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16-141	Accurate and useful measurements for all EAN/UPC symbols at their nominal size.	7 Nov 2016

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Background:

In section 5.2.3.6 Symbol formats at nominal dimensions, the diagrams intended to provide useful dimensions of all the EAN/UPC barcodes are lacking many of the important measurements, so they are almost useless.

GS1 General Specification Change:

The recommended changes are highlighted in the attached excerpt from the GS1 General Specifications, v16.

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5.2.3.65.2.4.6 Symbol dimensions formats at nominal sizedimensions (X-dimension = 0.33 mm, not to scale)

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All measurements in the following figures are in millimetres.

Figure 5.2.4.6-1. EAN-13 barcode

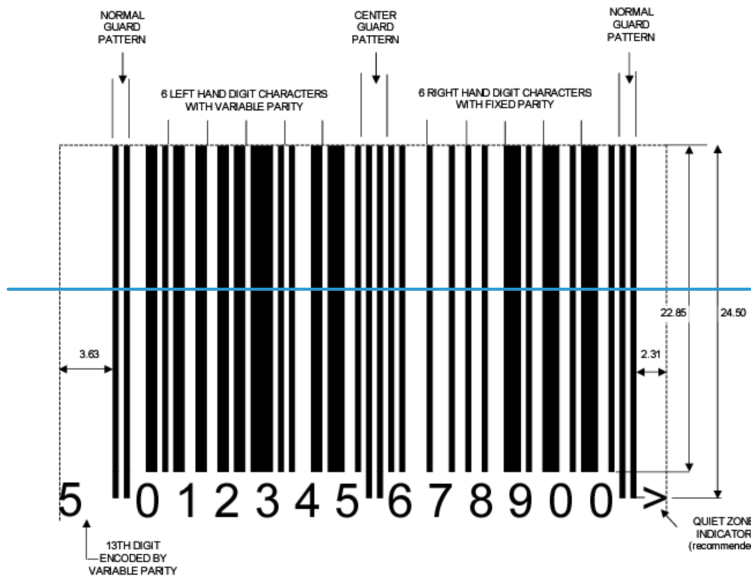
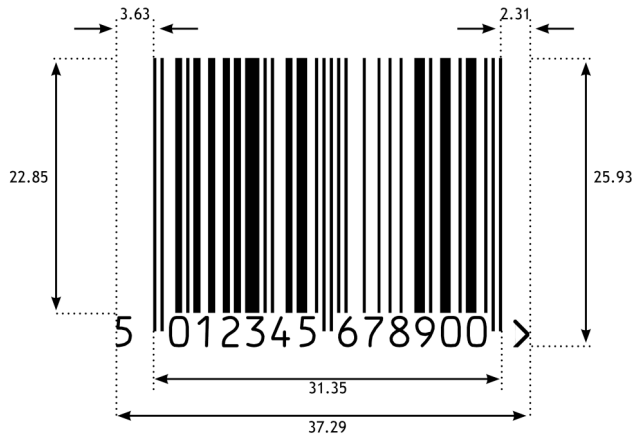


Figure 5.2.4.6-2. UPC-A barcode

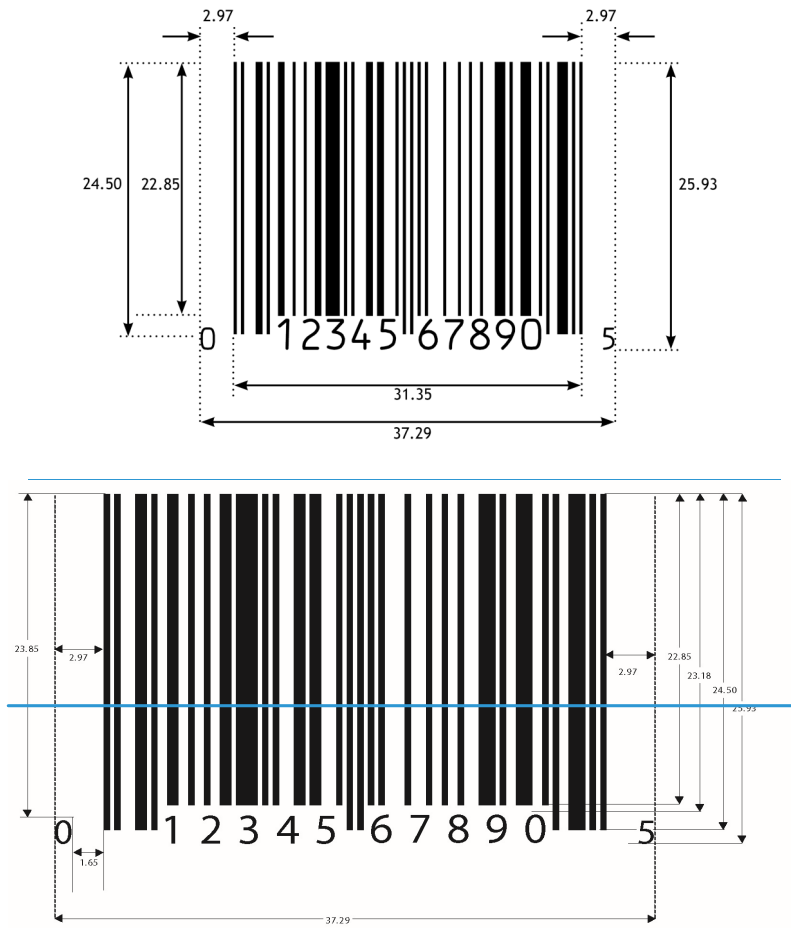


Figure 5.2.4.6-3. UPC-A barcode



Figure 5.2.4.6-34. EAN-8 barcode

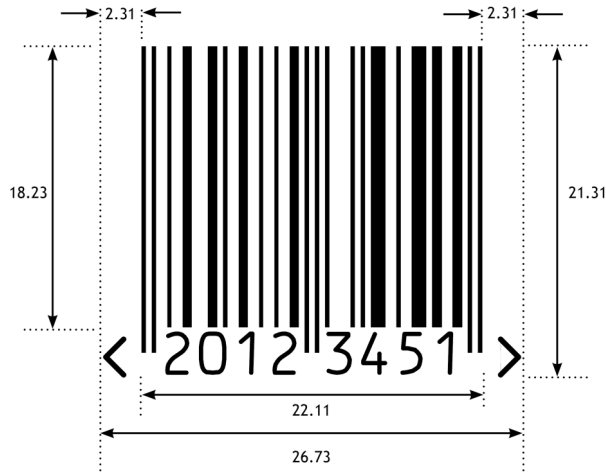


Figure 5.2.4.6-45. UPC-E barcode

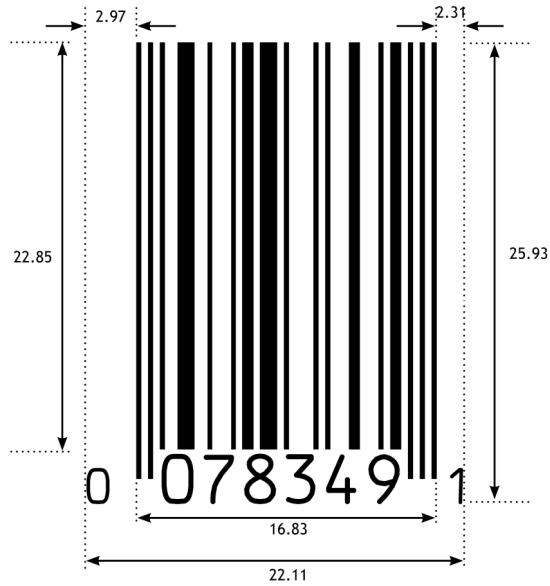


Figure 5.2.4.6-56. UPC-A barcode with five-digit add-on symbol



Figure 5.2.4.6-67. EAN-13 barcode with five-digit add-on symbol

