About GS1 Canada

GS1 is a neutral, not-for-profit association that develops and maintains global standards for efficient business communication. GS1 Canada enables our more than 20,000 subscribers—organizations of all sizes across Canada—to enhance their efficiency and cost effectiveness by adopting electronic supply chain best practices.

We are a member of GS1, the world's leading supply chain standards organization, working in 112 countries.

Representing Canadian Industry

As a not-for-profit association that exists to serve the industries we work with; we represent Canadian industry. Through our unique community management approach, we engage business leaders, sector boards, advisory councils, industry work groups and our subscriber organizations.

GS1 Canada is governed by industry with five Industry Sector Boards representing: Grocery; Foodservice; General Merchandise, Hardlines and Apparel; Pharmacy; and Healthcare

We collaborate with industry through 11 active workgroups comprised of manufacturers, distributors, transporters, retailers, healthcare providers, foodservice operators, technology solution providers and trade associations of all sizes.

GS1 Canada brings together representatives from all points along the value chain to identify common business process issues, determine global standards and develop industry solutions that meet the needs of subscribers of all sizes.

About GS1 and GS1 Standards

GS1 believes in the power of standards to transform the way we work and live.

GS1 is a global, neutral, non-profit underline standards organisation that brings efficiency and transparency to the supply chain. Our barcode and technology tools create a common foundation, enabling organizations globally to identify, capture and share vital information about products, locations and assets.

Designed by consensus, our standards are proven for adoption by industry and governments. Supply chain standards save time and money by reducing administration, manual work, paperwork and creating efficiencies by automation. Organizations globally embrace the value of GS1 global

supply chain standards as a critical foundation for operational efficiency, system traceability and interoperability, and most importantly, increased consumer safety. Largely unseen, yet tremendously important, GS1 standards ensure key processes run smoothly in some of the world's biggest industries.

Designed by consensus, our standards are proven, open and benefit from collaboration with respected local and global companies, as well as supply chain, risk and standards experts. GS1 tools help organizations exchange critical data—from raw material supply all the way to the consumer—creating a common language that underpins systems and processes all over the world.

About GGS1 Canada Industry Managed Services

Directed by industry, GS1 Canada solves non-competitive business process issues through the delivery of ECCnet Industry Managed Solutions. Designed for optimal efficiency through a one-to-many data sharing process; our non-proprietary global standards-based solutions are developed to meet the evolving needs of businesses of all sizes.

Whether looking to launch new products, access accurate and complete product content, or increase safety and operational efficiencies, our solutions contain flexible tools, services and premium features to meet industry demand for increased visibility and data quality.

As a neutral, not-for-profit association, our ECCnet Industry Managed Solutions are developed and deployed on a cost-recovery basis, enabling subscribers to meet Canadian trading requirements at the lowest possible cost to industry.