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1. BibTag Timing system

BibTag is a timing concept for sports where simple setup, plus minimal race handling are needed. The BibTag system is portable and is designed for battery operation during outdoor sports events.

The standard BibTag system consists of the following components:







An alternative 4-mat BibTag system is also available with a set of 4 antenna cables and a decoder with 4 antenna connectors.

The battery capacity of an 4-mat BibTag System is 10 hours. An 8-mat BibTag System is 4 hours.



The following components can be ordered from MYLAPS as options for further expanding the BibTag system

Product:	Product code:	
BibTag Cable set	4 meter – 40S214 8 meter – 40S215	
12 VDC battery cable with clamps	405091	
BibTag detection mat	305032	4
BibTag Start button	40R316	
BibTag Side Antenna	305038	No. of the second se
BibTag Side Antenna cable	405420	



BibTag USB Data cable (modem port>usb)		
BibTag USB reader	40S115	Distinguistics Monacciant
BibTag antenna tester	405112	M LAPS REEP HERE
BibTag Network kit	40S116	Cover Co
BibTag Raincover	40S007	

Additionally, you can purchase the following component from local suppliers:

- SIM card (this depends on your country and GSM cellular provider)
- Poweradaptors

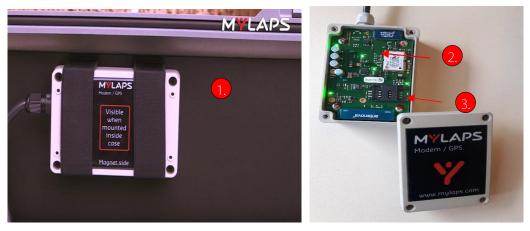


2. Specifications BibTag System

2.1 BibTag Decoder

1.	Upper cover	Hinged upper cover (must be closed during a race to protect decoder from rain)	2
2.	Modem/GPS Unit	Modem/GPS unit stored in the cover	0
3.	Decoder panel	For connecting external devices and operator control	Harding and a second seco
4.	LED Status display	Shows battery, error and detect status	

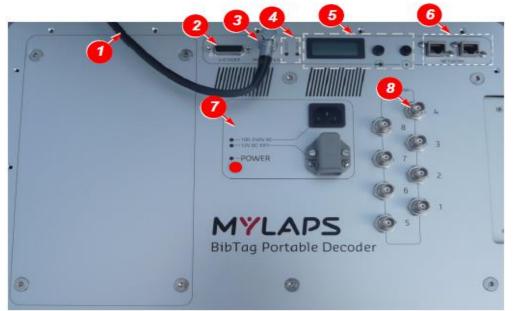
2.2. Modem/GPS Unit



1.	Modem with attached cable and magnet field
	Print board with card holder - inside the modem
3.	Sim card holder - inside the modem



2.3.Decoder Panel



1.	Modem/GPS Cable	Cable from the Modem/GPS unit (normally stored in cover)
2.	I/O Port	For connecting external devices (Start gun, Start button, etc.)
3.	Modem/GPS connector	Connect the Modem/GPS unit
4.	Detect and error LED's	Detect LED flashes each time a BibTag passes over a connected antenna mat.
		Error LED flashes if an error is present
5.	Operator controls	2 buttons (scroll $ ightarrow$ and select $ ightarrow$) and display for menu selections and
		status
6.	Network connectors	To connect an ethernet cable for a wired connection to a laptop or network.
7.	Power connectors and	AC Port for electrical power, connector for external power source (100-240
	"power on" button	VAC or 12 VDC) here if required. Press the Power button to start the unit (the
		LED lights when power is on)
8.	Antenna connectors	Connect all the antenna cables (1 to 8) that are fed from the detection mats.
		A 4-antenna system is available with only 4 connectors

CAUTION - Damage

Danger of short circuiting decoder electrics. Always take special care that no water enters an opened decoder case as the connections are not completely waterproof and water may damage the internal electric circuitry. Never open the decoder case in damp conditions.



2.4.LED Status Panel

E		\supset	F	Power	Detect	Error	
12	200 C			2	3 (4	

1.	Battery level indicators (E = empty; F =	The battery level indicator LEDs light up from left to right as the
	full)	Decoder is charging with the following color definitions:
		- red = 0-20% full
		- yellow = 20-40% full
		- 1st green = 40-60% full
		- 2nd green = 60-80% full
		- 3rd green = 80-100% full
2.	Power indicator	Lights turn blue if the system is powered up.
3.	Bib detection indicator	Flashes each time a BibTag passes over a connected antenna
		mat
4.	Error indicator	Flashes if an error is present. Only red when something is wrong

Normally the internal battery (when fully charged) is sufficient for a race duration (maximum 6 hour for 8 mat systems; maximum 10 hour for 4 mat systems), however for longer races a 12 VDC external battery can be connected as follows:

CAUTION - Equipment Damage

The BibTag will be seriously damaged if connected to an incompatible power supply. Only connect the BibTag to a 12 VDC external batter.

Connect battery

- Attach leads to battery terminals (red to +; • black to -) Insert the battery connector into the socket • on the BibTag panel and check the LED is lit
- Battery cable is optional item; not standard • delivered with the system



Check the connection

 Switch power on (if not already on) Press the button to access the 'Info' selections Choose 'Battery info' for the battery information screen Ensure that the external battery symbol is showing, and the battery has sufficient charge (more than 20%) 	Internal Bat: 923 Volt: 16.23 V Left Cap:37824mAH v
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2.5.Antenna Mats



1.	Interlocking mat part	To connect the mats.
2.	Flap	To protect the antenna cables.
3.		Antenna cables are connected to the antenna in the center of the mat and fed along these grooves to the next mat or decoder.

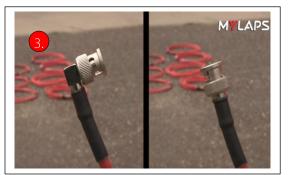
/I CAUTION - Equipment Damage

The antenna cable connections in the BibTag mats are not completely waterproof if the mats are completely submerged in snow or water. Never place the mats in a low lying area where water and snow can enter under the flap and possibly short circuit the antenna connectors.



2.6.Antenna Cables





1.	Antenna cable set – 8 cables	From 1 to 8 meter
2.	Number tag	This number identifies the cable (from 1 to 8) to help when connecting the correct mat to the correct decoder connector
3.	Connectors	1 right angle and 1 straight shape connector. The right angle connector connects to the connectors of the decoder and the straight end connects to the mat.

CAUTION - Equipment Damage

Never use MYLAPS Portable Decoder antenna cables on a MYLAPS BibTag system.

These are two different systems and are not compatible.

Never short circuit the MYLAPS BibTag decoder by attaching both ends of an antenna cable to the decoder.



3. The athletes

3.1. BibTag/Thin Tag

Athletes needs a BibTag, so the system can detect their passings. A BibTag number is connected to the name of the athlete, after the event the results per athlete can be shown.



The BibTag and ThinTag have the same use, but in this text only the BibTag is mentioned. ThinTag is a thinner, lighter version of the BibTag. For Thin Tag, the same instructions as for the BibTag apply.

MYLAPS BibTags are the world's only sports timing tag that require only one tag attached to the BiB. BibTags are easy to use, for athletes and race organizers.

The BibTag is attached to the back of the runners Bib number and sends out a unique signal.

The all-weather BibTag will be activated by the antenna to send a signal to the BibTag Decoder. On the back of the race number is the BibTag, this foam spacer contains the timing chip. When used in a race, the BibTag must be worn correctly for the best detection and the following recommendations for race participants:

- Always keep the BibTag visible; do not remove or cover with a jacket
- Do not excessively bend or twist the BibTag
- Do not attach beside or under a zip: metal has a negative impact on the BibTag.
- Do not wear on your back or side, or around your arm or leg
- Do not cover the BibTag with your hand or arm when crossing the finish line: runners often do this when checking their watch when crossing the line
- Matts can become slippery when wet.
- Always remember that the mat must 'see' the BibTag number when you cross the finish line
- Do not separate the BibTag from the start number

NOTE:

Race organizers can post clear instructions at the 'Start' location for correct BibTag use.

Before use, each BibTag can be checked by passing it over a connected antenna to see it is detected and registered by the decoder (signalled by detection light and/or beep). Always reject any defective chips.



3.2.Multi Sports Tag



Disposable and reusable MultiSports Tag

The MultiSports Tag is designed and optimized for triathlons and mud runs and works with the MYLAPS BibTag timing system. The tags can be worn under a wetsuit (max. 5 mm) results are guaranteed since they have 3 integrated timing tags.

These tags are owned by timers or events and handed out to athletes at an event. After each race they can be collected, washed, stored, and ultimately used again at the next event. The reusable tags feature the same benefits as the disposable MultiSports Tags, but are made from longer-lasting and easily cleanable materials.

Both MultiSports Tags consist of 100% soft material for optimal comfort, have 3 integrated tags and are worn as a bracelet around the ankle. They can be worn underneath a wetsuit without performance loss in detection rate and accuracy.

The **reusable** MultiSports Tag consists of a foam layer for optimal comfort, a start number for easy identification and a Velcro strap on the outside to secure the tag. The reusable MultiSports Tag can be used in chlorinated and salt water. After the race the tags have to be collected in order to be reused in another event. A customer specific logo, coloring or strap is not possible for this product. The reusable MultiSports Tag has an expected lifespan of 2 years or about 30 events. After each race they can be collected, washed, stored, and ultimately used again at the next event. The reusable tags feature the same benefits as the disposable MultiSports Tags, but are made from longer-lasting and easily cleanable materials.

The **disposable** MultiSports Tag consists of a foam strap with a Tyvek layer that has a start number printed on it. An adhesive strip at the end of the strap makes application easy. The disposable tag can be provided with color coded race categories. The disposable tag minimizes pre and post-race handling: participants can keep the tag as a souvenir.



4. How to set up a BibTag Timing System

4.1. General

Every participant in a MYLAPS timed event wears a registered BibTag/MultiSports Tag containing a chip. When the Tag comes in the vicinity of a detection mat, the Tag continuously starts sending out messages with its unique identification (ID). The antennas in the detection mat receive these ID messages and transfer them to the Decoder. The Decoder determines the BibTag time for each ID by calculating the received signal strength from that BibTag. This passing time is calculated to an accuracy of at least 0.5 seconds.

The BibTag system can operate with multiple (up until 8 matts) and mats, and is responsible for:

- Controlling the antennas in the mats
- Keeping accurate time (via a GPS signal or via an internal clock)
- Data collection and storage (chip codes and times)
- Record a gunshot start so that the equipment can use this same start time as the official time
- Passing data from the Decoders to a central results computer via internet (GSM) with MYLAPS servers, or directly via an ethernet link
- Synchronizing multiple Decoder times via GPS

NOTE:

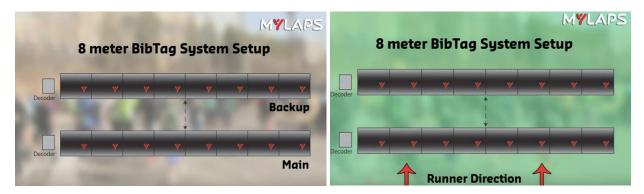
The antenna field will stop detecting the Tag after a period of seconds if the tag remains within the antenna field (Time between same Chip). This means that the Tag may be assigned a false start time if it has already been detected within the antenna field previous to the start time. To prevent this, the tags detected within the antenna field at the official start time will all receive this official start time.



4.2. How and where to set up the BibTag Timing System

- Determine the best location for the decoder. Based on traffic flow, start and finish line structures and access to electrical power.
- Narrow the course if necessary to ensure all athletes pass over the mats.
- Wait for the road to close before set up, so heavy vehicles don't damage the antennas.

To obtain a 99.8% detection rate we advise you to use a main and backup system at the start and at the finish. If your track is larger and you want detection during the track, you can add two extra BibTag systems per extra detection point.

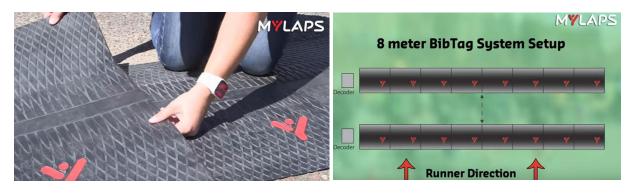


Set up your back up system in the same fashion, 3 meters apart to avoid interference and configure your decoders.



4.3. How to connect the mats and the cables

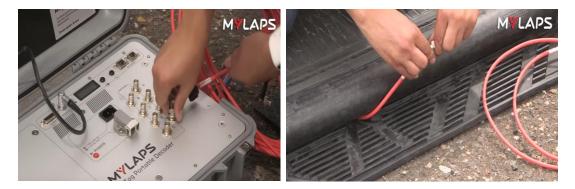
Lay the BibTag mats on the road and lock them together. The MYLAPS logo should face towards incoming runners, to prevent the runners kicking open the flap.



The BibTag cable set is numbered to match the antenna ports in the decoder and to indicate the length of the cable.



BNC connectors are on both ends of the cable. One end is right angle shaped and one end is straight. The right angle end connects to the decoder and the straight end connects to the mat.



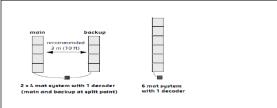


Connect all your mats by clicking them together.

Start with your largest cable, number 8, open the flap of the furthest BibTag mat. Make sure the cable within the mat is pointed to the decoder. Connect your cable and make sure the connection locks securely. Place the cable in the groove and feed it through the end. Move on to the next mat and repeat the process for each additional mat you are using. When you are done, close the flaps on the mats.

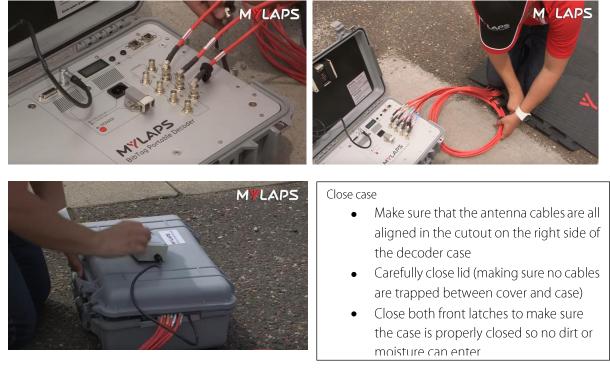






Using less than 8 mats, if possible just eliminate the high numbers of the connectors first.

Connect the right angle connectors to the decoders. The number on the cable must match with the same number on the antenna connectors on the decoder. Arranging the bundle of cables neatly, make sure you don't get kinks.





4.4.Decoder intitialization – no internet used

Open the case and take out the Modem/GPS and place outside the decoder, preferably higher for better signal reception. The decoder must be connected to the Modem.

Turn the decoder on, by pressing the power button. The power led and the lights in front of the case should go



The BibTag internal clock is extremely accurate when recording timing data. It can be synchronized using time signals from GPS satellites. This guarantees precise time synchronization between multiple BibTag systems, and gives extreme accuracy over a long period. MYLAPS recommends to have the GPS connected at all times when operating the device. All date and time parameters are set via the menu selections on the control panel. See 4.3.1 Operator controls for more information.

NOTE: Never change the time during a race. When the BibTag Decoder is powered down, the clock will no longer be accurate. After the decoder has started up (this can take a while), the LCD screen should be read "GPS Locked". Click on the select button to synchronize your decoder to GPS.

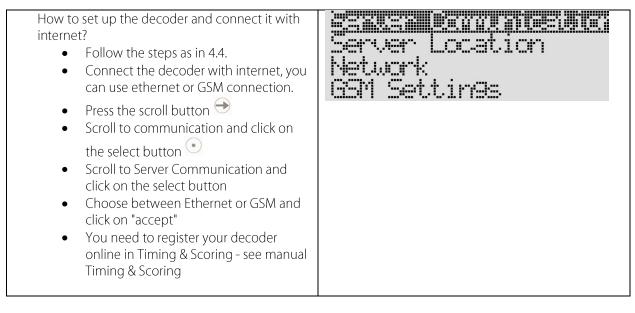


- Press the scroll button →
- Scroll to "time line set up" and click on the select button.
- Go to "profile" and click on the select button •.
- If this is the first system the runner will encounter set the "profile" to "main" The system which is closest to the start line, will be set to "main".
- If this is the second system the runner will encounter set the "profile to "backup"
- Never set the "profile" to "scanner or expo" during the race.
- Press the scroll button
- Scroll to "time line set up" and click on the select button.
- Scroll to "number of antennas" and press select.
- Verify the number in the screen match with the number of mats connected to the decoder.
- Scroll to "time line set up" and click on the select button.
- Go to "Beep" and choose the beep type and the volume of the beep.
- The mats will detect the Tags and a beep and the led on the case will go on if a runner crosses the mat.
- The decoder will collect all passings (maximum of 94.000). When connected to MYLAPS Timing and scoring the personal results can be made.



4.4.1. Decoder initialization – internet used – recommended

When you have the possibility to use internet, connect your decoder. You can create live timing results and you can control the status of the decoder at any time.



If you choose ethernet, connect an ethernet cable to the decoder and the network.

If you choose GSM, place a sim card in the modem/GPS unit. Open the modem/GPS Unit





4.5. Testing the signal

When you set up the total system, you can check the signal strength of the antennas. You can use a test Tag. Hold the tag on chest height and start of the furthest antenna and walk over all mats. The led on the suitcase will light up and a beep will sound.



On the LCD screen you will see the empty boxes be filled, which represents every antenna. The boxes will be filled temporarily when the Tag is detected in the field of the mat.



If a mat is not detecting the Tag, check the antenna cables and either replace them or the mat if necessary and repeat the test.

Test BibTag by carrying a test BibTag across each of the antenna mats, in turn, and check: The BibTag is registered by the decoder (the • detection LED is lit) screen The antenna symbols in the bottom of the screen show that the BibTag is detected by the individual antennas. As the BibTag is carried across a mat, the block symbol for that mat should show a full symbol. See example figure where BibTag is carried over the second mat. mats Note: the block signal will "slowly empty" after a few seconds chip



5. Clear and synchronize (sync)

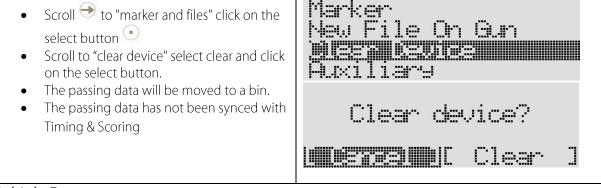
5.1. Clear before sync your decoder – no internet necessary

Single event

After finishing your event, you connect your computer/laptop to the decoder. You connect the computer and the decoder with a network cable.

You open the program Timing & Scoring on your computer and the passing data of the event will be loaded from the decoder to Timing & Scoring. If you don't have an internet connection, you are only able to see passing data on your screen in Timing & Scoring. No live timing is possible.

After you loaded the passing data from the decoder to Timing & Scoring and saved the event file, you can clear your decoder.



Multiple Events

Sometimes you have multiple events during a short period, like in a weekend 3 events (Friday, Saturday and Sunday)

After every event you follow the steps like mentioned in a single event.

When you cleared the device, the passing data of the first event will be placed in a bin in the decoder. This will happen with second and third event as well.

The maximum amount of passings is 94.000 per decoder, this includes the passing data which have been placed in the bin.

5.2.Sync – internet is available

When you have an internet connection and connect the software Timing & Scoring all passing data will automatically load the passing data from the bin to Timing & Scoring and the capacity will be freed. All your passing data will be cleared and there is no passing data left in de decoder.

We have a flexible pay per use model, called BiBTag Usage. BibTag Usage ensures, you will only pay for BibTags that are actually used during your events. With MYLAPS you don't have to worry about no-shows. After you synced your decoder, an overview will be send to you by MYLAPS.

A Make sure that you synchronize your decoder within 5 days when you have more than 10.000 passings in the decoder. If you have more than 10.000 passings and you don't synchronize your decoder after 5 days, the passings on the next event will turn into the status "Expired".

Passing data in the bin won't get automatically loaded to Timing & Scoring when live passings are coming in.



6. Removal and Storage

Retrieve race data (if not already done):

- Refer to Retrieve data (10.) to see how to retrieve data (race results) from the decoder
- If no data connection to a Toolkit system is immediately available, data can be retrieved later (the decoder retains all data in memory even when power is off).

Switch off power

- Press 'Power' button
- Choose "YES" on menu by pressing button
- Pressing the 'Power' button for 7 seconds will also power down the system



Disconnect cables

- Remove antenna cables from their connectors on case
- Remove power cable (if connected)
- Remove Ethernet cable (if connected)
- Remove starter pistol cable from I/O port (if connected)

Close case and move equipment

- Carefully close lid (making sure that nothing is trapped between cover)
- Close both front latches
- Move the BibTag equipment to a storage area or to an area where race data can be retrieved .



Store case in a dry area at storage temp of 0 °C to +40 °C (+32 °F to +104 °F), and close to a mains power socket

Charge Bibtag Decoder

- Attach 100 240 VAC power cable into AC connector on case
- Connect the power cable into the mains power socket
- Leave power connected until BibTag is next required (the battery will be automatically charged so it stays fully charged)





Disassemble antennas

- Carefully remove antennas from their slots in the antenna mats
- Loop the cables and load them into their carry bags
- Load all other cable accessories into their carry bags

Disassemble mats

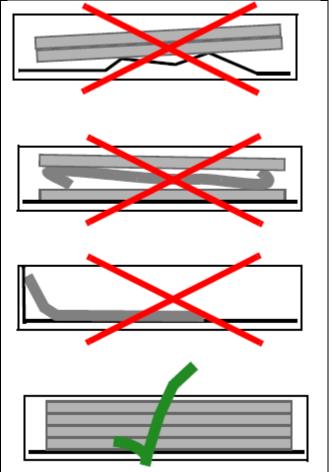
• Carefully lift the mats one-by-one so that they separate from the adjacent mat

Store mats

- Make sure that the storage area used for the mats is flat with no sharp or protruding surfaces
- Never bend the mats and make sure the corners are not twisted under the mat
- Never lean the mats against a wall so that they are bent and deformed
- Always store the mats laid out flat with the MYLAPS logo facing up

CAUTION - Damage

Danger of damaging mats. Always store the mats according to the instructions given in the following step



CAUTION - Damage

Danger of damaging cables. Always take special care when handling the antenna cables as they are easily damaged. Never excessively bend or twist them, and make sure the connectors are kept dry.

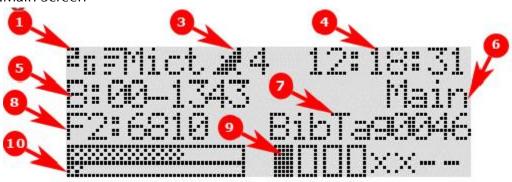
CAUTION - High voltage

Danger of electrocution. Before connecting power to the BibTag, make sure that all electrical connections are secure.



7. Operating the BibTag Decoder

7.1.Main Screen



1	Connection	Can be NET, GSM or nothing (see Communication). Before and during initialization of the		
1.				
	indication	modem connection of the BibTag decoder to CCnet server the letters M, I, C, T are being		
		displayed in the upper left area of the BibTag decoder display. These letters indicate the status		
		of:		
		M: BibTag decoder – BibTag modem connection		
		I: BibTag decoder - Internet connection		
		C: BibTag decoder - CCnet connection		
		T: BibTag decoder – Timing & Scoring connection		
		When the letter is shown in:		
		Lower case: The initialization or status is not OK		
		Upper case: The initialization or status is OK		
		Blinking between upper case and lower case: status is being updated		
		binning between upper case and lower case, status is being updated		
		2G icon means that 2G service is available on the GSM network (GSM/GPRS/EDGE).		
		When there is an error the letters ER will be displayed as additional information. For more		
		detailed information on possible error messages see Modem errors		
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3.	Number of	The symbol indicates if GPS satellites are detected and how many. The symbol can change		
	detected	shape as follows:		
	satellites	NC = not connected		
		Open symbol = satellite detected but no time available		
		Blinking symbol = waiting for a time to be assigned		
		Closed symbol = using GPS time		
		A clock symbol means that you can assign a manual time		
		NOTE: 3 satellites is the minimum required number to sync GPS time.		



4.	Current time	Can be the time applied manually or the time assigned by the GPS connection
5.	Message	A short message indicating the last BibTag that has been detected or the current status (can be an error situation see 8.3 Errors during operation)
6.	Profile	Indicates the profile assigned to the decoder (Main, Backup or Scanner)
7.	Name of the decoder	Identifies the decoder
8.	File	Identifies the file number currently being used and the number of passings in the file.
9.	Antennas	The array of antenna mats currently installed to the decoder: Enabled and detected mats are shown as an open rectangle Mats activated by a chip are shown as a filled rectangle Enabled mats that are not detecting are shown as a blinking X Antenna connectors with no mat connections are shown as - Antenna connectors shown as a dashed rectangle cannot be detected (this also signifies the decoder is in scanner mode)
10.	Used memory	This double bar represents the capacity and the number of passings in the MYLAPS BibTag Decoder. The upper bar represents the first 10.000 passings. The lower bar represents the total memory (at least 90.000 passings). When in grey these are new and non-synchronized passings. When in black these are synchronized passings with MYLAPS.

Make sure that you synchronize your decoder within 5 days when you have more than 10.000 passings in the decoder. If you have more than 10.000 passings and you don't synchronize your decoder after 5 days, the passings on the next event will turn into the status "Expired".

The lower bar will start flashing after 75% of the total capacity (total capacity is at least ninety thousand) has been reached, to indicate you need to clear your BibTag decoder to prevent you from losing detections.

The backlighting for the screen will flicker if there is an error present.



8. Main Screen menu

8.1. Menus

From the Main screen, use the \rightarrow and \odot buttons to navigate to the operator menu and info screens:

- Press \rightarrow to show the menu options
- Press to access the info screens

If the operator does not make a selection within a few seconds, the operator menu and info screens will automatically revert to the Main screen (exceptions are the Gun, Marker and Clock menu selections).

Content of the menus:

Markers and files	8.1.1.
Timeline setup	8.1.2.
General	8.1.3.
Communication	8.1.4.
Log	8.1.5.
Memory stick	8.1.6.
Info Screens	8.1.7.

In every paragraph we will explain the possibilities of the main screen menu.

Within the main menu, you find the various possibilities of the menus with their submenus

Once correctly setup, the BibTag system is ready to automatically record the chips as they pass the measuring point.



8.1.1. Markers and files			
Use the $ ightarrow$ and $ ightarrow$ buttons to navigate to the menu and submenus			
Menu	Submenu		
Create a new file			
Gunshot	➤ New/exit		
Marker	➤ New/exit		
New file on gun			
Clear device			
Auxiliary	➤ Gun holdoff		
	➤ Ext. 1 holdoff		
	➤ Ext. 2 holdoff		

Choose here to:

 Create a new file Set a gunshot or a marker Clear the device memory Use an Auxiliary menu to enter a delay time 	<u>Dassie Reminue</u> Gunshot Marker New File On Gun
for the gunshot or marker device.	HEORITIC CHICONI

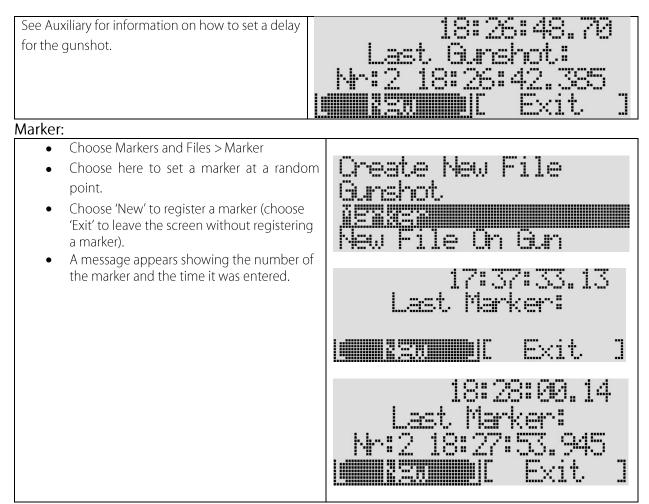
Create a new file:

Choose Markers and files > Create New File This function is useful for separating the detected chips times into individual files (e.g. it can be used to	File Created File:3
record multiple races after each other). A maximum 999 files can be created.	

Gunshot:

Choose Markers and Files > Gunshot This function is useful for manually registering a start gun time at the beginning of a race. Choose 'New' to register a gunshot (choose 'Exit' to leave the screen without registering a gunshot).	Create New File <u>Final State</u> Marker New File On Gun
Attach the starting gun to the I/O port on the BibTag panel	17:36:32.52 Last Gunshot:
Never use the gun after the race has started, because all new BibTag passings will be adjusted to the new gun times; always use the marker function during the race to mark a Bib Tag – Marker	lennesson poit 3





New file on gun:

Choose Markers and Files > New File on Gun Choose here "ON" when you want to create a new			
file with each gun shot.			
	[Accept][Cancel]		



Clear device:

Choose Markers and Files > Clear device	
Here you can delete all passings (BibTags that have	Clear device?
been detected), files and markers from the detector	Teach and foreign freedom for an fearther a
memory.	heressen en claam 1
Important: Make sure all recorded BibTag	
passings are synced before clearing.	
 Confirm the delete action as follows: Press to choose 'Clear' (choose 'Cancel' if you wish to cancel the selection). Press to confirm the delete. Wait until the message 'Clearing device' disappears and you return to the main screen. 	

Auxiliary:

Choose Create Marker and File > Auxiliary	
Assign here the various hold off times (in milliseconds	Event Lenteley's'
for a start gun, or any other External device attached	
to the decoder I/O port. Navigate through the menu	
selections with $ ightarrow$ and choose a selection with $ ightarrow$.	
Once in the appropriate screen (see example of Gur	
holdoff below), change the assigned hold off time as	
follows:	500 me
Use \odot and \ominus to enter the required delay time	III
and move to 'Accept'.	[Accept][Cancel]
Press \odot to accept and return to the main screer	
(choose 'Cancel' if you wish to cancel the	
selection).	



8.1.2. Timeline set up			
Use the $\widehat{}$ and $\widehat{}$ buttons to navigate to the menu and submenus			
Menu	Submenu		
Profile	> Main		
	> Back up		
	> Scanner		
Number of antennas			
Reader channel	Not for FCC/USA		
• Beep	 Beep volume 		
	> Beep type		
Time between same chip			
Continuous mode			

Choose here to assign:

Beep Time between same chip Continuous mode * Reader channel is not available for USA/FCC systems	 Reader channel * Beep Time between same chip Continuous mode 	hills franksing her of Antennas ader Channel ar
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Profile:

Tionic.			
Choose Timeline > Profile			
Here you can assign whether your decoder is used as			
a main or backup system, or as a scanner.	<u> </u>		
Main and backup systems are set up in two rows at a	r challen in challen in the		
recommended distance of 3m (10ft) from each other	[Accept][Cancel]		
Main and backup decoders are mostly used at			
start/finish lines to guarantee accuracy and ensure			
that all chip times are registered.			
A scanner assigned decoder can be used to check bibtags (never use this setting when the decoder is used in			
a race). The first array of mats that is passed is normally assigned as 'main' and the second array is assigned as			
backup. The backup system has less precise timing but is more sensitive for weak chip signals.			
Change the selection as follows:			
 Press to choose the required setting (Main, Backup or Scanner). 			
• Press \rightarrow to move to the next field.			
• Press 💿 to confirm and return to the main screen (choose 'Cancel' if you wish to cancel the			
selection).			
Selection,			



Number of antennas:

Choose Timeline > Number of antennas	
Assign here the number of antennas connected to	51
your decoder (1 to 8).	 .
NOTE: A 4-meter system with a maximum 4 antennas is also available.	[Accept][Cancel]
Change the Number of Antennas as follows:	

- Press repeatedly to increase the number of antennas until the correct number is shown.
- Press \rightarrow to move to the next field.
- Press to accept and return to the main screen (choose 'Cancel' if you wish to cancel the selection).

Reader channel:

Choose Timeline > Reader Channel *		
Assign here the channel used by the reader to gather data. Always assign a different channel to a main and backup system to eliminate interference between decoders in close proximity. Also always assign a different channel to each of the 2 readers installed in an 8 antenna system.	E This setting only applies to EU, Chinese and Japan BibTag systems	
Change the Reader Channel as follows:		

- Press repeatedly to assign the required symbol to the blinking field.
- Press \rightarrow to confirm the symbol and move to the next field.
- Press repeatedly to assign the required symbol.
- Press \bigcirc to move to the next field.
- Press to confirm and return to the main screen (choose 'Cancel' if you wish to cancel the selection).



Beep:

Choose General > Beep

Here you can set the decoder beeper volume (High/Medium/Low/Offf) and the beeper type (Single/Continuous). Do this as follows:

- Press to select the beeper volume or type you want to have.
- Press ightarrow to move to the next field.
- Press to accept and return to the main screen (choose 'Cancel' if you wish to cancel the selection).

		F		
 Accept][Can	cel]

Continuous mode: As long as a tag is in the detection field of the decoder it will beep continuously. The decoder only generates 1 passing at the start of the beep, although the decoder beeps continuous, no more passings are generated.

Single beep mode: In single mode, the decoder beeps for one brief moment per

generated passing. This allows the user to distinguish individual passings even when a tag (athlete) remains in the field of detection. E.a. 5 athletes passing the mats results in 5 short beeps.

Time between same chip:

Choose Timeline > Time Betw. Same Chip

This setting prevents a chip being accidentally and repeatedly registered while still in the vicinity of the antennas. If a chip is detected more than once within this interval, each new registration will be neglected until the interval is over.

Change the time between the same chip as follows:

- Press to increase the number of milliseconds (default is 10; min is 3; max is 30).
- Press \rightarrow to confirm the symbol and move to the next field 'Accept'.
- Press to confirm and return to the main screen (choose 'Cancel' if you wish to cancel the selection).

Continuous mode:

Choose Timeline > Continuous mode	Deniineee Mees
When continuous mode is set to ON, the decoder will	
create passings for a tag continuously, as long as a tag is in the detection field.	[Accept][Cancel]
The time Between Same Chip setting determines the time between the subsequent detections. When it is set to OFF, the decoder will create only one passing during the time a tag remains in the detection field.	#4 15:32:59 Cont.Main F1:4 BibTa92046 D

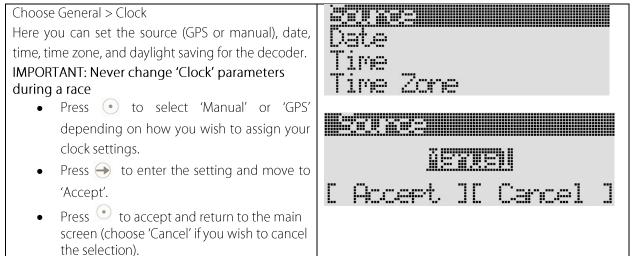


8.1.3. General		
Use the $$ and $$ buttons to navigate	to the menu and submenus	
Menu	Submenu	
Clock	> Source	
	> Date	
	> Time	
	> Time zone	
	 Daylight saving 	
Contrast	I	
• Name		
• Index		
• Factory defaults		
• Firmware	> Decoder	
	> Reader module	
	> Charger module	
Maintenance		

Choose her to assign:

 Clock Contrast Name Index Factory defaults Firmware 	Contrast Name Index
Maintenance	

Clock:





Date:

• Press • to select 'Date'.	<u>Deje za </u>
 Press → and → to enter the correct date and move to 'Accept'. 	US Feb 2013
 Press to accept and return to the main screen (choose 'Cancel' if you wish to cancel the selection). 	[Accept][Cancel]

Time:

 Press → and • to select 'Time'. 	
• Press \odot and \Rightarrow to enter the correct time	667.057
and move to 'Accept'.	Elt - Tr
 Press to accept and return to the main 	[Accept][Cancel]
screen (choose 'Cancel' if you wish to cancel	
the selection).	

Time zone:

• Press \bigcirc and \odot to select 'Time Zone'.	Tipe Zone
 Press ● and → to enter the correct time zone and move to 'Accept'. 	<u> [55</u> :20
 Press to accept and return to the main screen (choose 'Cancel' if you wish to cancel the selection). 	[Accept][Cancel]

Daylight saving:

• Press \longrightarrow and \odot to select 'Daylight Saving'.	
 Press ● and → to choose between 'off' and 	
'on', and move to 'Accept'.	1
 Press to accept and return to the main screen (choose 'Cancel' if you wish to cancel the selection). 	[Accept][Cancel]



Contrast:

Choose General > Contrast

Here you can alter the contrast of the BibTag operator screen.



Do this as follows:

- Select [-] and press repeatedly to dim the screen.
- Select [+] and press repeatedly to brighten the screen.
- Press \rightarrow to move to the 'Accept' field.
- Press to accept and return to the main screen (choose 'Cancel' if you wish to cancel the selection).

Name:

Choose General > Name	
Here you can assign a personalized name for easy identification when the BibTag is connected to a	≦ibTa90158
network. This name will be displayed on the main	[Accept][Cancel][CL]
screen, and in the MYLAPS software.	
Change the name as follows:	
• Press 💽 repeatedly to assign the required syr	mbol (alphabetic or numeric) to the blinking field.
• Press $ ightarrow$ to move to the next field.	
• Repeat steps 1 and 2 until the name is correct	

• Press \bigcirc until 'Reset' is selected and press \odot to confirm and return to the main screen.

Index:

Choose General > Index	
Here you can assign an index (maximum 2 characters) for the BibTag to identify the decoder in	<u>3</u> 0
software. In Toolkit it is called device number.	[Accept][Cancel]
Change the index as follows:	
Press repeatedly to assign the required system	mbol (alphabetic or numeric) to the blinking field.
• Press $ ightarrow$ to move to the next field.	
• Press 💽 repeatedly to assign the required syr	nbol (alphabetic or numeric).

- Press \rightarrow to move to the 'Accept' field.
- Press to confirm and return to the main screen (choose 'Cancel' if you wish to cancel the selection).



Factory defaults:

Choose General > Factory defaults

Here you can reset all the software settings in the decoder to their default factory settings.

Set all settin9s to default? I**MDE723MD**[[Default]

Confirm the reset action as follows:

- Press \bigcirc to choose 'Default' (choose 'Cancel' if you wish to cancel the selection).
- Press to confirm the reset.

Firmware:

Choose General > Firmware
Here you can switch the current software version (to a previous version) and view the Reader and Charger module. View modules by pressing → and then ·
Switch software version as follows:

Press · to choose 'Decoder'.
Press · to choose 'Switch' (choose 'Cancel' if you wish to cancel the selection).
Press · to switch the software versions.

Maintenance:

Choose General > Maintenance	
This function is only to be used by a MYLAPS service	3222
engineer, or after contact with MYLAPS.	[Accept][Cancel]
Enter the maintenance code as follows:	

- Press repeatedly to assign the required character (alphabetic or numeric) to the blinking field.
- Press ightarrow to move to the next field.
- Repeat steps 1 and 2 to enter all four characters for the required code.
- Press to accept the address (choose 'Cancel' if you wish to cancel the selection).



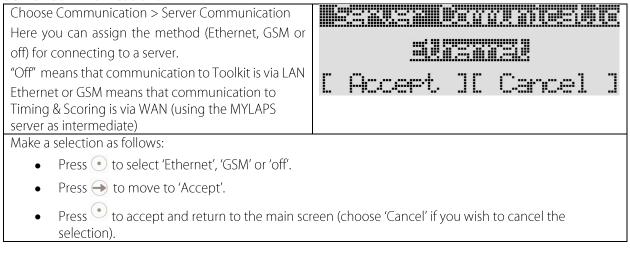
8.1.4. Communication	
Use the $\widehat{}$ and $\widehat{}$ buttons to navigate to the	e menu and submenus
Menu	Submenu
Server Communication	> Ethernet
	≻ GSM
	► Off
Server location	
 Network 	> Automatic
	IP address
	 Subnet mask
	➤ Gateway
	Primary DNS
	Secondary DNS
GSM Settings	> APN
	> User name
	> password

Choose here to assign:

٠	Server communication	zerner boord filedige:
٠	Server location	Server Location
٠	Network	Network
•	GSM Settings	GSM Settings

When setting up BibTag for the first time, register your decoder at the CCNet server - refer to http://partners.mylaps.com for more information.

Server communication:





Server location:	
Choose Communication > Server location	
Here you can enter a server address for the 'CCNetServer' for your region.	: # 22
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Network:	
Here you can assign all the specifications for the	
network connection. Choose 'Automatic' to ask the	IP Address
software to assign the address automatically (DCHP); alternatively you can manually set the IP address,	Subnet Mask
Subnet mask and Gateway.	Gateway
Automatic	
Choose 'on' for an automatic search for the network;	
set to 'off' before manually assigning IP address, etc.	
	F Gerapt JF Comeal J
IP address	IP Address
Always first set 'Automatic' to 'off' before you can assign fixed IP settings. The decoder cannot register	1010 000 100 001
IP addresses in the 198.51.100.x series.	<u>\$</u> 18.228.188.881
	[Accept][Cancel]
Subnet mask	
Always first set 'Automatic' to 'off' before you can	
assign Subnet Mask settings.	<u>5</u> 00.200.888.888
	[Accept][Cancel]
Gateway	
Always first set 'Automatic' to 'off' before you can	
assign Gateway settings.	300.000.000.000
	[Accept][Cancel]
Primary DNS	
Always first set 'Automatic' to 'off' before you can	328.000.028.000
assign DNS settings.	
	L Accept II Cancel I



Secondary DNS	
See 'Primary DNS'.	

GSM Settings:

Choose Communication > GSM Settings Always first set 'Server Communication' to 'GSM' - see Server Communication.	Tailling Username Password <<		
Here you can configure the GSM (wireless modem)) settings of the Modem/GSM unit. Settings must be		
obtained from your GSM provider and entered in the	following screens:		
APN (Access Point Name)			
• Username	Username		
Password			
Select APN:			
Press • repeatedly to assign the required	character (alphabetic or numeric) to the blinking field.		
• Press $ ightarrow$ to confirm the character and move to the next field.			
 Repeat these steps to enter characters for the complete name (max. 20 characters) 			
• When the address is complete press \rightarrow to move to the 'Accept' field.			
 Press to accept the address and return to the main screen (choose 'Cancel' if you wish to cancel 			
the selection; choose 'CL' if you wish to clear the name).			
 Repeat the same steps for 'Username' and 'Password'. 			
	1 03300010.		
When setting up BibTag for the first time, register you	r decoder at the CCNet server.		



8.1.5. Log
Use the $igodot$ and $igodot$ buttons to navigate to the menu and submenus
• Files
Markers
• Errors

Log:

Here you can view the archieve of Files, markers and errors.

Files:

Choose Log > Files	File Mr: 1
	Passin9s: 0
Choose 'Next' to view the next file.	2013-02-18 17:39:14
	Marende E xit 1

Markers:

Choose Log > Markers	Type:Gunshot Mr:1
	2013-02-18
Choose 'Previous' to view previous marker.	18:08:09.196 1/1
	Marrielle Exit 1

Errors:

Choose Log > Errors	Error nr 510 1/11
Choose 'First' to view first error. Choose 'Exit' to go out of the menu.	Antenna 1 lost Check antenna now! []]]]] [] Exit]



8.1.6. Memory stick (only available when USB key inserted.		
Use the $\widehat{}$ and $\widehat{}$ buttons to navigate to the menu and submenus		
When you insert an USB memory stick via the special adapter cable on the GPS/Modem connector of your BibTag decoder there will be an additional menu available: Memory Stick.	ismusifies Markers and Files Timeline Setup General	
With this option you have the possibility to create a passing file that you can import into the MYLAPS Timing & Scoring sofware and/or to create support files should you encounter any issues with your BibTag decoder to send back to MYLAPS for further	Urite support	
investigation.		
When you select the "Write all passings" option the display will show the warning: "All passings will be charged for!"	Make sure your use a USB memory stick for at least 2 GB and FAT formatted.	
This is to notify you that you will be using all the passings that are stored in the decoder and the buyer of these tags will be charged for the passings. By clicking "Cancel" you stop the operation and no passings will be exported. When selecting "Export" you agree to be charged for all passings. The passings will be exported to the USB stick.*		
*Note: all passings that are charged already through Timing & Scoring will not be charged again.		
 The file format of the passings file: Date-Time-SerialNr-Timeline.tag 20131127-170415-070046-Finish.tag mean 00-46, Timeline: Finish 	is that it is the file of 27 Nov 2013 17h04:15, SerialNr: 07-	

To import the passings file you will need to use Toolkit2 SP4 or higher.



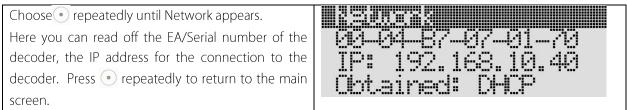
8.1.7. Info Screens

From the Main screen, press the button repeatedly to navigate through the various info screens and eventually return to the main screen.

The following screens will be shown:

- Network
- EA/ Serial number
- Versions
- GPRS info
- Passings
- Battery info

Network



Versions

Choose 💽 repeatedly until Versions appears.	Versions
Here you can read off the current BibTag software	BibTa9 system
version installed in the decoder (and the previously	Active: 2.2
installed 'passive' version, if present). Press 🔍	Expires in 21 days
repeatedly to return to the main screen.	

GPRS Info

Choose 💿 repeatedly until GPRS Info appears.	
Here you can read off the GPRS info by the decoder.	Provider:
Press \odot repeatedly to return to the main screen.	Server: server1.cha Si9nal: 31 v

Passings

Choose repeatedly until Passings appears. Here	. Pessings
you can read off the number of passings (Bibtag	Stoned: 4
detections) recorded by the decoder.Press 💽	Synced: 0
repeatedly to return to the main screen.	Credit left:9996



Battery info

Choose • repeatedly until Battery info appears. Here you can read off all the details about the internal battery (or external battery if connected). This information includes voltage, remaining charge and capacity. You can use the • button to scroll through the text. Press • to return to the main screen.	Internal Bat: 923 Volt: 16.23 V Left Cap:37824mAH v
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9. Maintenance

9.1.Introduction

Only qualified and trained personnel should perform maintenance on MYLAPS equipment. Maintenance can be described as, but not limited to:

- Checking and testing components
- Cleaning the unit and individual components accumulated dirt can hamper unit operations
- Installing and removing parts from the unit
- Troubleshooting any malfunctions that may occur on the unit before, during and after operations
- Calibrating and adjusting settings on the unit.

Maintenance activity	monthly	6-monthly	As required
Clean			
Charge battery			
Check/update software			
Calibrate battery indicators (3.2.4)			
Remove/replace SIM card			
Replace battery			
Replace cables and antennas			

9.2. Periodic maintenance schedules



9.2.1. Clean

Take a clean soft cloth and moisten it with • clean water (do not use an abrasive cleaning liquid). Using gentle strokes, clean the inside of the • case, including the display screen and antenna connectors. Dry off any excess moisture. • Use a newly moistened cloth to clean the outside of the case, including the front LED display. Use a moist cloth to clean the antenna cables, paying particular attention to remove any dirt in the connectors. Dispose of the cleaning materials (check your local environmental regulations). **CAUTION** - Environmental hazard

Plastic and other waste products are harmful to the environment. Dispose of waste items in a responsible, environment-friendly manner. Separate recyclable products form other, non-recycle waste. Heed site regulations and obey local environmental by-laws.



9.2.2. Charge battery

J.Z.Z. Charge battery	
Check that temperature of the charging location is within range 0-40 $^{\circ}$ C (+32 to +104 $^{\circ}$ F).	
 Connect cable: Switch off BibTag decoder at main switch (you can leave the power on, but charging will take longer) Attach 100 - 240 VAC cable into AC connector on display panel Connect the power cable into the main power socket. 	
 Check the battery status at the front of the case: The LEDs will gradually light from left to right as charging is in progress (last LED will blink) Wait until battery is fully charged and all 5 LEDs remain lit (takes 8 hours from empty to full when device is switched off). 	E F Power Detect Error
Remove power (optional): MYLAPS recommends leaving power connected to retain battery life and ensure the BibTag is fully charged and ready for its next use	
CAUTION - High Voltage Before connecting power to BibTag, make sure that all	electrical connections are secure.

9.2.3. Check/Update software

- Connect to a local internet provider via a cable connection or via GSM
- Access the MYLAPS support website and check if there is updated decoder firmware
- Update version (if required):
- > Follow the instructions on the support website to download and install the updated firmware
- Check update:
- Confirm reboot to new version
- > Verify that new version works correctly (if problems occur, refer to section Troubleshooting)



9.2.4. Calibrate battery indicators

Check that temperature of the charging location is within range 0 to $+40 \degree$ C (+32 to $+104 \degree$ F). Fully charge the battery until the green 'F' lamp stays constantly lit (takes 8 hours from empty to fully charged when device is switched off). • Deplete battery: Power Detect Error > Disconnect power from the Decoder Switch on the Decoder Leave the Decoder running until the internal battery is completely empty (can take 12 hours from full to empty) > The Decoder will switch off automatically to prevent battery damage. Fully charge the battery until the green 'F' lamp stays constantly lit (takes 8 hours from empty to fully charged when device is switched off). CAUTION - High Voltage Before connecting power to the decoder, make sure that all electrical connections are secure.

9.2.5. Remove/Replace SIM card

Disconnect unit cable:

 Place your fingers around the ribbed part of the connector (never disconnect it by pulling on the cable) Press the connector with a vertical motion downwards Remove the connector by pulling it with a smooth vertical motion upwards to unlock it. 	
 Remove unit: Remove the unit from its attachment straps in the cover. 	Vi LAPS Viexagi Marking Markin



 Remove unit cover: Unscrew the 4 corner screws with a screwdriver Remove the cover to expose the card holder. 	
 Open card holder: Slide down the front of the card holder slightly to release the holder Flip the holder open to access the card 	
 Remove card: Gently slide the old SIM card out of the holder Leave the holder in its upright position 	
 Replace card: Gently slide the new SIM card into the holder, making sure the cut-out corner is on the top left Press the new card completely into place in the base of the holder. 	
 Close holder: Press the holder down into its closed position, making sure that the card is not bent or damaged Slide down the front of the card holder to lock the holder 	
 Replace unit cover: Place the unit cover back on the unit Firmly screw in the 4 corner screws 	



Replace unit:

- Replace the unit in its attachment straps in the decoder cover, making sure that the label on the base of the unit is visible
- Place your fingers around the ribbed part of the connector and press the connector with a vertical motion downwards into the connector (making sure it locks in place)





CAUTION - Equipment damage

To prevent damage to the SIM card and possible data loss, always disconnect the modem/GPS unit before removing/replacing the card. Always correctly connect and disconnect the modem/GPS cable. Only handle the cable connector by holding it on the ribbed part of the connector, never pull on the cable.

Also always take special care to prevent moisture entering the opened modem/GPS unit, and take standard precautions to prevent ESD when handling electrical components.

9.2.6. Replace battery

Please contact MYLAPS for the procedure for replacing the battery. The contact details can be found at the end of this manual.

9.2.7. Replace cables and antennas

Please contact MYLAPS for the part numbers and ordering instructions. The contact details can be found at the end of this manual.



10. Retrieve data

Here you can choose from the following data retrieval methods:

Use the \rightarrow and \odot buttons to navigate to the menu and submenus

- Retrieving data (local network via Ethernet cable)
- Retrieving data (GSM)
- Retrieving data via internet (Ethernet)

Retrieving data (local network via Ethernet cable)

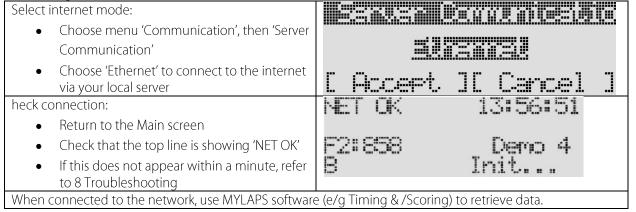
-		
1.	Connect an Ethernet cable	
٠	Firmly click the cable into one of the two	
	network connectors on the panel (always use	
	a MYLAPS supplied Ethernet cable, or	CANTERINA
	standard Ethernet UTP cable up to a max.	
	100m (300ft) long).	4
•	Check the orange LED on the network	
	connection is on	
2.	Choose Communication > Network	
•	From here you can select one of the	The lake
	following:	
•	If you wish to automatically assign the	SLONET HEEK
	network settings - go to step 3	Gabeuay
•	If you wish to manually assign the network	
	settings - go to step 4	
3.	Choose 'Automatic':	
•	Select 'on'	
٠	Select 'Accept'	
٠	Continue at step 5	[Accept][Cancel]
4.	Choose IP address:	Automatic
٠	If 'AUTO' is on, a new screen will appear	
	asking you to 'Disable AUTO first' - do this by	Subnet mask Gateway
	selecting 'OK'	
•	Once in the IP screen, use the operator	Disable AUTO first
	buttons to enter the IP address and choose	
	'Accept'	IP sidress
•	Do the same to manually assign the 'Subnet	il 92.168.000.067
	mask', 'Gateway' and 'DNS' (Gateway and	[Accept][Cancel]
	DNS are optional if an internet connection is	in i Partation to the fundation of a
	not required or is not available)	Arimary DNS
•	Continue at step 5	GELEVEN
		255.255.000.000 [Cancel]
		[Accept][Cancel]
5.	When connected to the network, use MYLAPS	software (e/q Timing & /Scoring) to retrieve data.



Retrieving data (GSM)

Select internet mode:	eskespied of the sub-	
Choose menu 'Communication', then 'Server'	1	
Communication'		
 Use the operator buttons to toggle from 'Ethernet' to 'GSM' and then select 'Accept' 	[Accept][Cancel]	
Check GSM connection	∎£0K t业5 12:25:35	
Return to the Main screen	Main	
• Check the left of the top line is showing an	F7:6843 BihTadAAd	
antenna symbol with vertical bars next to it.		
• If this does not appear within a minute, refer		
to Troubleshooting		
When connected to the network, use MYLAPS software (e/g Timing & /Scoring) to retrieve data.		

Retrieving data via internet (Ethernet)





11.Troubleshooting

Troubleshooting for the BibTag can be divided into 3 distinct categories:

- Startup problems
- Operating errors and warnings (signaled by screen messages)
- Problems with updating software
- Reset to factory defaults
- GPS reception is weak or lost
- Modem errors

If troubleshooting does not solve a problem, contact MYLAPS at <u>support@mylaps.com</u>. Alternatively, check the MYLAPS forum site for similar problems and solutions - see <u>http://partners.mylaps.com</u>.

11.1 Startup problems

Normally when starting up the BibTag decoder, the main screen will appear after the power button is pressed on the control panel. However, the following problems may be encountered during startup.

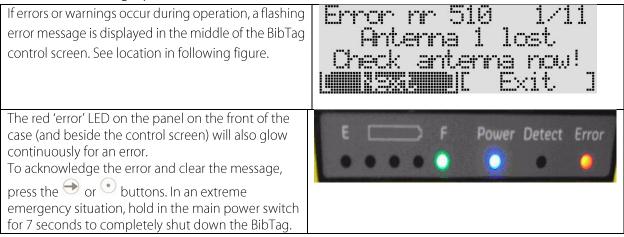
No power is available (no LEDs lit)

Connect power to the BibTag decoder and check if the 'E' battery indicator is lit: If lit, charge the BibTag until the internal battery is sufficiently full (the second charge LED starts to blink) If battery indicator is not lit, contact MYLAPS

Start screen freezes

Restart (startup can take longer after a restart).

11.2. Error during operation





11.3. Error codes

Errors can be caused by human, software, mechanical or electrical faults - read the message carefully, and decide upon the best course of action. The following table alphabetically lists the various operating errors as follows:

- Error text
- Possible Causes (in order of likelihood)
- Solutions to the listed causes (also in order of likelihood) with suggested procedure number (as listed in the Maintenance section of this manual)

ID	Error	Problems	Solutions
312	Ambient temperature too high to charge	Surrounding temperature too high to charge battery	Charge battery in correct temp. range
	too high to charge		
310	Ambient temperature	Surrounding temperature too low	Charge battery in correct temp. range
	too low to charge	to charge battery	
510	Antenna 1 lost	Antenna connection is faulty	Check the antenna connections
	Check antenna now		
512	Antenna 2 lost Check antenna now	Antenna connection is faulty	Check the antenna connections
514	Antenna 3 lost Check antenna now	Antenna connection is faulty	Check the antenna connections
516	Antenna 4 lost Check antenna now	Antenna connection is faulty	Check the antenna connections
518	Antenna 5 lost Check antenna now	Antenna connection is faulty	Check the antenna connections
520	Antenna 6 lost Check antenna now	Antenna connection is faulty	Check the antenna connections
522	Antenna 7 lost Check antenna now	Antenna connection is faulty	Check the antenna connections
524	Antenna 8 lost	Antenna connection is faulty	Check the antenna connections
	Check antenna now		
300	Battery error	Battery is not connected or has	Contact MYLAPS
		been shut down by temperature protection	
302	Battery error	Warning that the battery charge	Connect to an external battery, or
		level is becoming low	connect to AC power (if no other
			option)
330	Battery status Read failed	Software error	Restart



ID	Error	Problems	Solutions
332	Battery fuse broken	Battery fuse is faulty	Replace fuse
316	Battery temperature too high to charge	Battery temperature too high	Charge battery in correct temp. range
314	Battery temperature too low to charge	Battery temperature too low	Charge battery in correct temp. range
600	CCNet error Contact MYLAPS	Connection to the CCNet server is lost	Wait for BibTag to reconnect. If error occurs frequently, check GSM status or network connections
604	CCNet Unregistered Register device	Device is unregistered	Register the BibTag at the CCNet server - refer to http://partner.mylaps.com for more information
602	CCNet Auth failed Login OK?	Internet unavailable	Check APN, User name and password. Contact network provider
	CCNet not found Server settings OK?	Internet unavailable	Check APN, User name and password. Contact network provider
328	Charge error high current	The measured charge current is too high	The measured charge current is too high
326	Charge error low current	The measured charge current is too low	Connect alternative (110 - 240 VAC) supply. Contact MYLAPS if error repeats
102	Chip queue at 75% save passings	Memory is becoming full	Save the current passings to Timing & Scoring
104	Chip queue at 90% save passings	Memory is becoming full	Save the current passings to Timing & Scoring
106	Credit time > 75%	Credit time is running out	Sync to Tag Use Server
108	Credit time expired	Credit time has run out	Sync to Tag Use Server
400	Communication error Contact MYLAPS	Undefined	Contact MYLAPS
500	Decoder error Contact MYLAPS	Internal communication failed	Contact MYLAPS



ID	Error	Problems	Solutions
804	Decoder time drift Check GPS unit	No GPS sync for very long time (more than 2days); Or internal clock drift too much	Connect GPS Contact MYLAPS
504	Decoder time failed Contact MYLAPS	Internal communication failed	Contact MYLAPS
502	Decoder not found Contact MYLAPS	Internal communication failed	Contact MYLAPS
506	Decoder conn lost Contact MYLAPS	Internal communication failed	Contact MYLAPS
	Decoder Re-read	Internal communication resync was required	Contact MYLAPS
304	EM Com error FE	Undefined	Contact MYLAPS
306	EM Com error OE	Undefined	Contact MYLAPS
308	EM Com error BRK	Undefined	Contact MYLAPS
336	External battery low	Warning that external battery charge level is low and BibTag will switch to internal battery supply.	Connect to an extra external battery, or connect to AC power (if no other option)
706	Firmware will expire in 1 month	Firmware must be updated	Install new firmware
708	Firmware expired Update now	Firmware must be updated	Install new
	GPS	No communication is possible via GPS - no sync with GPS time	Restart
334	Internal battery disconnected	Battery connection is disabled	Reconnect
320	Maintenance required battery voltage high	Battery has been charged at too high a current	Replace battery if message repeats
322	Maintenance required battery delta T	Battery has been loaded for too long	Replace battery if message repeats
324	Maintenance required battery capacity	Battery has been loaded for too long	Replace battery if message repeats
704	Old EM firmware Update firmware	Started wrong software version	Reload correct firmware



ID	Error	Problems	Solutions
702	Old reader firmware	Started wrong software version	Reload correct firmware
	Update firmware		
318	Supply voltage	The measured supply current is too	Connect alternative (110 - 240 VAC)
	load high	high	supply. Contact MYLAPS if error
			repeats
200	Timing error	Undefined	Contact MYLAPS
	Contact MYLAPS		
805	Unexpected time	Unexpected time jump in GPS time	Contact MYLAPS
	jump	occurred;	
	No GPS sync anymore	Decoder is now running internal	
		clock until reboot	
508	Unsupported decoder	Internal communication failed	Contact MYLAPS
	Contact MYLAPS		
700	Update error	Software problem	Contact MYLAPS
	Contact MYLAPS		
	Version changed to	Confirmation of a software update	Press operator button to
	Version x.x		acknowledge message.

11.4. Problems with updating software

If a problem occurs with an updated software version, BibTag can revert to a working software version as follows.

- Check BibTag is started:
- > If BibTag does not start correctly, restart to force a reboot with a working software version
- Update software and make sure you select a software version that previously ran correctly on your BibTag.
- Report software problem to MYLAPS.

11.5. Reset to factory defaults

If required, BibTag decoder can be reset to the original factory settings.

Access General > Factory settings
 Use the operator buttons to choose 'Default'
 The controller will automatically reboot with the factory defaults.



11.6. GPS reception is weak or lost

- Solve problems with a weak or lost GPS signal as follows.
- Reposition the Modem/GPS unit so that it has a clear view of any possible satellites (not obstructed by buildings, trees, etc.)
- Check signal strength
- Check the number of GPS satellites shown on the top of the screen (should be showing at least 3 satellites)
- Reposition the Modem/GPS unit again if necessary

11.7. Modem errors

When connection is set to GSM, the main screen can show the following error messages. Only one modem error will be active at the same time. In case of a connection issue, these indicators are being displayed at the location of the MICT indication in the upper left area of the display:

MDMI:	No GPRS modem connected to the BibTag decoder	Check the GPRS modem connection to the BibTag decoder
SIM!:	No SIM card has been detected by the GPRS modem	Check the SIM card in the GPRS modem
PIN!:	The SIM card is PIN locked	Unlock the SIM card using a mobile phone or USB modem
NET!:	No GPRS network	Relocate modemUse other provider
INI!:	GPRS service settings cannot be initialized	 Check the GPRS modem APN settings Check the CCnet server location settings
APN!	GPRS service cannot be established	Check the GPRS modem APN settings
SRV!:	GPRS service cannot be established	 Check the GPRS modem APN settings Check the CCnet server location settings
CCN!:	BibTag decoder cannot connect to the CCnet server	Check the CCnet server location setting
DEV!:	BibTag decoder has not been registered on the CCnet server	Register your decoder to the CCnet server
ERR!:	Other error.	



12. Appendix

12.1. Specifications

Decoder

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Material Dimensions (LxWxD) Weight (including accessories) AC input voltage Power consumption (charging) Typical power consumption (batt. operation) Max. power consumption (mains operation) Internal battery capacity Max. charge time (device switched off) Operating time (with full battery) Operating temperature (charging) Operating temperature (not charging) Storage temperature Relative humidity Pollution degree Protection class (cover closed) Protection class (cover open) Max. chip passing speed Max. unique chip detects Timing Resolution Clock tolerance Maximum detection buffer size Life span Modem/GPS Unit Dimensions (WxLxH) Cable length Weight Life span Operating temperature Storage temperature GSM unit **IP Protection Class** Dimensions (WxLxH) Weight Life span Operating temperature Storage temperature IP Protection Class BibTag Dimensions (Width x Height) Max. speed Max. detection height Operating temperature Storage temperature Protocol Power source Operating frequency

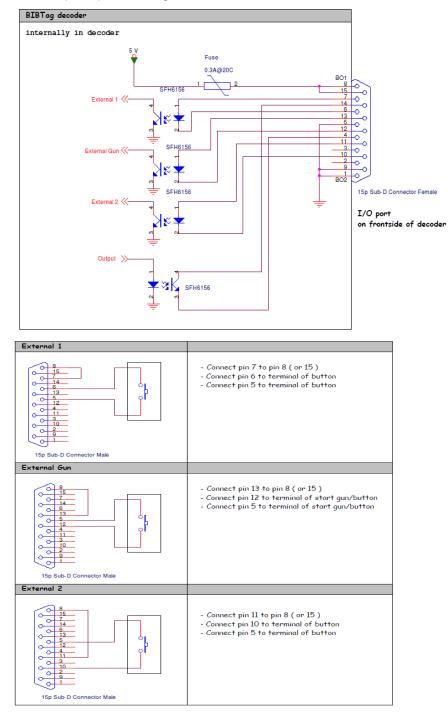
Modified Pelican 1500 case 47x35.7x17.6cm (18.5x14.06x 6.93inch) 16 kg (35 lb) 100 to 240 VAC at 50/60 Hz 45 W 30 W 40 W 12 V / 17 Ah 8 hours 10hours (4mat system); 6hours (8mat system) 0 to +40 °C (+32 to +104 °F) -20 to +50 °C (-4 to +122 °F) 0 to +40 °C (+32 to +104 °F) Max. 90%, non-condensing Ш IP54 IP33 40 km/h (25 mph) 50/sec 0.001 sec 1 ppm 80,000 chips approx. 5 years 100x70x40 mm (3.94 x 2.76 x 1.57 in) 3 m (118 in) 350 g (0.77 lb) approx. 5 years -20 to +50 °C (-4 to +122 °F) 0 to +40 °C (+32 to +104 °F) Quadband (850/900/1800/1900MHz), GPRS, EDGE IP 65 740x1050x25mm (29.13x41.33x0.98inch) 10 kg (22lb) approx. 3 years -20 to +50 °C (-4 to +122 °F) 0 to +40 °C (+32 to +104 °F) IP65 100 x 30mm (3.94x1.18inch) 40 km/h (25 mph) approx. 2m (6.6ft) -20 to +50 °C (-4 to +122 °F) 0 to +40 °C (+32 to +104 °F) EPCglobal Class 1, Gen 2 ISO 18000-6C Integrated proprietary disposable battery 860-960 MHz

IP 53

IP Protection Class



12.2.10 port pin settings





12.3. CE Declaration of Conformity

We,

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Declare that the UHF system

BibTag Portable Decoder

In accordance with the following directives:

2006/95/EC	The Low Voltage Directive
2004/108/EC	The Electromagnetic Compatibility Directive
1999/5/EC	Radio & Telecommunications Terminal
	Equipment Directive

Has been designed and manufactured to the following specifications:

EN 301-489-1 (2005-09) EN 301-489-3 (2002-08) EN 302-208-2 (2008-04) EN 61000-3-2 (2006) EN 61000-3-3 (2008)

I hereby declare that the product named above is designed to comply with the relevant sections of the above referenced specifications, and all essential requirements of the Directives.

Name of authorized person: Function of authorized person: Place and Date: Signature of authorized person: John Verwoerd R & D Director Haarlem, 25 April 2017

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