



The Lab Authority™















WE'RE YOUR THIRD PARTY TEST LAB FOR SMART CARD, MOBILE AND BEYOND.



CONSULTING

Navigating the complicated landscape of EMV, emerging technologies and industry disrupters means you need to have a partner on your side that is on the cutting edge of all that is new and relevant.



TESTING

Q-Card is a globally recognized third party test laboratory providing testing services for a wide range of payment devices including smart cards, wearables, mobile handsets and readers.



CERTIFICATION

Q-Card is an accredited, experienced test laboratory able to perform certification testing for contactless card, mobile and HCE.

- EMVCo
- VISA
- American Express
- ISO / IEC 17025 Certified Testing



EQUIPMENT

Use the test equipment the experts use. Our offering of test equipment and test fixtures are used in our own laboratory, so you can be confident that we've designed them for durability, reliability and accuracy.





Choosing a qualified lab

Laboratory accreditation provides formal recognition of testing competence as well as a ready means for clients to select a reliable test lab. With the privacy, security and integrity of billions of smart card and mobile payment transactions at stake in the global economy daily, industry stakeholders rely on Q-Card to ensure payment devices are compliant, secure and reliable. Many labs offer testing, but how do you know the results are correct and accurate? The integrity of our lab and testing results are managed through

use of external international standards and subsequent rigorous accreditations. Laboratory accreditation provides formal recognition of testing competence as well as a ready means for clients to select a reliable test lab.

Q-Card's laboratory holds several accreditations. At the foundation is our ISO 17025 accreditation, which requires testing proficiency, validation of test methods, measurement traceability, calibration and maintenance of test equipment, appropriate sample handling and test environment and technical competence to ensure that test, calibration and measurement data supplied are accurate and reliable.

Q-Card Accreditations

American Express

- Innovative Card Body Contactless Card Level 1
- Mobile/HCE Level 1
- Card Functional AEIPS & XPAY
 Level 2
- Contactless Cards (Standard ID1)
 Level 1
- Physical Card Testing

Visa

- Contactless Card and Non-Card
 Products Level 1
- Mobile Contactless Level 1
- HCE Level 1
- Physical Card Testing

EMVCo

- Level 1 Contactless, Analog and Digital
- Level 1 Mobile/HCE, Analog and Digital
- Interoperability, Performance and Multiple Execution Environment Testing

Q-Card also tests to EMVCo and payment brand specifications:

- Interoperability
- Performance
- Multiple Execution Environment



Industry stakeholders rely on Q-Card to ensure payment devices are compliant, secure and reliable. ENTER PM

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Q-Card is a globally recognized third party test laboratory providing testing services for a wide range of payment devices including smart cards, wearables, mobile handsets and readers. Our services range from ISO and ANSI durability testing of cards to EMV–certification testing and interoperability testing of mobile handsets for digital wallet applications. We also perform third-party testing for payment brand standards such as American Express, Mastercard and Visa. Our laboratory observes strict confidentiality policies and protocols to ensure secure confidential testing, including secure meeting rooms and safe storage of devices and materials.

Payment Brand Testing

- Visa: EMV Level 1 for Contactless, Mobile and HCE, Analog and Digital
- Mastercard CQM
- American Express EMV Level 1 for Contactless and Card Durability

EMV, NFC and HCE

- EMV Level 1 Certification Testing for Contactless and Mobile, Analog and Digital
- EMV Level 1 Precertification and Debugging Testing for Contactless and Mobile, Analog and Digital

Smart Device Testing

- Interoperability Testing
- Performance Testing
- UV Exposure
- Exposure to Radiation
- Electro Static Discharge (ESD)

Environmental Simulation

- Resistance to Heat
- Resistance to Chemicals
- UV Exposure
- Card Dimensional Stability and Warpage Related to Temperature and Humidity
- Wear Test on Magnetic Stripe
- Card Warpage

Mechanical

- Opacity
- Peel Strength
- Surface Profile of Magstripe
- Dimension of Cards
- Adhesion and Blocking
- Bending Stiffness
- Dynamic Bending Stress
- Dynamic Torsional Stress
- Magnetic Stripe Warpage
- Magnetic Stripe Adhesion
- Surface Roughness of the Magstripe

Consulting

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- New Product Design
- Quality Control
- Improved Reliability
- Payment System Analysis and Advice

Physical Card Testing

- 3 Wheel Testing for Chip Cards
- Electro Static Discharge (ESD)
- Impact Resistance
- Abrasion Resistance
- Embossing Retention
- Component and Material Adhesion
- Card Flatness and Profiles
- Card Dimensions
- Card Bend and Torsion
- Corner Impact
- Static Stress
- R and R Gauge

Magnetic Stripe Testing

- 300, 650 Oersted and high-coercivity (hico) stripes
- Signal Amplitude and litter
- Tracks 1, 2, 3, 4, (ATB) and Central Track
- Custom Track Location
- Testing per ISO/IEC 7811-2, 7811-6, and 10373
- Hico and Loco
- Magnetic Stripe Adhesion
- Custom Sizes, Materials and Testing
- PTB Reference Testing
- AAMVA Driver License
- Start Sentinel

ISO 17025 Certified Tests

- Environmental Simulation
- Mechanical
- Electrical

Barcode Testing

ISO 15415, ISO 15416, ISO 15426

ACCREDITED

- 2D, 3D
- Many Symbologies and Applications

Don't see the test you need?

Terminal and Component Testing

- Reader Reliability
- Magnetic Heads
- Chips and Antennas
- Contactless Testing
- Debugging

Certification Testing

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- Mobile/HCE Level 1
- Card Functional AEIPS & XPAY Level 2
- Contactless Cards (Standard ID1) Level 1
- Physical Card Testing

Visa

- Contactless Card and Non-Card Products Level 1
- Mobile Contactless Level 1
- HCE Level 1
- Physical Card Testing

EMVCo

- Level 1 Contactless, Analog and Digital
- Level 1 Mobile/HCE, Analog and Digital
- Interoperability, Performance and Multiple
 Execution Environment Testing

Q-Card also tests to EMVCo and payment brand specifications:

- Interoperability
- Performance
- Multiple Execution Environment

ISO/IEC 7810, 7811, 7813, 7816

Green and Sustainable Materials

Mastercard CQM and CSI

New Material Verification

Standards

EMVCo

FIPS 201

AAMVA Driver License

ANSI INCITS 322

ISO/IEC 10373

ISO/IEC 14443

ISO/IEC 24789

ISO/IEC 5629

ISO/IEC 8295

Metal Cards

Metallic Inks

Laminates

Antenna Design

Foils

ESD

We have hundreds of tests we regularly perform or we can develop a custom test plan

tailored specifically to your requirements for cards, tickets and mobile devices.

MARKET EXPERIENCE



Payments

Technology is pushing payments beyond traditional methods. Mobile wallets, wearables, powered cards, and biometrics all offer the benefits of convenience and improved security as well as risk. Implementing these technologies, while protecting consumer data, can be difficult. Q-Card can help develop a plan to test, debug, validate and implement new payment initiatives with confidence.



Mobile

The smartphone has changed the way we work, conduct commerce, socialize and manage our daily lives. It will continue to disrupt entire industries. As the smart device conquers new markets, such as access control, identity, health monitoring and more, you can rely on Q-Card to make sure your devices work when and where they need to by ensuring standards are met for interoperability.



Public Transportation

Convergence is a common term we hear in public transit today. Convergence of payment schemes such as open and closed loop, account-based, cloud-based/mobile ticketing, EMV, NFC, HCE; and convergence of disparate payment systems such as public transit, bike share, parking, tolls and more. Q-Card can help make it all work, whatever the traveler's payment preference may be and whatever the mode of transportation.

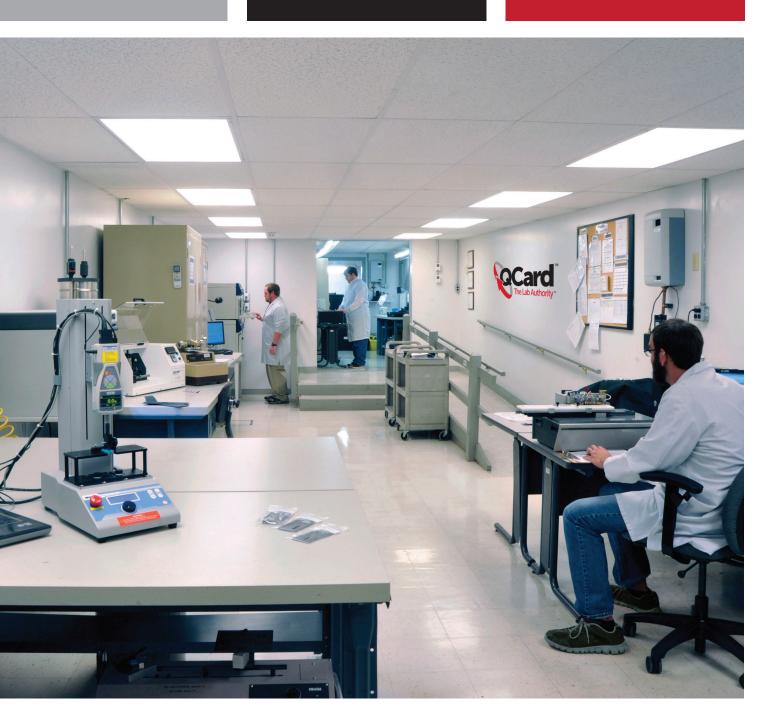


Identity

The need for secure credentials is becoming more widespread. Q-Card has played a significant role in testing ID credentials such as drivers licenses, national IDs, government IDs and more. We can help define and evaluate reasonable, secure solutions based on international industry standards and best practices.











Test tools for quality labs, production and R&D.

Use the equipment the experts use. Q-Card has been designing, manufacturing and supporting highly accurate test equipment for laboratory, R&D and production environments since 1988. Our offering of test equipment and test fixtures are used in our own laboratory, so you can be confident that we've designed them for durability, reliability and accuracy.

Our complete line of test equipment includes peel testers, bend and torsion, magnetic stripe analyzers, three wheel testers and a variety of ISO, ANSI and Mastercard CQM test fixtures. Q-Card is also an authorized reseller for KEOLABS test tools for EMV and NFC, including contactless spy, PICC and PCD emulation, automation tools and an EMV approved contactless test bench.



Smart Card & NFC Testing & Certification

Product		Category	Applications	Standards
	ProxiLAB Quest	Contactless Card and Reader Tester	 EMVCo Conformance Testing PCD Signal Emulator PICC Signal Emulator 13.56 Mhz Protocol Analyzer 	 ISO/IEC 14443 NFC FeliCa ISO 15693 EMVCo
	ProxiSPY	Contactless Spy	 Protocol analysis of communication between contactless cards, readers and mobile handsets 	 ISO/IEC 14443 NFC FeliCa ISO 15693
	ContactLAB	Contact Spy/Tester	 Test contact chip cards at electrical, protocol and application level Electrical characterization of the device Reader signal emulator Chip card signal emulator Spy capability 	• ISO/IEC 7816
	NomadLAB	Portable Contact/ Contactless Spy/ Emulation	 Spy and protocol analyzer for easy capture and analysis of communication between contactless cards, readers and mobile phones 	 ISO/IEC 14443 NFC FeliCa ISO 7816
	SCRIPTIS™	Test Conformance Software	 Execute tests, view and report results Investigate test results Write or modify test scripts 	 ISO/IEC 10373-6 ISO 14443 FeliCa NFC
	ROB5X	Laboratory Test Automation	 Can define multiple trajectories and orientations of the device under test in a way that is both precise and reproducible 5-axis system 	 Turnkey 5-axis Test Bench Automation System ISO/IEC 10373-6 NFC Forum

Physical Card Testing Products

Product		Category	Applications	Standards
	Module Adhesion, Embossed Character and Peel Tester	Card Body Testing and Chip Testing	 Peel strength Module adhesion Back of card spot pressure Embossed character retention 	 ISO/IEC 7810 ISO/IEC 10373-1 ANSI/INCITS MASTERCARD CQM
	Bending Stiffness Fixture	Card Body Testing	 Evaluates card deformity under load 	 ISO/IEC 7810 ISO/IEC 10373-1 MASTERCARD CQM
	Card Wrapping Fixture	Chip Testing	 Performs gluing resistance testing of chip at a 20mm and 25mm radius 	 MASTERCARD CQM
	Resistance to Heat Test Fixture	Card Body Testing	 Tests card body stability under heat 	 ISO/IEC 7810 ISO/IEC 10373-1 MASTERCARD CQM
	Dynamic Bend and Torsion Tester	Card Body Testing	 Dynamic Bend and Torsion Testing 	 ISO/IEC 7810 ISO/IEC 10373-1 ANSI/INCITS MASTERCARD CQM
	Card Opacity Tester	Card Body Testing	 Measures card opacity 	 ISO/IEC 7810 ISO/IEC 10373-1
	Corner Impact Card Tester	Card Body Testing	 Tests corner impact and card bending resistance for ISO plastic cards 	 ANSI/INCITS MASTERCARD CQM

Physical Card Testing Products

Product		Category	Applications	Standards
	3-Wheel Chip Card Tester	Chip Testing	 Tests mechanical resistance of ID-1 cards 	 ISO/IEC 7816 ISO/IEC 10373-1 MASTERCARD CQM
	Card Dimension Gauge	Card Body Testing	 Card dimensioning 	 ISO/IEC 7816 ISO/IEC 10373-1 MASTERCARD CQM
	Overall Card Warpage Test Fixture	Card Body Testing	 Card warpage 	 ISO/IEC 7816 ISO/IEC 10373-1 MASTERCARD CQM
	Resistance to Impact Fixture	Card Body Testing	 Resistance to impact tests 	 ANSI INCITS 322 ISO/IEC 7811-1 MASTERCARD CQM
	Relative Height/ Surface Profile of Contacts Tester	Card Body Testing	 Determine difference in thickness between ICC contacts and adjacent surfaces 	 ISO/IEC 7816-1 ISO/IEC 10373-1 MASTERCARD CQM
	Climatic Immunity Test Fixture	Card Durability	 Card durability testing 	 ISO/IEC 7816 ISO/IEC 10373-1 ANSI/INCITS
	Sandpaper and Soft Eraser Rub Durability Fixture	Card Durability	 Determines resistance of various card printing methods to abrasion caused by rough surfaces 	 MASTERCARD CQM
	Durability of Surface Printing/ Tipping Fixture	Card Durability	 Designed to be a secure hold down of the card under test 	 MASTERCARD CQM
	Router Tool for CQM Back of Card Spot Test	Card Durability	 Designed to prepare a card for the back of card spot pressure test 	MASTERCARD CQM

Magnetic Stripe Testing Products

Product		Category	Typical Market	Analysis	Tracks	Media	Standards
	Mag3x Read-Write MagStripe Analyzer	Magnetic Stripe Testing	 Labs & QA Card Manufacturers Personalizers 	Encoded or Pre-encoded Cards, Tickets, Tape, Raw Media	Tracks 1, 2, 3 and Custom Track Locations	ID1, Raw Tape ATB, Bank Books, Tickets	 ISO/IEC 7811-2 ISO/IEC 7811-6 ISO/IEC 10373 AAMVADL
	Mag3x Read-Only MagStripe Analyzer	Magnetic Stripe Testing	Card Manufacturers Personalizers	Encoded Cards, or Encoded Tickets	Tracks 1, 2, 3 and Custom Track Locations	ID1, Raw Tape ATB, Bank Books, Tickets	 ISO/IEC 7811-2 ISO/IEC 7811-6 ISO/IEC 10373 AAMVADL
	Mag3xp Read-Only MagStripe Analyzer	Magnetic Stripe Testing	 Print Manufacturers Card Manufacturers Personalizers 	Encoded Cards, or Encoded Tickets	All 3 ISO Tracks	ID1, Raw Tape ATB, Bank Books, Tickets	 ISO/IEC 7811-2 ISO/IEC 7811-6 ISO/IEC 10373 AAMVADL
	Mag3x Mini Read-Only MagStripe Analyzer	Magnetic Stripe Testing	 Card Manufacturers Personalizers 	Encoded Cards	All 3 ISO Tracks	ID1 Cards & Tickets	 ISO/IEC 7811-2 ISO/IEC 7811-6 ISO/IEC 10373 AAMVADL



Card Testing Accessories

Product		Category	Applications	Standards
	Magnetic Stripe Test Cards	Magnetic Stripe Testing	 Jitter Amplitude Density Track Location	 ISO/IEC 7811-2 ISO/IEC 7811-6
	Magnetic Calibration Cards	Magnetic Stripe Testing	 Calibrating signal amplitude and the encode current of magnetic stripe test equipment 	ISO/IEC 7811-2ISO/IEC 7811-6
	Magnetic Developers	Magnetic Stripe Testing	 Checking head alignment Checking tracks Revealing damage Performing quality inspections 	• ISO/IEC 7811-2



Card Feature Verification Gauges

Product		Category	Applications	Standards
8	Magnetic Track Location Gauge	Magnetic Stripe Testing	 Visual Inspection of Magnetic Stripe Track Location 	• ISO/IEC 7811-2/6/7
	Embossed Character Location Gauge	Embossed Testing	 Visual Inspection of Embossed Characters 	 ISO/IEC 7811-1 MASTERCARD CQM
10 TO	Mastercard Logo Position Gauge	Mastercard Brand Testing	 Visual Inspection of Mastercard Logo 	MASTERCARD BRAND SPECIFICATIONS
N BE WELL	Chip Minimum Contact Area Gauge	Chip Testing	 Visual Inspection of Chip Contact Area 	 ISO/IEC 7816-2 MASTERCARD CQM
North Contraction of the second secon	2 & 3 Track Magstripe Location Gauge	Magnetic Stripe Testing	 Visual Inspection of Magnetic Stripe Location 	• ISO/IEC 7811-6 • MASTERCARD CQM

Q-Card can supply custom gauges for many applications.

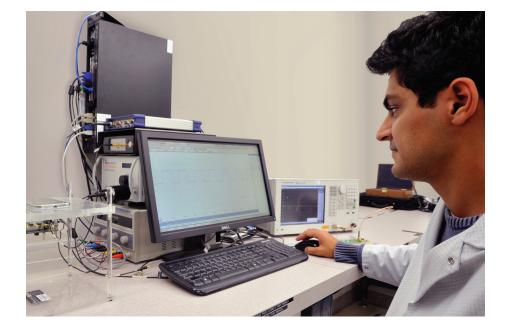
Call us for a quote on custom gauges at 800-717-8007

QUALITY ASSURANCE STARTS WITH Q-CARD

Q-Card is one of the most trusted names in the card transaction market.

Whether you're looking to purchase test equipment for your own facility or want a third-party testing provider you can trust, Q-Card is the authority to rely on.

Our experts are ready to help you solve existing quality issues, improve transaction systems and develop new payment technologies.





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