle Tags

 Order before our afternoon post is collected and we will dispatch your replacement tag(s) the same day first class

Special next day delivery by 1pm **24hr delivery**
Extra charges apply

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Caisley™ Cattle Tags

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Pay-as-you-go

You choose the BVD testing laboratory

Laboratory	 Biobest Laboratories Ltd	 The Cattle Information Service	 LGC Limited	 NML national milk laboratories	 Veterinary Services SAC Consulting
BVD test(s) undertaken for:	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> ↖ Farmers ↗ Vets </div> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
Cost per test (ex VAT)	£4.25 (Non members) £3.95 (Health scheme members)	£2.50	£3.60	£2.70	£3.00
BVD test method(s):	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> ↖ PCR ↗ antigen ELISA </div> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes (Follow up)	<input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes
Turn round from receipt of sample?	3 working days (if retesting is required 7 days)	5 working days	5 - 10 days	3 - 5 days	7 - 10 working days
How soon after taking sample should it be sent to the laboratory?	Within 2 weeks (should be kept in fridge)	Within 3 weeks	As soon as possible. Samples have to reach the laboratory within four weeks of being taken or they will be deemed invalid for testing.	Within 7 days	Within 1 week
Sample submission forms:	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> ↖ Paper ↗ Online URL: </div> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes To be advised	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes TBC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Management Cattle Tags

Visual Tags - Laser Printed or Plain

- A** Extra Large Flag with Button
FlexoPlus® R/M
Tag Dimensions: M - H=100mm W=63mm
R - Diameter = 27mm

Plain £0.70 - Printed £0.85

- B** Large Flag FlexoPlus® D/D
Tag Dimensions: H=78mm W=57mm

Plain £0.70 - Printed £0.85

- C** Medium Flag FlexoPlus® F/F
Tag Dimensions: H=58mm W=57mm

Plain £0.70 - Printed £0.85

- D** Button MultiFlex® R/R
Tag Dimensions: Diameter = 27mm

Plain £0.35 - Printed £0.50

Available in 6 colours

Geno Tissue Sampling Tags

BVD
or DNA

- E** Large Flag FlexoPlus®Geno D/D
Tag Dimensions: H=78mm W=57mm

- F** Button FlexoPlus®Geno R/R
Tag Dimensions: Diameter = 27mm

BVD
or DNA

- G** VK - Geno Tissue Punch
BVD or DNA

Available in 6 colours

1 to 49 - £1.90
50 to 99 - £ 1.70
100 to 299 - £1.55
300 + Price on request

Caisley™ Cattle Tags

H Large Flag FlexoTronic® D/D30 with Management Space FDX

Tag Dimensions: H = 85mm W = 57mm

I Large Flag FlexoTronic® D/D30 with printed management numbers FDX

Tag Dimensions: H = 85mm W = 57mm

J Button FlexoTronic® R/R30 FDX

Tag Dimensions: Diameter = 30mm

Also available as a reusable with open cap

1 to 49 - £3.30

50 to 99 - £ £2.90

100 to 299 - £2.60

Available in 6 colours



300 + Price on request

For HDX version add £0.50



EID Electronic with Geno Tissue Sampling

K GenoTronic D/D30 with Management Space

Tag Dimensions: H = 85mm W = 57mm

L GenoTronic D/D30 with printed management numbers

Tag Dimensions: H = 85mm W = 57mm

M GenoTronic®R/R30

Tag Dimensions: Diameter = 30mm

Available in 6 colours



BVD or DNA



1 to 49 - £4.30

50 to 99 - £ £3.90

100 to 299 - £3.60

300 + Price on request

Visual Tags - Hot Foil or Plain

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Small Flag PrimaFlex 1/1

Tag Dimensions:
H = 46mm W = 45mm



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Large Flag PrimaFlex 2/2

Tag Dimensions: H = 61mm W = 45mm



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Extra Large Flag with Small Flag PrimaFlex 1/3

Tag Dimensions: Female H = 90mm W = 62mm
Male H = 46mm W = 45mm



Plain £0.95 Laser Printed £1.10

Available in 6 colours
Minimum order 50



Easy Mark Pen

-  Specially formulated ink in the Easy Mark pen dries almost immediately leaving a dark easily read mark



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Sheep & Goat Tags



✓ Visual

✓ EID Electronic

✓ Tissue Sampling

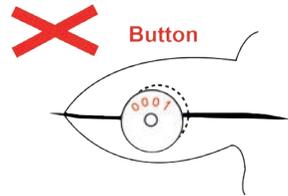
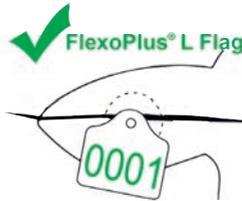
Sheep and Goat tags



- 🏠 100% read guarantee for lifetime of animal on long term EID (electronic) pairs
- 🏠 Very lightweight (EID - 4 grams, Visual - 2 grams)
- 🏠 Universal Applicator inserts both tags
- 🏠 Patented design which minimises damage to ear tissue

Unique design of FlexoPlus L

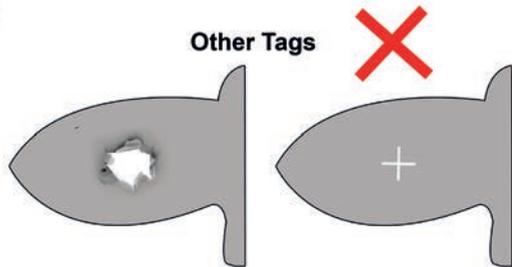
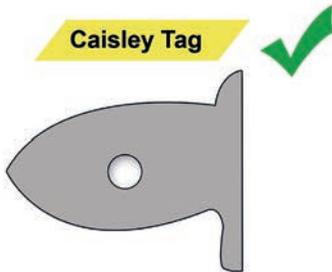
- 🏠 Minimise risk of tag loss
- 🏠 Easy to read numbers



Hardened glass-fibre inserts (grey & red) in male & female punch a clean hole in the ear tissue



Cleanly punched hole in the ear-tissue allows free and frictionless tag rotation throughout lifetime of the animal



Straight-line action drives male & female precisely together

Convex shape and channel for ventilation minimises risk of infection



Management Tags

Single Tags	1 to 49	50 to 99	100 to 299	300 +
FlexoPlus®L/L - Excellent retention - Insert FlexoPlus® tags with the Universal Applicator  Available in 4 colours Tag Dimensions H = 27mm W = 27mm 	£0.60	£0.50	£0.35	Price on request
Twin Tag™ Visual small two piece tag  Available in 5 colours Tag Dimensions W = 9mm L = 35mm Only available in strips of 10 	1 to 99	100 +		
	£0.25	£0.20		
FlexoPlus®GENO L/L  Available in 4 colours Tag Dimensions H = 27mm W = 27mm 	£1.90	£1.70	£1.55	
VK - Geno Tissue Punch Collect tissue sample without leaving a tag in the ear  Available in 4 colours 	£1.90	£1.70	£1.55	

Caisley™ Sheep & Goat Tags

FlexoPlus Geno L/L Tissue Sampling tags for certainty of unique animal identification

-  Sire and dam parentage
-  Traceability of stolen animals
-  Scrapie free status for breeding rams
-  Carcass verification

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Slaughter EID & Short Term Breeding Pairs Ministry Approved

		Price ex VAT			
Short Term	Tag Type	1 to 50	51 to 150	151 to 500	501 +
Slaughter EID (Electronic)  <i>Free applicator on orders of 50 tags or more (first order only)</i>	EID loop Yellow only	£0.80	£0.77	£0.75	£0.70
EID Electronic & Visual Short term breeding pair  <i>Free applicator on orders of 50 tags or more (first order only)</i>	EID loop with Visual loop <i>Available in 6 colours</i>  	£0.90	£0.87	£0.85	£0.80

Long Term Breeding Pairs Ministry Approved

Long Term	Tag Type	Tag Type	1 to 49	50 to 99	100 to 299	300 +
EID Electronic & Visual Long term breeding pair 	Flexotronic® L/R27 EID 	FlexoPlus® L/L <i>Available in 4 colours</i> 	£2.40	£2.15	£1.95	Price on request
EID Electronic & Visual Geno Tissue Sampling Long term breeding pair 	Flexotronic® L/R27 EID 	FlexoPlus® Geno L/L <i>Available in 4 colours</i>  	£3.70	£3.25	£2.95	Price on request

Sheep Tag Print Options Long Term Breeding Pairs

NON STANDARD LAYOUTS ADD £0.50 - Per pair

Print options	Visual or Tissue Sampling	EID (Electronic)
A		
B		
C		

Important tagging information

Always ensure that the female part of the tag (red cap) is inside the ear



Sheep – Red Replacement Tags

Price ex VAT

Red replacement pairs	Tag Type	Price ex VAT			
		10 to 99	100 to 249	250 to 499	500 +
Replacement - Short term breeding pair  <i>Free applicator on orders of 100 tags or more (first order only)</i>	Dual Tag – EID & Visual Loop tag	£0.81	£0.78	£0.76	£0.75
Replacement - Long term breeding pair 	Flexotronic® L/R27 EID and FlexoPlus® L/L	1 to 49	50 to 99	100 to 299	
		£2.40	£2.15	£1.95	

Sheep Replica Tags – Like for Like

Replica long term	Price ex VAT
Replica EID electronic long term tag 	£3.50
Replica visual 	£2.50

Replica short term	Price ex VAT
Replica EID electronic short term loop tag 	£3.50
Replica visual 	£2.50

Pig Tags



- ✓ Visual
- ✓ EID Electronic
- ✓ Tissue Sampling

Pig Tags - Tissue Sampling

Price ex VAT

FlexoPlus®Geno P/P	20 to 49	50 to 99	100 to 299	300 +
<p>FlexoPlus®Geno P/P</p> <p> Minimum order 20 Available in 6 colours</p> <p> Tag Dimensions H= 34mm W = 27mm</p> <p></p>	£1.90	£1.70	£1.55	Price on request
<p>VK - GENO Tissue Punch</p> <p>Collect tissue sample without leaving a tag in the ear</p> <p> Available in 4 colours</p> <p></p>	£1.90	£1.70	£1.55	

Pig Tags - Hot Foil or Plain

PrimaFlex™	Plain	Hot Foil
<p>Large Flag PrimaFlex 2/2</p> <p> Minimum order 50 Available in 6 colours</p> <p> Tag Dimensions H= 61mm W = 45mm</p>	£0.95	£1.10
<p>Small Flag PrimaFlex 1/1</p> <p> Minimum order 50 Available in 6 colours</p> <p> Tag Dimensions H= 46mm W = 45mm</p>	£0.95	£1.10

For bespoke numbers allow up to 3-4 weeks from order to delivery
PrimaFlex™ 1/1 - standard numbers available in stock

Use Hot Foil Tags

 Hot foil mark provides a more traditional solid black print for easy on farm management



Universal Applicator Inserts All Management Tags

-  PrimaFlex™
-  FlexoPlus®
-  FlexoTronic®
-  GenoTronic™



Pig Tags - Laser Printed or Plain

Price ex VAT

MultiFlex™	Plain	Printed
<p>MultiFlex™ U/U</p> <p> Minimum order 20</p> <p> Available in 6 colours</p>   <p><i>Tag Dimensions H= 48mm W = 45mm</i></p>	£0.50	£0.65
<p>MultiFlex™ P/P</p> <p> Minimum order 20</p> <p> Available in 6 colours</p>   <p><i>Tag Dimensions H= 34mm W = 27mm</i></p>	£0.35	£0.50
<p>MultiFlex™ R/R</p> <p> Minimum order 20</p> <p> Available in 6 colours</p>   <p><i>Tag Dimensions Diameter = 27mm</i></p>	£0.35	£0.50

Caisley™ Pig Tags

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Accessories

**Price
ex VAT**

Universal Applicator

 **Universal - only 1 Applicator for**
*FlexoPlus®, FlexoTronic®, GenoTronic™,
FlexoPlus®Geno, MultiFlex™, PrimaFlex™*

 *Parallel locking*

 *Inserts ready fitted*



£17.50

Easy Mark Pen

 *Permanent marking for all
Caisley™ ear tags*



£3.50

Mini Storage

 *For tissue sample storage capacity for 16
samples. Comes with Caisley lanyard*



£2.50

Storage Box

 *For tissue sample storage
capacity for 192 samples
Height: 32 mm Width: 138 mm Length: 136 mm*



£13.00

Twin Tag Applicator



£9.00

Loop Tag Applicator



£5.00

Inserts for Universal Applicator

(A) *Grey for FlexoPlus®, FlexoTronic®, GenoTronic™
FlexoPlus®Geno, MultiFlex™ tags*

(B) *Black for PrimaFlex™ tags*

(C) *White for VK Geno Tissue Punch*



(A) (B)

£4.00

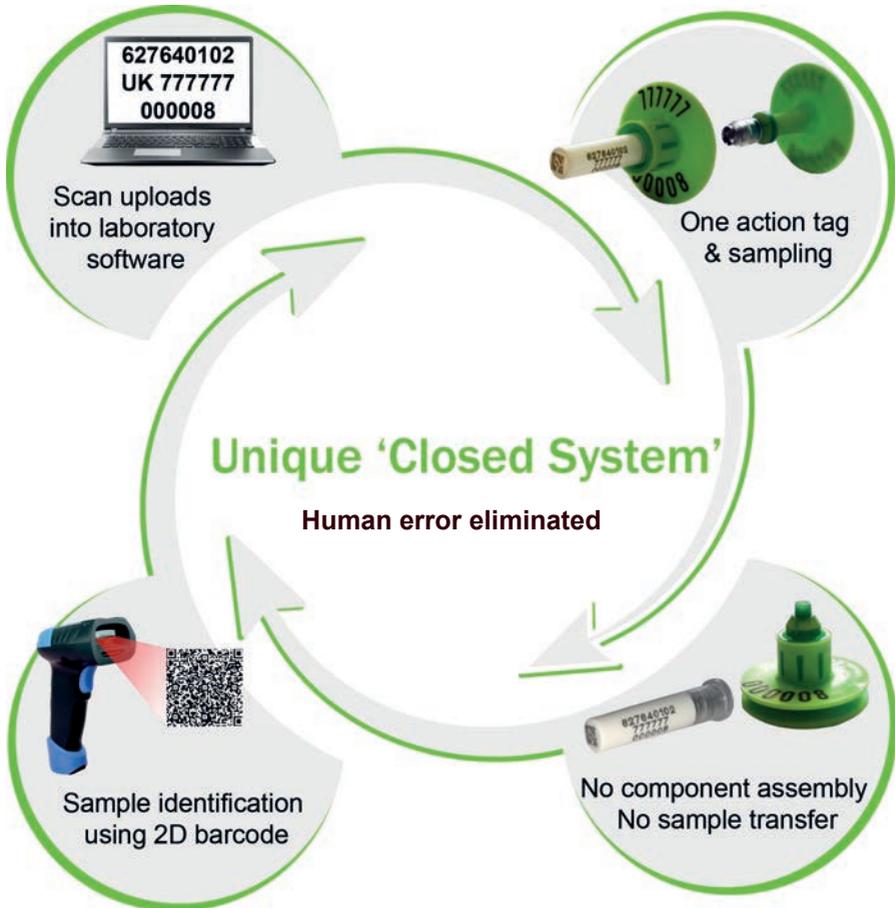
(C)

£5.00

Geno Tissue Sampling — Tags & System —

Caisley[™]
EARTAG LIMITED

- Applications Include:
- ✓ *DNA genetics*
 - ✓ *Disease control – BVD*
 - ✓ *Provenance & traceability*



Caisley[™] GENO Tissue Sampling Tags & System

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Geno Tissue Sampling System

Clever engineering - Innovative technology

Unrivalled system:

- ✓ Virtually 100% certainty of sample authenticity
- ✓ Sample unequivocally identified by the unique individual animal number
- ✓ Practical & simple application on farm
- ✓ No external or additional on farm operation & specialist skills required
- ✓ Dovetails with standard analytical laboratory equipment, procedures & processes
- ✓ Proven rigour & robustness in Court of Law
- ✓ Thoroughly tried & tested for over 10 years
- ✓ Simple, practical, low cost solution

———— Human error eliminated ————

Geno Tissue Sampling Tags

One action tag and sampling – No sample transfer

- ✓ Tag ready to use – No component assembly
- ✓ Available on all our visual & electronic livestock tags



- ✓ Sample tube printed with unique number sequence
 - ✓ *Official Ministry tags, Herd or Flock number & Animal number*
 - ✓ *Management tags, Herd & Flock, plus unique six digit number*
- ✓ Tube & tag numbering intrinsically linked
- ✓ Sample tube tamperproof & tamper evident
- ✓ None of the components are reusable
- ✓ Sample identification using 2D barcode
- ✓ Sample tube scan is standard 96 rack laboratory specification
 - ✓ *No sample transfer*
 - ✓ *Faster sample processing*
 - ✓ *2D barcode scan automatically uploads sample identification into laboratory software*

Cattle Legislation



New Tags

Every newborn calf must have an ear tag in each ear showing the same unique identity number. This number is made up of:

- 🏠 A herd mark and an animal number

Calves must be tagged within the following deadlines:

- 🏠 Dairy Farmers – you must fit 1 ear tag within 36 hours of a calf's birth. You are allowed up to 20 days from birth to fit the second tag
- 🏠 Beef Farmers – You have up to 20 days from birth to fit both tags

Both tags must be fitted before the animal moves off the holding of birth

The tags used for double tagging are known as the primary and secondary tag.

- 🏠 The 'primary' tag may be put in either ear. Primary tags are yellow, distance-readable tags – **Large or Medium**
- 🏠 The 'secondary' tags must have the same information as the primary tag, but may also contain management information. The secondary tag must be in the other ear from the primary tag – **Large, Medium or Button**

Replacement Tags

You must replace lost or illegible tags as soon as possible but no later than 28 days after you notice the loss or damage

Animals born or imported after 1 January 1998 must keep their unique identity for life. So lost tags must be replaced with another tag showing the same identification number.

Sheep Legislation England



Breeding Sheep



Sheep which are being kept beyond 12 months must be identified with 1 Electronic Tag and one Visual Tag – both tags must have your unique flock mark (with a zero in front) followed by a five digit animal number.

The Electronic tag must be Yellow and the visual tag can be any colour except Yellow, Red or black. It is recommended that the Electronic tag is placed in the animals left ear.

Replacement Identifiers applied off the holding of birth must be Red (including replacement EID identifiers)

Slaughter Lambs

Sheep which are going to slaughter within 12 months of birth must have an Electronic Slaughter tag printed with your flock mark on the tag and the individual number contained in the electronic chip. Any un-used non-EID slaughter tags must be disposed of

 Electronic Slaughter tags must be Yellow

Reserved Colours for Tags

Yellow – Used only for Electronic tag

Red – Used only for replacement tags (including replacement electronic tags)

Black – Used only for ear tags where the sheep has an EID bolus

Sheep Legislation Scotland



Breeding Sheep

Sheep which are being kept beyond 12 months must be identified with 1 Electronic Tag and one Visual Tag – both tags must have your unique flock mark (with a zero in front) followed by a five digit animal number.

The Electronic & Visual tag can be any colour except Red or black. It is recommended that the Electronic tag is placed in the animals left ear.

Replacement Identifiers applied off the holding of birth must be Red (including replacement EID identifiers)

Slaughter Lambs

These animals are identified by a single electronic batch tag, known as a slaughter tag, although you can use two identifiers as for fully EID identified animals if you want to. The electronic slaughter tag only has the flock mark printed on the outside of the tag.

 Electronic Slaughter tags can be any colour except Red or Black

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Reserved Colours for Sheep Tags

Black – Used only for ear tags where the sheep has an EID bolus

Red – Used only for replacement tags (including replacement electronic tags)

The EID identifier in Scotland can be any colour, however, we recommend that you use yellow to follow the position in England, Wales & Northern Ireland who have reserved this colour for EID identifiers. You should check with your purchasers and suppliers for any preferences they may have.

For further information & advice, please call Hannah on 01765 530296



Pig Legislation



Pigs should be identified with either an ear tag with the letters 'UK' followed by the keepers herd mark or a tattoo showing that herd mark (with or without the letters 'UK')

Ear tags and tattoos must be:

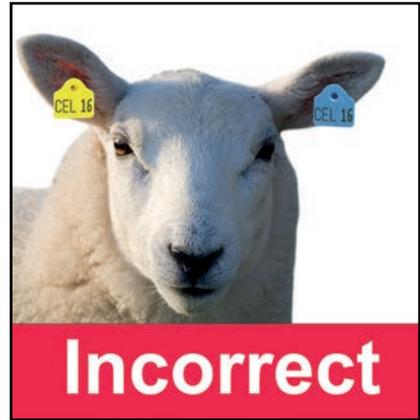
-  Easy to read during the pig's lifetime
-  Made of either metal or plastic or a combination of both
-  Tamper-resistant
-  Incapable of re-use
-  Sufficiently heat-resistant that neither the ear tag nor the information printed or stamped on it can be damaged by the processing of the carcase following slaughter; and
-  Designed to remain attached to the pig without harming it.
-  A tattoo must be applied either by tattoo forceps, in which case it must be on an ear, or by slap-marking equipment, in which case it must be on each shoulder and must, in either case, be easy to read.

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Important tagging information

Always ensure that the female part of the tag (red cap) is inside the ear



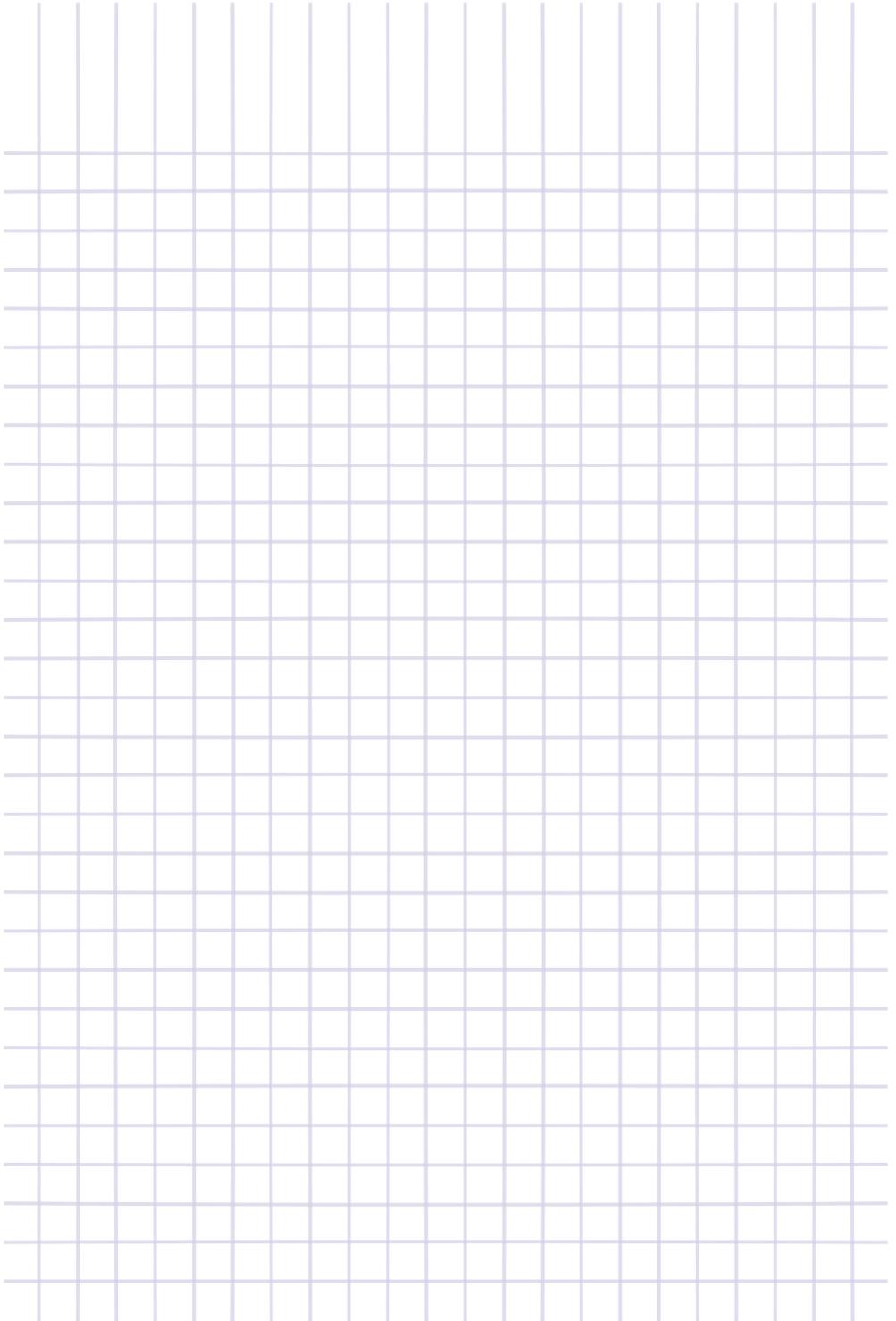
When tagging animal from the front turn Applicator around and use the hole in female jaw to align the tag correctly

-  *Straight-line applicator action will drive male & female precisely together*
-  *Eliminates having to use male point to locate tag correctly*



Tags not to scale

Notes:





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