



Bar Code Width and Placement

TIP 5173

WIDTH OR DENSITY OF BAR CODES

The barcode density calculating formula is:

The barcode width (in .001 inches or .1 mm) is equal to the number of barcode characters multiplied by the width of one barcode character.

BARCODE PLACEMENT

It is recommended that you leave at least .25 inches of quiet space before and after the barcode for optimum scanning.