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Introduction

Han Xin Code is a two-dimensional matrix symbology which is made up of an array of nominally square modules arranged in an overall square pattern, including a Finder Pattern located at four corners of the symbol that are intended to assist in easy locating of its position, size and inclination. Alignment Patterns and Assistant Alignment Patterns are also used in Versions 4 to 84 symbols. A wide range of size of symbols is provided together with four error correction levels. Module dimension is user-specified to produce symbols by a wide variety of techniques.

Manufacturers of bar code equipment and users of the technology require publicly available standard symbology specifications to which they can refer when developing equipment and application standards. This document is published to meet this request.

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