#### Crisis Quality Brand Management **Product Surety, Security, Protection & Safety** *Electronics: A Global Challenge in Reliability and Authentication*

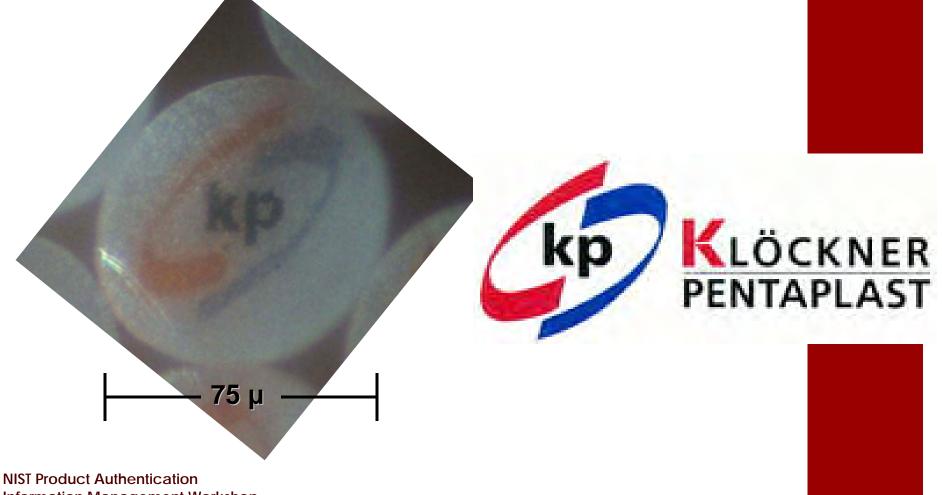
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# **Microtag/Taggant/®mark/**



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# **Millionaire's Microtag**

- Consider all the information in this coin:
  - Brand (U.S. Currency)
  - Time
  - Language & Communication
  - Association and Trademark
  - Culture & Economic Value
  - Religion, Politics & Government
  - Style
  - Heritage
  - Location
  - Virtue
  - Exchange Value
  - Supply chain information integration



# **The Facts**

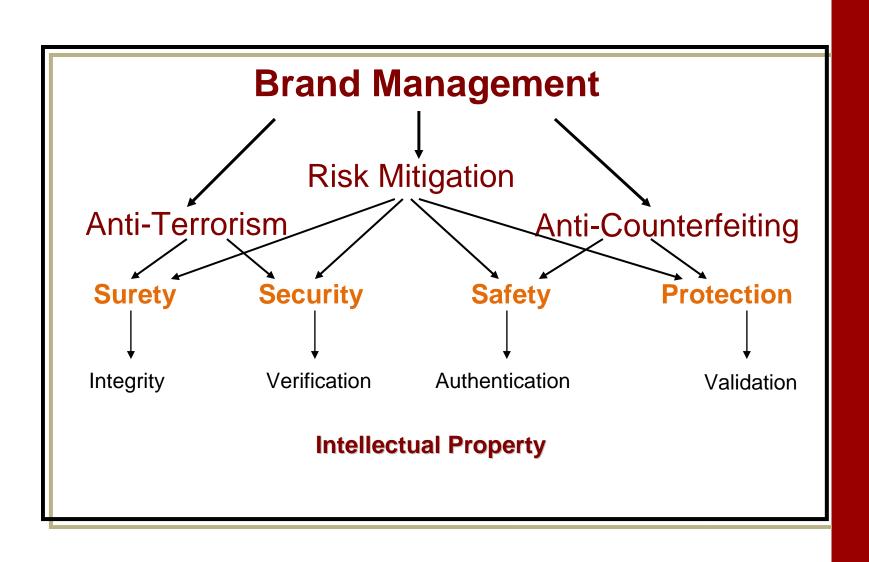
- Counterfeiting costs U.S. businesses **\$200 billion to \$250 billion** annually.
- One of every 10 tech products sold is counterfeit, leading to an estimate of a direct loss **over \$100 billion a year**. A \$2 fake part leads to losses of \$20 if detected at the manufacturing board level. It costs \$200 if detected in the market.
- Since 1982, the global trade in illegitimate goods has increased from \$5.5 billion to approximately \$600 billion annually in 2004 and **\$1.3 trillion** in 2006.
- Approximately 5% 7% of **world trade** is in counterfeit goods.
- 5.2 million counterfeit foodstuffs, drinks, and alcohol seized by the EU
- 8% -10% of globally Rx Medicines are Counterfeit **(\$72B)** PDMA

(Indian Pharmaceutical Market is **\$8.5 Billion** 20% + API potential)

- U.S. companies suffered **\$9 billion** in trade losses due to international copyright piracy.
- Since 1980, **80% of terrorist activity** has been directed at private industry.
- 25% of companies have experienced a disaster in the last 5 years.

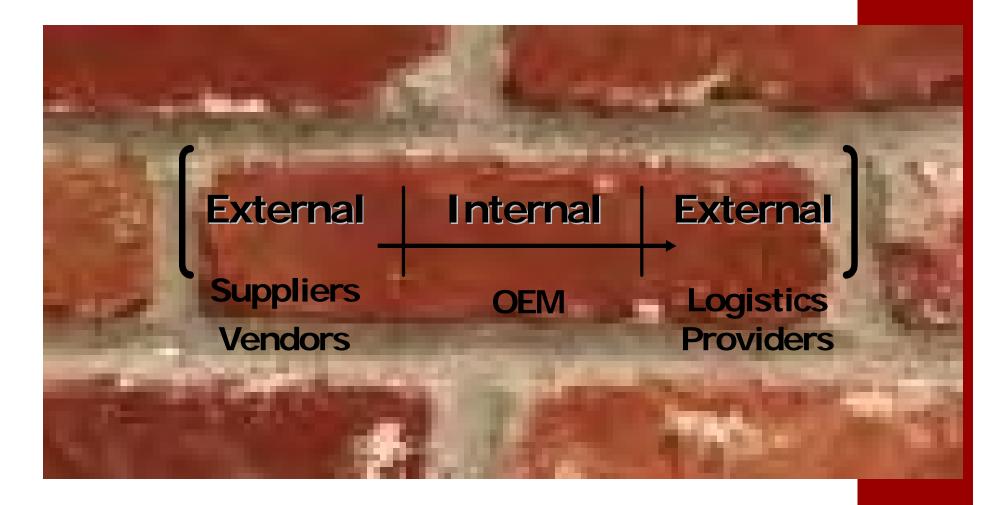
# **The Economic Consequences**

- Economic and social impact on consumers
- Direct financial loss
- Danger to human safety
- Diminished or destroyed brand image
- Warranty and service claims
- Liabilities
- Lost tax revenue to government
- Downward price pressure
- Loss of confidence in identity documents and financial instruments



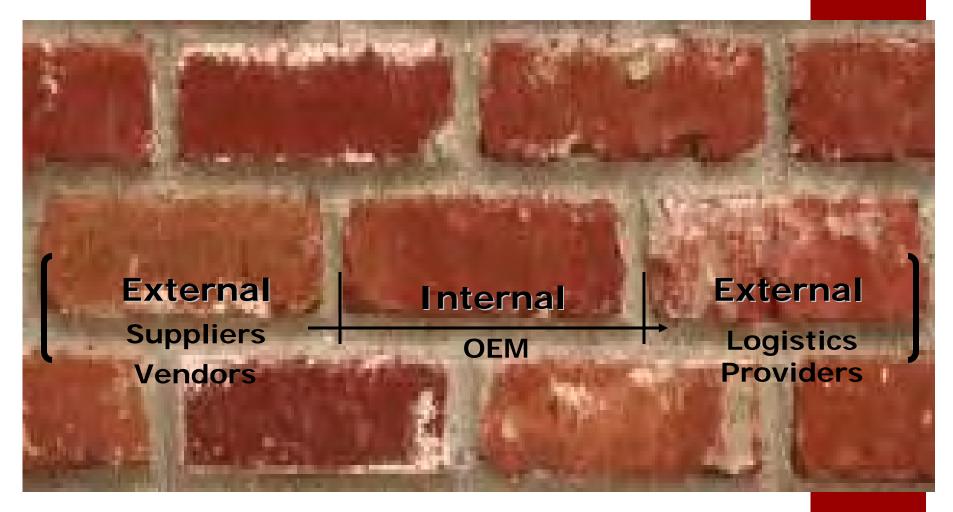


# The Basic Supply Chain Unit (Vertical)



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# The Basic Supply Chain Unit (Horizontal)



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# **Mass Serialization**

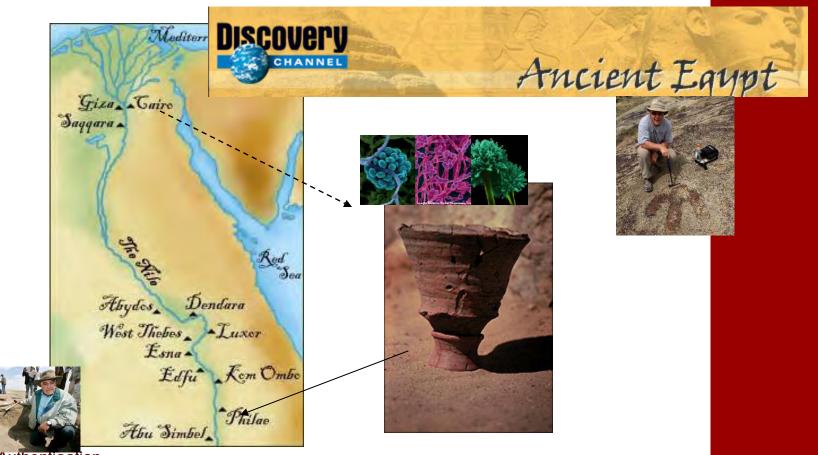


# **Track and Trace**



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# What's Authentication?



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# **Brand/Supply Chain Vulnerabilities**

- Manufacturers-Logistics Providers-Retailers
  - Driving Forces
    - Globalization
    - Competitive landscape
    - M & A
    - Regulatory requirements
    - Customer expectation
      - Product failure rate
      - Product variety
    - Energy cost
    - Port Congestion
    - Disasters
    - Terrorism





# **Brand Management**

- It's about controlling product image and avoiding compromise
  - Diversion of products (Gray Market)
  - Counterfeiting
  - Organized retail theft
  - Warranty and return fraud
  - Illegal factory over-runs
  - Re-labeling, re-dating
  - Parts harvesting, re-manufacturing
  - Terrorism
  - Ignorance and neglect

# **Brand Management Will**

- Let you know the product is *indisputably* yours!
- Assure product reliability
- Be a Deterrent
- Reduce liability and sustain profitability
- Share holder assurance and confidence
- Guarantees quality, ethics, and moral obligation to customer Sarbanes-Oxley
- Inspire consumer confidence
- Challenge your competition

# **Defining Authentication in a Crisis**

- Elements of Crisis Mitigation
  - Private Industry
    - To indisputably eliminate your product and company from liability i.e. manage brand security
    - Support investigative strategy
  - Government & Regulatory
    - To have the ability to quickly trace back to the origin of electronic items in a crisis
    - Provide critical product identity for search and seizure or intervention mitigation

# When Do You Authenticate?

- When your product has a reservation price value
- When there is emotional value to your product
- When the liability of a single issue can crush your immediate earnings



# **Clues to a Brand/Supply Chain Problem**

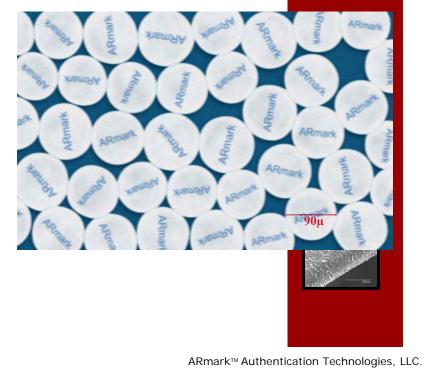
- Drop in raw-material orders
  - "Where'd all the packaging go?"
- Increased orders for proprietary components
  - Export/import ratios: "It's going where?"
- Increased gray market activity
  - "This shouldn't be here! Or there!"
- Increase in service returns
  - "Got back more than we made."
- Large volume of discounted products available
  - "Wow, that's a great deal!"

# **Common Layers of Security Technologies**

		TECHNOLOGY	THREAT ADDRESSED	
	Overt	Holograms,OVD's, intaglio ink, copy prevention	Counterfeiting	
	Covert	UV/IR, taggants, microtext, packaging design features	Counterfeiting	
	Coding (Track & Trace)	Encrypted Bar Codes & RFID	Diversion, Gray Market	
	anagement Workshop	Synthetic DNA, elements, nano-particles	Counterfeiting, Diversion, Gray Market	
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# Covert Markers a.k.a. Covert Micro Tags (CMT)

- High definition micro disc-like structures in the diameter size range of <u>90 to 150µ by 10 to 20µ</u> <u>thick</u>.
- Information centric indicia including for example:
  - Alpha-numeric text,
  - Hieratic,
  - Geometric symbol
  - Composition
- The only authentication technology that is composed of food grade materials that allows *in situ* use
  - Its edible!

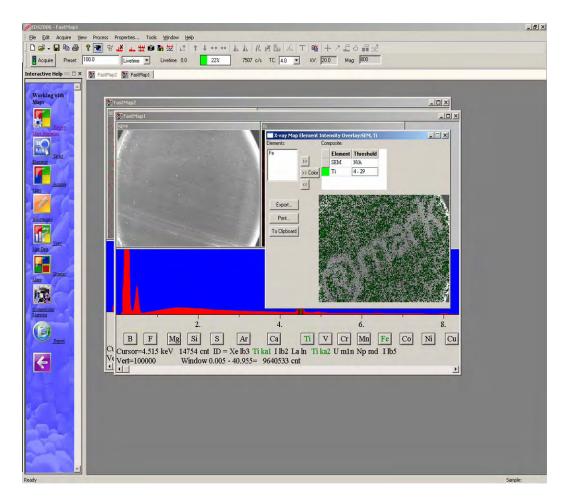


# **Selected Examples**



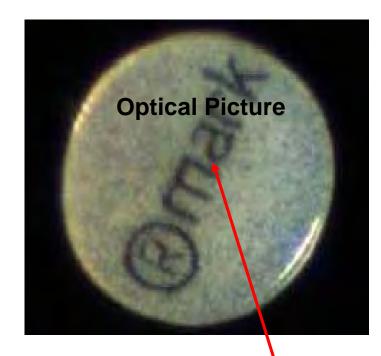
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#### Example of EDS Map for Elemental Authentication

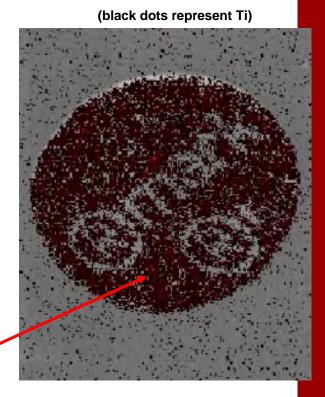


#### Titanium is present where a green dot appears on the map

# **ARmark Internal Authentication**



#### **EDS Map**

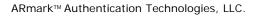


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# **Design as a Code: Multivariate Information**

- Color
  - Color and spectral selection
  - Photophysical and Photochemical response
- - Geometric symbols & hieratic
  - Spatial relationships
  - Topography
- Text
  - Novel alpha-numeric identifiers
  - Coding & Encryption
- Composition
  - Physiochemical content
  - Chemotrophic technology





-Design Space →

 $30 - 100\mu +$ 

Diameter

# **Thermal & UV Masks**



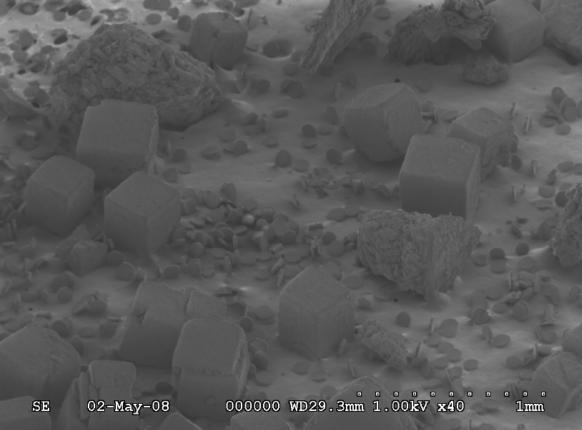
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# **Multiple Sizes**

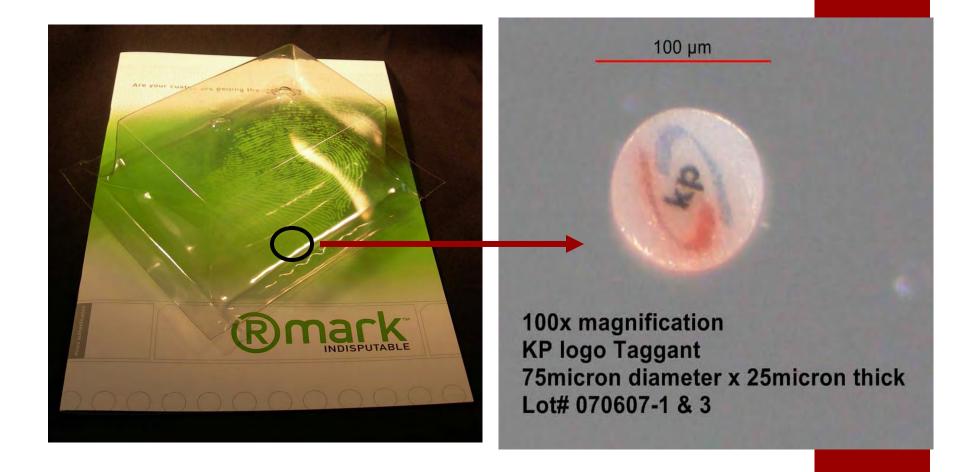


# Salt and Pepper



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# klöckner pentaplast



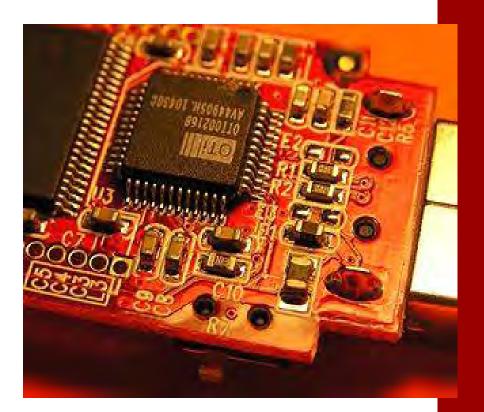
# **Custom Security Label Adhesives**



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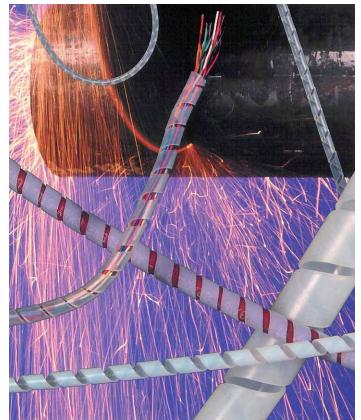
# **Surface Mount Device Components**

- Plastics
- Laminates
- Ceramics
- Solder
- Inks
- Conformal Coatings



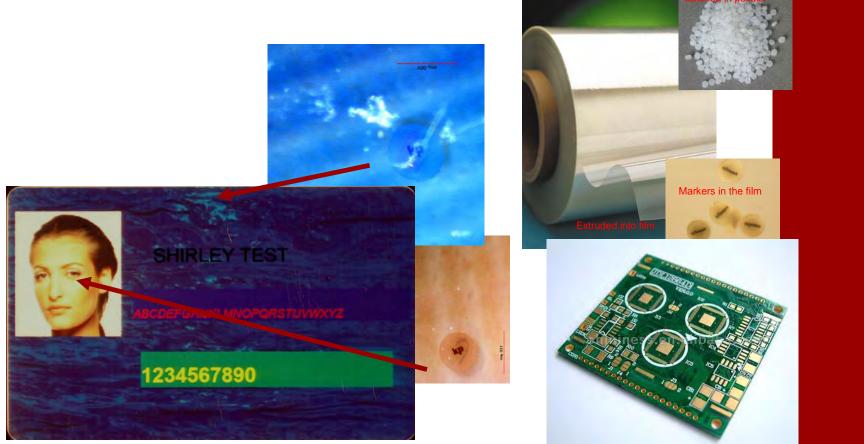
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# **Cable Wrap**





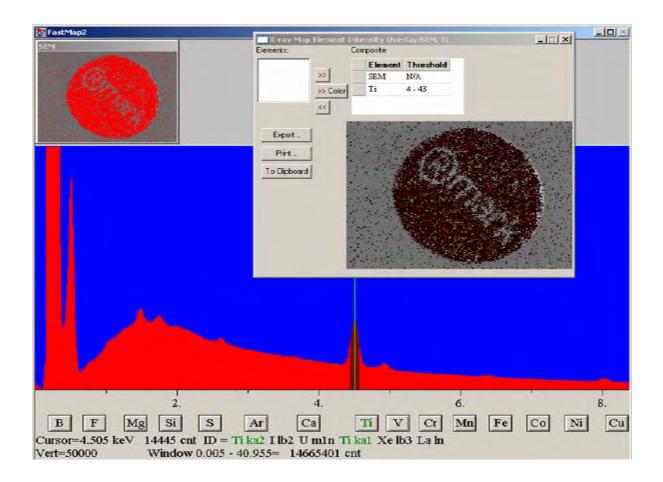
# **Laminates and Packaging**



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# **Energy Dispersive Lacing Images**



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# Materials of Construction

Embedded Chemistry

Smart Visualization

Chemotactic Response

# Customized Feature & Construction Design



#### **Feature Relationship**

Feature Count & Geometry Distribution Feature Morphology Multi-

Component Chemistry

### System Specific Application Design & Detection

# **Application & Handling**

- Air/Airless Spray
- Dip
- Curtain
- Electrostatic
- Mill & Mix
- Screen
- Flexo
- Cast

- Aerosol
- Flood
- Knife over roll
- Gravure
- Molded
- Extruded
- Laminated

# **INTEROPERABILITY**

Main Entry: **in-ter-op-er-a-bil-i-ty** Pronunciation: "in-t&r-"ä-p(&-)r&-'bi-l&-tE

Function: noun

: ability of a system (as a weapons system) to work with or use the parts or equipment of another system - in-ter-op-er-a-ble /-'ä-p(&-)r&-b&l/ adjective

# **ARvision**<sup>™</sup>

- Laptop/Cellular Capable
- Database integrated
- Portable Field Readable
- Frequency or Wavelength Specific Detection
  - UV-VIS-NIR options
- Magnification 140 -300X
- Custom optics
  - 1.3 Mega-pixel CMOS imaging sensor
- Custom matched materials of construction and reader detection



# **Summarize**

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