

JAS is in the process of enhancing key components of its receiving systems in an effort to improve the flow of goods through its supply chain. Among these enhancements are the transmission of an ASN document as well as the utilization of the UCC-128 Shipping Container Label on all cartons.

It is critical that our vendor community is in compliance with our ASN initiative. By ensuring compliance, the ability to flow merchandise through our supply chain efficiently is increased, while at the same time decreasing the risk of receiving errors in our operating locations.

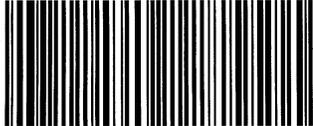
JAS has adopted one UCC-128 Shipping Container Label for every type of shipment. Whether shipping product to a Distribution Center, direct to store, or to an SNS location, vendors are required to label each carton with a UCC-128 Shipping Container Label.

UCC-128 Shipping Container Label Attributes:

The JAS UCC-128 shipping container label is divided into zones by horizontal lines. These zones are important in order to simplify the data for personnel with responsibility of receiving merchandise into the various JAS locations. The human readable data is important to facilitate continuing operations in the case of an equipment failure.

Please note, the example below illustrates a UCC-128 Shipping Container Label for case goods being shipped into our Distribution Center. Please see additional examples posted on this web site for other types of product being shipped to our Distribution Centers and/or stores.

1. **From:** The name of the vendor as shown on the Purchase Order with the address of the shipping location.
2. **To:** The name, number and complete address of the JAS receiving location as shown on the Purchase Order.
3. **BOL & Carrier:** The Bill-of-Lading number for shipments as well as the name of the primary carrier. The Bill-of-Lading and Carrier fields are optional for the JAS UCC-128 Shipping Container Label. However, this information must be populated in the ASN document.
4. **PO Number:** The Purchase Order number from the JAS Purchase Order. If more than one Purchase Order is included in one shipment, each carton label must show the Purchase Order number under which that carton was shipped. A single carton cannot cover more than one Purchase Order.
5. **Carton Content Information:** The JAS article number as shown on the Purchase Order as well as the vendor's style number, description, UPC, case pack and standard pack (also known as an inner pack) must be recorded here.
6. **Location Number:** The final destination of the merchandise. Record the alphanumeric four-digit receiving location as shown on the Purchase Order. The "location number" needs to be in a large typeface font.

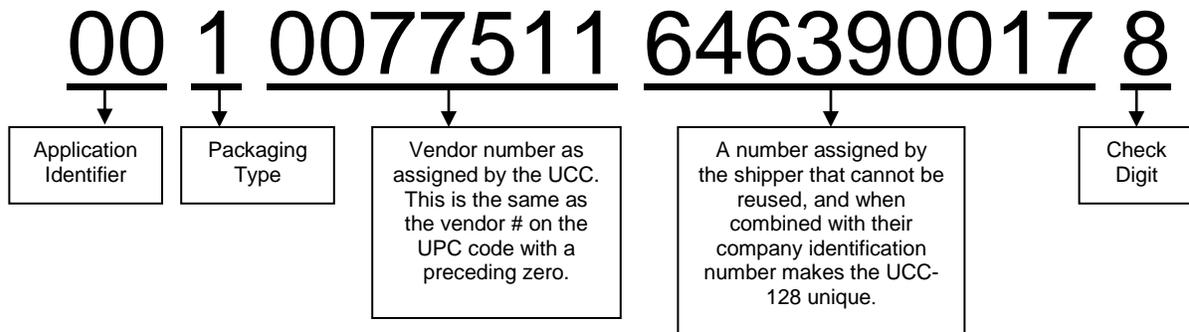
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B/L NUMBER: 118862		PO NUMBER: 0045406029	
CARRIER: Roadway		LOCATION NUMBER: DC01	
SKU/ARTICLE NUMBER: 00000000007118862		DESCRIPTION: DH MOMENTS NOTICE STAMP	
VENDOR STYLE NUMBER: 8373		CASE PACK: 48.0 EA STANDARD PACK: 3.0 EA	
UPC CODE: 725718583736		TOTAL QUANTITY SHIPPED: 288.0 EA	
TOTAL CASES: 6		TOTAL BOLTS/ROLLS: TOTAL PNL YARDS	
CARTON/PALLET: 1 of 6 SPECIAL ORDER TRACKING NUMBER:			
SSCC: (00) 0 0123456 000009202 0			
			

7. **Shipment Summary Information:**

- **Total Quantity Shipped:** The total quantity shipped for the article listed on the label. The quantity recorded here must equal the quantity shipped, which is expected to be the total quantity ordered on the JAS Purchase Order.
- **Total Cases:** The total number of cases/cartons shipped of the article listed on the label. **Please note that this is not the total of the number of cases/cartons shipped on the entire advance ship notice.**
- **Total Bolts/Rolls:** If the selling unit on the JAS Purchase Order is defined as a yard (YD) or panel (PNL), the total number of bolts for the article listed on the label must be recorded here.
- **Total PNL Yards:** If the selling unit, on the Purchase Order is defined as panel (PNL), the total number of yards for the article listed on the label must be recorded here.
- **Carton/Pallet:** The carton/pallet count information is optional. However, at a minimum, the total number of cases/cartons shipped for the article listed on the label must be provided.
- **Special Order Tracking Number:** The Special Order Tracking Number is only required for special orders. This information should be populated from the JAS Purchase Order.

8. **SSCC-18 - Serial Shipping Container Code:** The container serial number must be unique and never repeated on any of the cartons and/or shipments within a two year time period. This must be human readable and bar-coded for a total of 20 digits. The first two digits, "00", are the application identifier. The third digit deciphers whether it is a carton or pallet; "0" is for a carton and "1" is for a pallet. The next seven digits are the manufacturer's company prefix (use leading zeros as needed) as assigned by the UCC. The following nine digits represent the carton serial number which is to be unique for every shipped carton. The last digit is the check digit that is calculated by the appropriate algorithm formula.

The SSCC-18 number represents the following:



Additional information on barcode and UCC-128 label information is available at:

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