

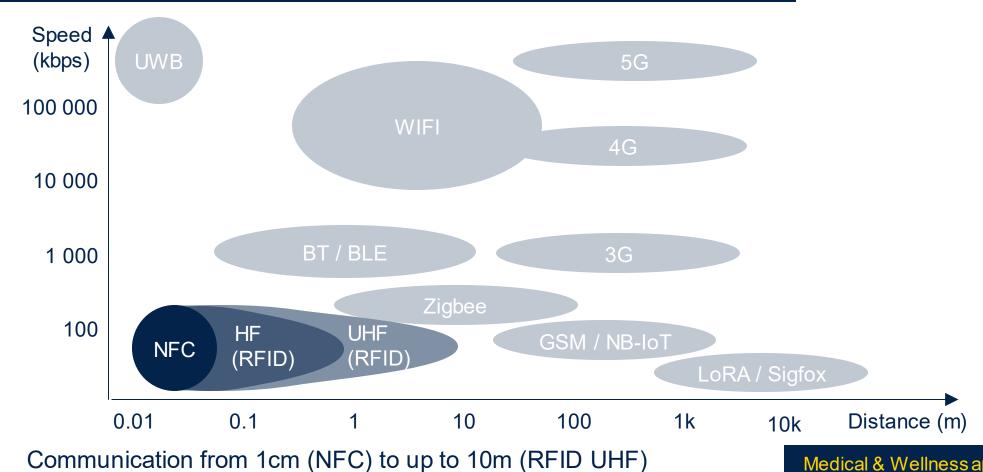
# ST25 NFC / RFID solutions for medical & wellness applications





### NFC, RFID HF & UHF technologies

#### **Complementary solutions to Wireless Technologies**







### NFC technology

### Near Field Communication

### NFC))

- Short range contactless communication
- Technology operating at 13.56MHz frequency
- Based on RFID HF ISO14443 & ISO15693 standards

### Interactive and zero power



- NFC tags powered by phone or RFID reader
- Enabling convenient connection to the Cloud for IoT
- NFC-enabled mobile phone can engage with items by a simple tap

### NFC is developed by NFC Forum



- Interoperability between devices with NFC
   Forum certified
   products
- Standardized use cases (URL web link, Bluetooth handover...)

## Fast growing employment in Mobile phone



- More than 70% of new phones come with NFC
- NFC is used for Mobile Payment with Android and iOS (ApplePay)
- Apple added in 2019 support of NFC reader / writer mode from iOS13 onward





### **UHF** technology

#### Ultra High Frequency



- Long read range wireless technology
- Operating between 840MHz and 960MHz
- Based on the GS1 EPC UHF Gen2 Air interface protocol

Read range and faster data transfer



 Enabling convenient connection to the IoT UHF is developed by RAIN alliance



 "To enable businesses and consumers to identify, locate, authenticate, and engage items in our everyday world" \*

\* Sentence from rainrfid.org

Large volume market



- Cheapest tag to manufacture
- Application of UHF technology covers many markets.
- More than 20 billion tags produced in 2020





### NFC main use cases & benefits

NFC

Configuration & Data logging NFC



- Product configuration and parameter settings through NFC
- Data log transferred, processed and plotted on NFC phone

Servicing & Maintenance



- Contactless access to maintenance records
- Update parameters even if device is powered off thanks to NFC phone
- Quick firmware upgrade via fast transfer mode

Enhanced user experience





- Wireless pairing
- Access to Web Page (URL) or get link for Android (AAR) or iOS application
- E-warranty card & customer registration
- Device control with mobile phone
- User identification & personalized settings



Interactive and zero power technology (Tag powered by Reader) Convenient product configuration and maintenance Simple and flexible





### UHF main use cases & benefits

UHF

#### Real-time patient tracking



- Log & monitor the progress of a person
- Locate people in real time
- Speed up bed turnover to admit more patients efficiently

#### Asset management



- Locate medical equipments
- Update parameters
- Speed up inventory management



Fast detection and long read range Possibility of identifying more than 200 tags without constraint of positioning Cheapest tag to manufacture

UHF





### NFC tag

#### Typical NFC Tag Block Diagram & Usage in Medical



#### ST25TV02K / ST25TA02KB



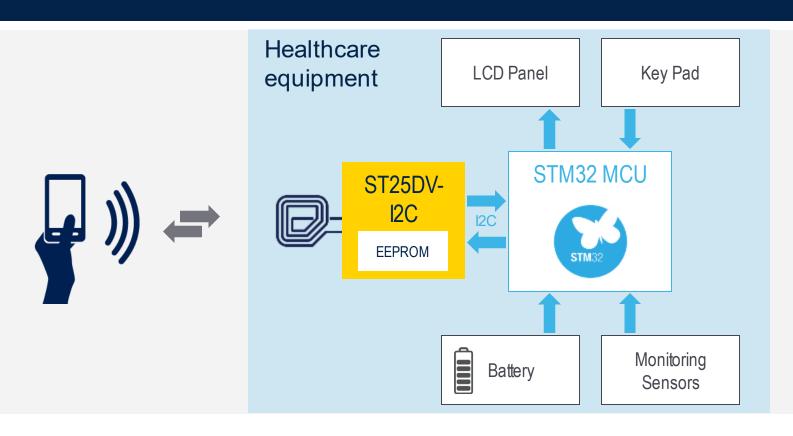






### Dynamic NFC tag

#### Typical Dynamic NFC Tag Block Diagram & Usage in Medical



#### ST25DV04K / 16K / 64K



Configuration & data logging Servicing & Maintenance Enhanced user experience

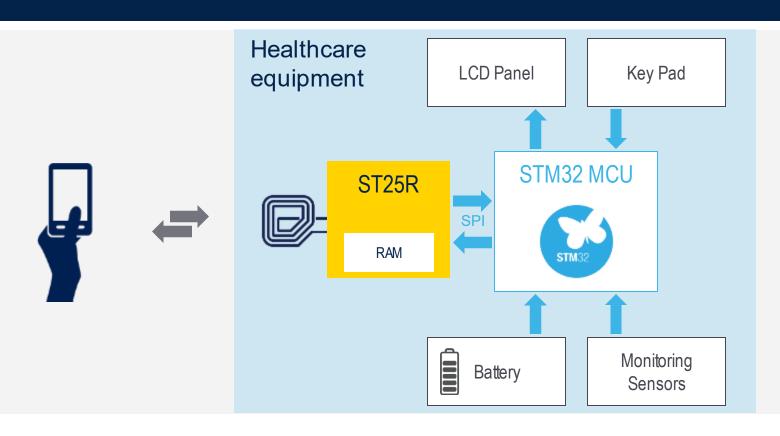






### HF / NFC reader

#### Typical NFC Reader Block Diagram & Usage for Medical



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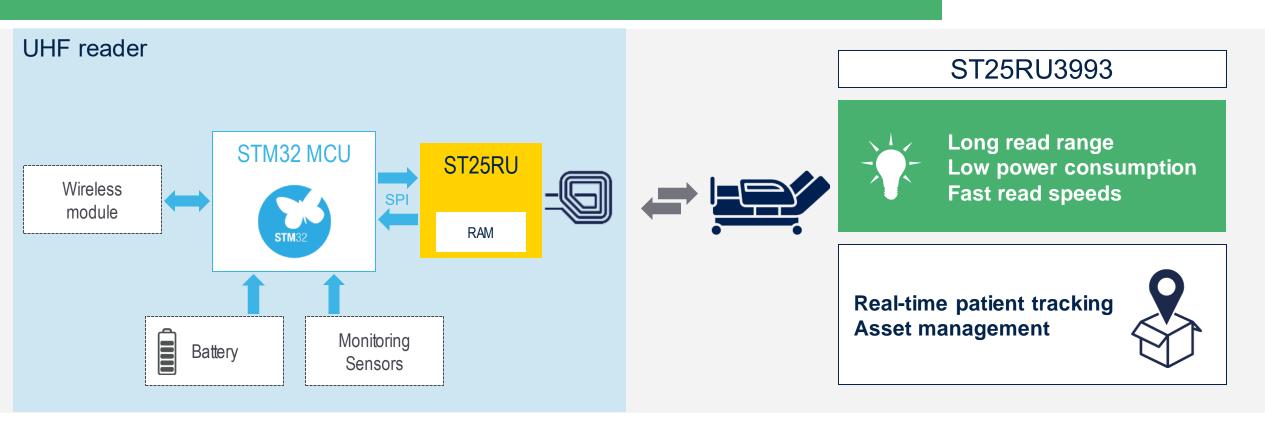






### **UHF** reader

#### Typical UHF Reader Block Diagram & Usage for Medical







### ST25 rich eco-system



- Discovery Kits based on STM32 MCU
- STM32 Nucleo boards ecosystem
- STM32Cube software ecosystem





- Antenna e-design tool
- Schematic, BOM, Gerber
- IBIS models





- PC software tool ST25
  SDK
- Mobile Apps ST25
  SDK (Android & iOS)





- Documentation
- Training
- Webinar
- MOOC





### ST25 hardware solutions

#### **Speed-up Evaluation, Prototyping and Design**









#### **NFC TAG KIT**

ST25-TAG-BAG-U

#### **DYNAMIC NFC TAG KITS**

- ST25DV-DISCOVERY
- X-NUCLEO-NFC04A1
- ANT7-T-ST25DV04K

#### HF / NFC READER KITS

- ST25R3911B-DISCO
- X-NUCLEO-NFC05A1

#### **UHF READER KIT**

ST25RU3993-EVAL







# Solutions for NFC / RFID tags & readers



**ST25 SIMPLY MORE CONNECTED**