UNIQUE ID LABELLING



All products delivered to Next must carry a Unique Identification Number to allow for the effective implementation of stock control procedures.

U-POS

All POS barcodes generated by Next nominated suppliers have a unique number for individual products. Only one main POS reference will be loaded, which will generate the POS required for an item.

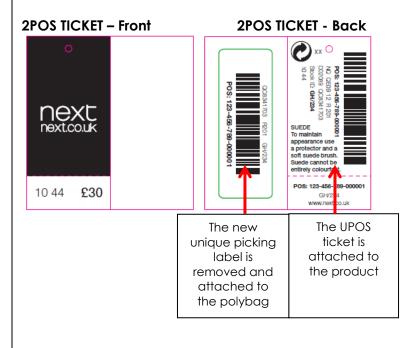
It is imperative that POS tickets, stickers and labels are only sourced from Next nominated suppliers. The copying of Next POS is strictly prohibited, as this destroys the integrity of the unique numbering system.

Click here for Next nominated POS Suppliers.

UPOS SWING TICKETS ~ There is no change to POS Swing Ticket references or positions on the product. The product must be packed so that the barcode is clearly visible through the polybag.

UPOS STICKERS ~ Standard UPOS stickers are used where the barcode can be positioned so that it is visible on or through the packaging.

2POS STICKER or TICKET with Picking Label ~A picking label is only needed where the main POS is not visible through the polythene bag or box. New POS stationary types have been developed to eliminate the separate yellow picking stickers raised for an individual item. The new 2POS generate all POS tickets and stickers required for an item on one stationary. The 2POS and picking label have the same unique barcode number, so it is imperative that they are applied to the product and its respective packaging at the same stage in the packing process.







The whole 2POS Sticker is attached to the packaging of the item



The UPOS is then removed and attached to the item as the packer puts it in the polybag

2POS APPLICATION & PACKING GUIDELINES

The 2POS ticket and sticker combination supplied for an individual item all have the same unique barcode number. It is imperative that they are applied to the product and its respective packaging at the same stage in the packing process to ensure that the numbers are the same.

Please see below application and packing guidelines:

Standard UPOS ticket or sticker – The UPOS ticket or sticker is applied to the product as normal and must be positioned so that the barcode is visible on or through the packaging

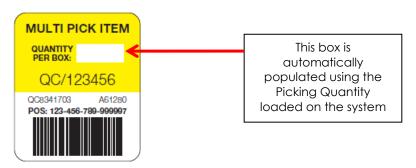
2POS sticker with picking label – The whole 2POS Sticker is applied to the packaging and then the product UPOS sticker is peeled off and applied to the product as it is put into the packaging. See Appendix A for 2POS sticker application guidelines

2POS ticket with picking label – The whole 2POS ticket is applied to the product, and then the picking label is peeled off and applied to the packaging as the product is put in. The remaining perforated blank backing card should be removed and disposed off.

See Appendix B for 2POS ticket application guidelines

MULTI-PICK ITEMS – RETAIL ONLY

A new multi-pick sticker has been developed for the outer carton of items despatched to retail stores in multiple quantities. A standard UPOS should be applied to the product, and the new multi pick sticker is attached to the CDU or outer packaging to provide the barcode for warehouse scanning. The system will automatically generate enough multi-pick labels for the contract quantity.



U-LABEL – Women's Swimwear Only

Women' Swimwear (DJ) must also include a sewn-in U-Label which contains a unique barcode number. The U-Label is only required on selected product groups and will be stated on the booking confirmation and P&P sheet.



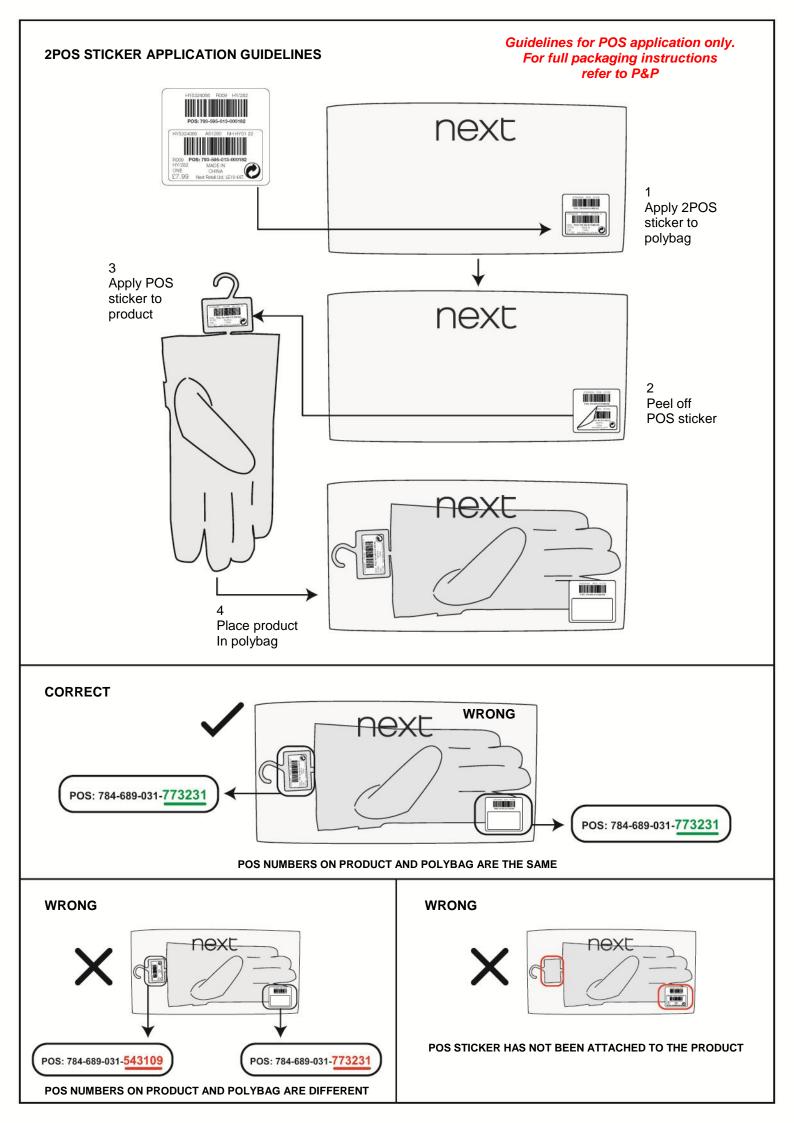
The U-Label must be sourced from a Next nominated U-Label supplier.
U-Labels cannot be copied or re-printed by suppliers as this will destroy the integrity of the unique numbering system.

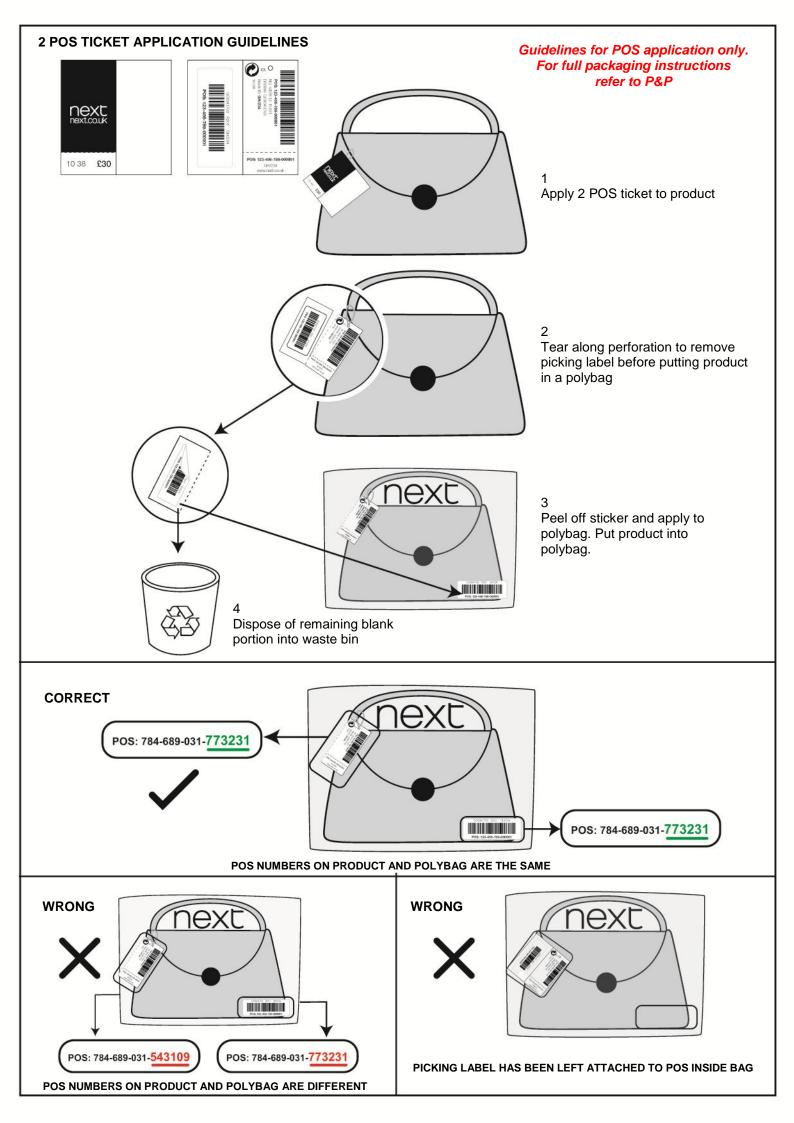
<u>Click here</u> for Next nominated U-Label suppliers.

The U-Label must be positioned under the care label and date pip, with the barcode facing outwards so that when the labels are lifted up the barcode is easily visible

INFORMATION

If you have any queries or require further information, please refer to the Next Product Teams.



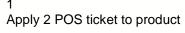


2 POS TICKET APPLICATION GUIDELINES

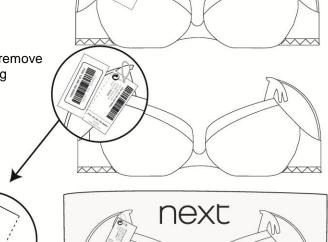




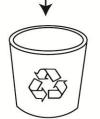
Guidelines for POS application only. For full packaging instructions refer to P&P



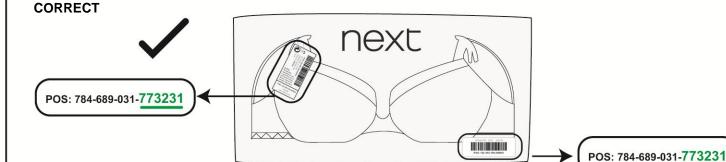
2 Tear along perforation to remove picking label before putting product in a polybag



Peel off sticker and apply to polybag. Put product into polybag.

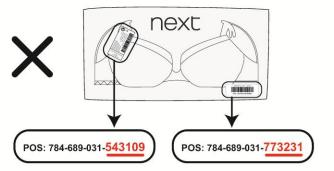


4 Dispose of remaining blank portion into waste bin



POS NUMBERS ON PRODUCT AND POLYBAG ARE THE SAME

WRONG



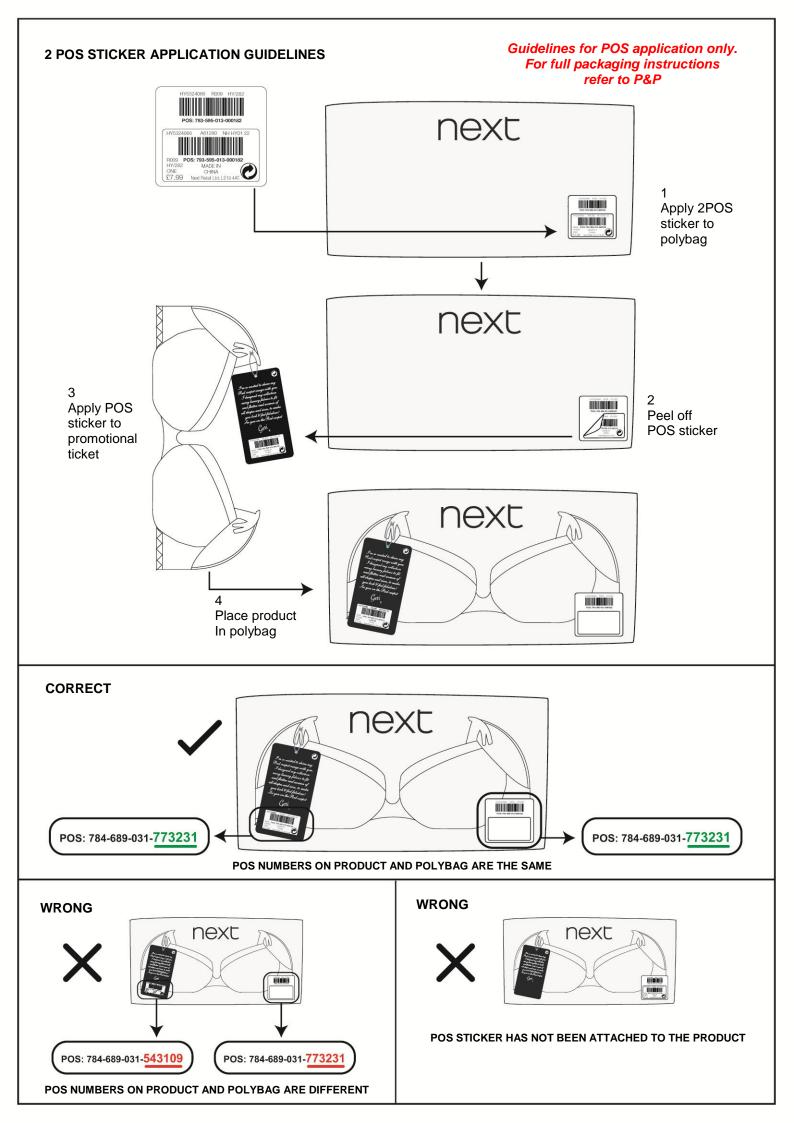
POS NUMBERS ON PRODUCT AND POLYBAG ARE DIFFERENT

WRONG



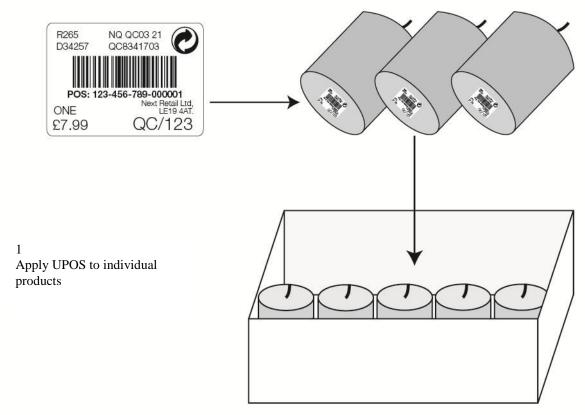


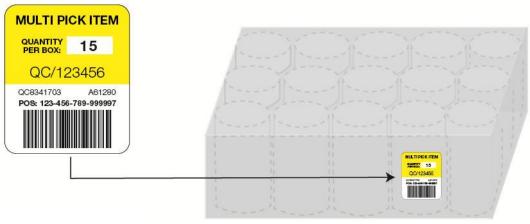
TICKET HAS NOT BEEN PERFORATED. PICKING LABEL HAS BEEN LEFT ATTACHED TO POS INSIDE BAG



RETAIL MULTI PICK PRODUCT POS APPLICATION GUIDELINES

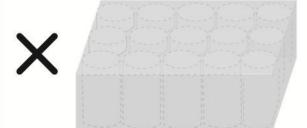
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2 Apply MPIK to outer carton or CDU

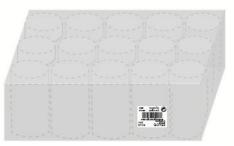




MPIK has not been attached to outer carton







UPOS has been attached to outer carton instead of product