







PERFORMANCE COMPARISON BETWEEN MICRO ELECTRO MECHANICAL SYSTEMS (MEMS) TRACKING TAGS AND OTHER LABELING STRATEGIES FOR CRYOTUBES

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Introduction

- The Pulmonary Biobank Consortium is a hospital-based, thematic biobank
- Low sample income rate

LABELING METHOD		Suitable for low sample rate	Unambiguous reading	Functional reading T	Resistance Sterilization (134º C)	Aditional equipment needed
Barcoded printed	0221018190125351	✓	1	∞	NA	*
Handwritten	S2018_06 PBP Caso 101 Surro_01	✓	X	∞	NA	*
Human readable	S2018_06 PBP Caso 101 Suero_01	✓	X	∞	NA	*
2D pre-printed system		X	✓	<-80º€	✓	***
RFID tags		✓	✓	-50ºC	NA	**
MEMS tags	•	✓	✓	-196ºC	✓	**









COMPARISON OF LABELLING STRATEGIES: DESIGN

- **Time consuming** studied (seconds / cryotube [s]):
 - Registering and storing samples
 - Reading frozen cryotubes

Sample size = 20 cryotubes x 3 replicates



Barcoded printed labels



 $t = 70 \pm 1.76s$

 $t = 5.0 \pm 0.06s$

Handwritten markings

S2018_06 PBP Caso 101 Suero_01

∇t = 3s

 $\nabla t = 0s$

Human readable printed labels

S2018_06 PBP Caso 101 Suero 01

∇t = **7** s

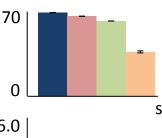
 $\nabla t = 0.5s$

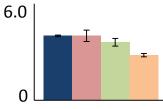
MEMS tracking tags



∇t = 33s

 $\nabla t = 1,5s$





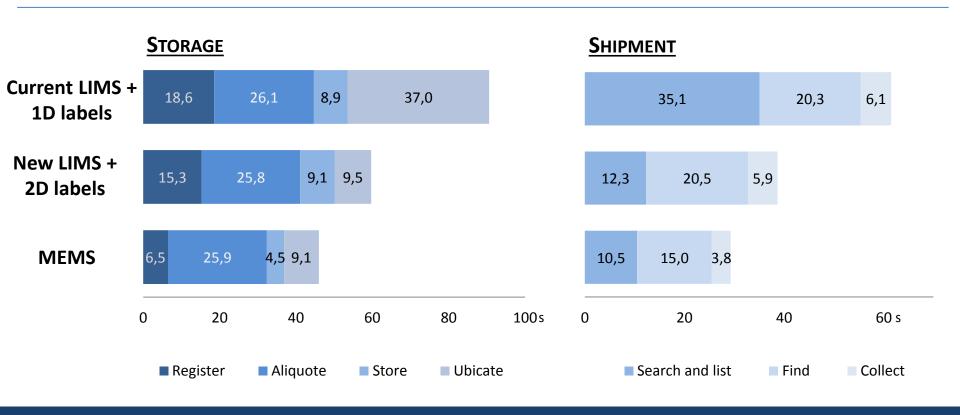








STORAGE & SHIPMENT SIMULATIONS











Thank you for your attention

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