



Bridging the Digital & Physical Worlds

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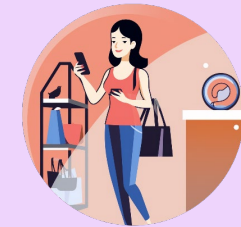
Aware Technologies

Accountable Data Across the Supply Chain



Unique Item & Case Identifiers

Tags Applied & Associated During Manufacturing



Consumer Engagement & Authenticity

Everything from Gray Market Trading to Secure Ownership Management



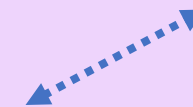
Distribution Centers

Edge Computing Platform for Automatic Inventory



Last Mile Inventory

Retail Solutions for Stock Level Sharing & Fulfillment





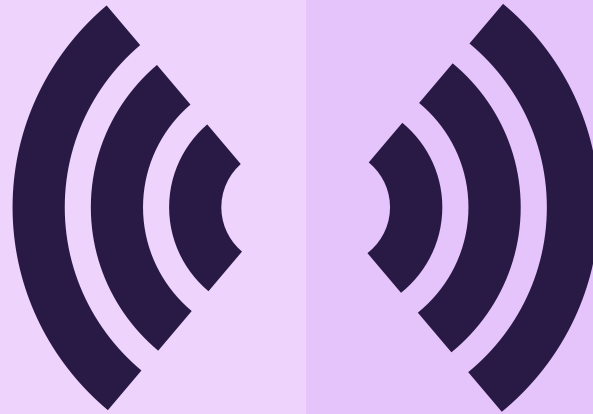
"The core of Gen Z is the idea of manifesting individual identity. Consumption therefore becomes a means of self-expression.."

McKinsey & Company





No Special App Required
Cryptographically Secure Tamper &
Copy-Proof Cloud Administration
& Tracking

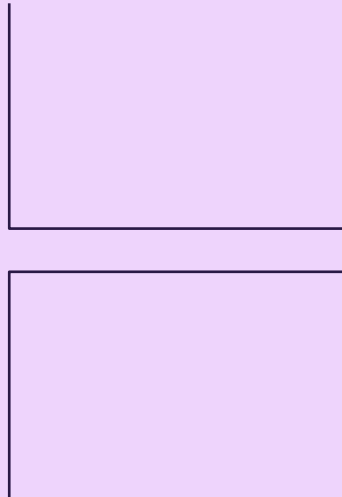


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Direct Line to Customers

Customers favourite and
subscribe to brands



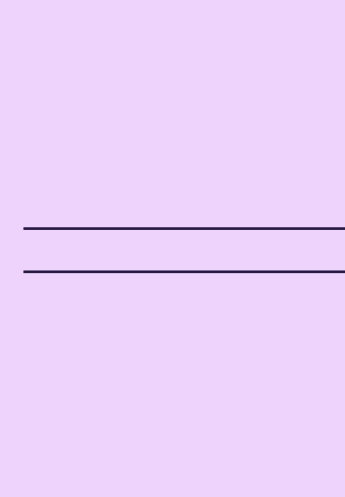
Gamify Interactions

Frequent buyer programmes
Convert on-prem /
off-prem behaviours



Customer Profiles

Customer cohorts
based on other scans



Next-Gen Possibilities

Limited release tracking
Track how many have been opened
Open API for an App marketplace

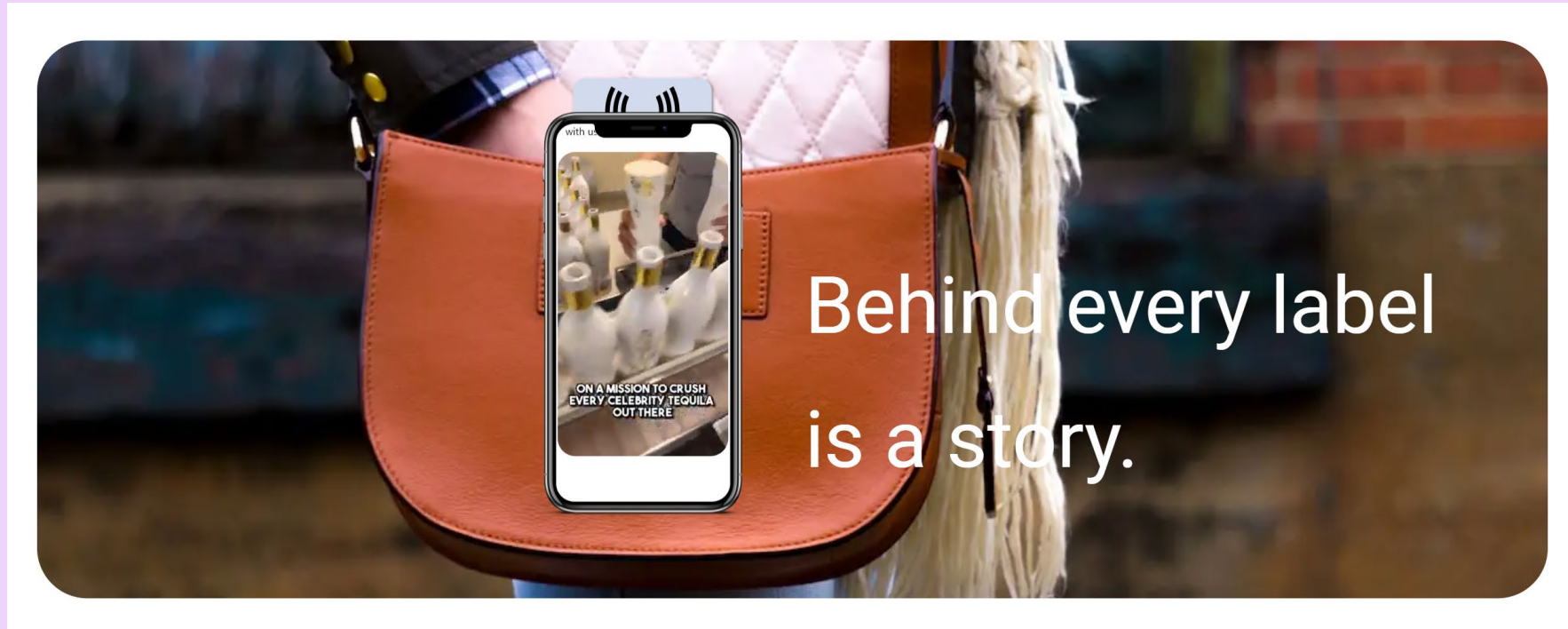
Directed Marketing Opportunities

Tag Sales

\$0.25/tag

Data SaaS

\$25/1k tags annualized



Small Bottler

\$55,000/yr

Medium Bottler

\$550,000/yr

Cognacent

Edge Computing Platform With Endless Applications



Manufacturing
Production Tracking



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Current Deployment Examples

BSWANKY
Luxury Bespoke
Women's Handbags

Salon 124
Hair Extensions

BarMinder
Automatic Liquor Inventory
for Bars & Restaurants

Cognacent Case Study: BarMinder™

- Patented Wireless Spouts
- Next-Gen UX and Reliability
- Full Bottle Tracking in Storage Area
- State-of-the-Art Edge Computing
- Real-Time Reporting & Analytics

Bars & Restaurants Lose \$11B+ per Year in Liquor

- Shrinkage, Overpours, Free Drinks
- \$50k/Year/Location
- Most take inventory monthly with pen and paper
- Manual Inventory trails the loss

 BarMinderTM

Sources
Locations: State Liquor License Databases
Inventory Loss & Labor: Sculpture Hospitality

BarMinder – User Experience

- **Item Check-In**

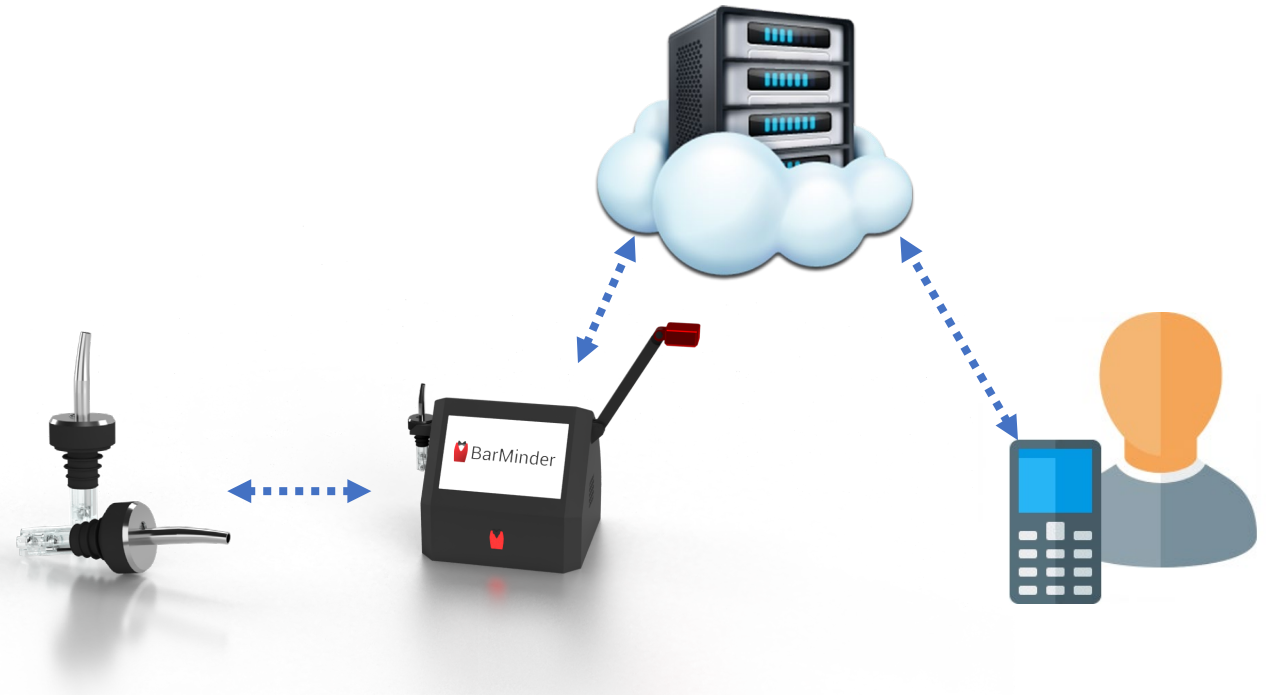
- proof-it™ tagged items are fully automatic
- For non-tagged:
 - Scan Bottle's Barcode
 - Apply Tag to Bottle
 - Place on Shelf

- **Automatic Tracking to the Trash**

- Real-Time Counts In Storage
- Spouts Self-Assign (No Labeling)
- All Pours Measured to 0.1mL
- Spout Removal Detection & Alerts

Business Model

- \$2,500 Installation
- \$399 Monthly SaaS



BarMinder – 3 Pilot Locations

+30% Liquor Profit

Pilot Site	Extra Revenue (Time Period)
High Volume	\$120,121.83 (6 Weeks)
Lounge	\$5,782.26 (8 Weeks)
College Bar	\$6,739.42 (12 Weeks)

Average Pilot KPIs

Liquor Items / Ticket: **+32.5%**

Liquor Revenue / Ticket: **+38.7%**

COGS as % of Revenue: **-12.7%**

BarMinder ROI Multiple:

9x - 34x

The Team



Vince Anido
Co-Founder - CEO

Engineering, Software, R&D

- Serial Entrepreneur
- Lifelong computer hobbyist
- Successful career in entertainment industry



Justin Park
Co-Founder - COO

Operations, Sales, Legal

- Corporate Attorney & Former Professional Triathlete
- Practice focus on M&A, governance and PE Investments
- Experience with startup through growth stage companies



Kathryn Browning - CTO

- Full Stack Expertise
- Launched RFID Inventory System for hospitals



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