



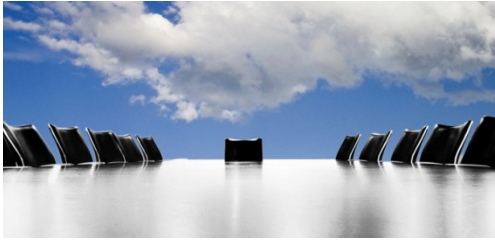
GRIFS Overview

Grifs Open meeting , Brussels, 18 June 2008

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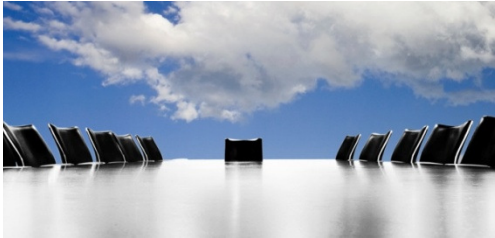


GRIFS Summary

- EU Framework Programme 7 funded support action
- Duration: January 2008 to December 2009 (2 years)
- Members: GS1 (Coordinator), ETSI, CEN
- Scope: RFID standards for physical items
- Objectives:
 - Document standards activities globally
 - Establish liaisons with on-going projects and Standard bodies
 - Establish a global forum for RFID Standards

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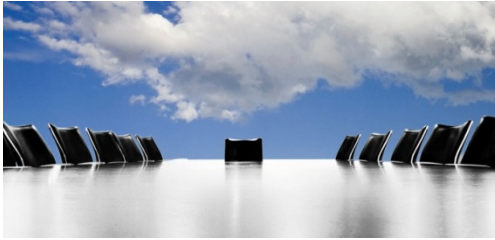


GRIFS Deliverables

- Global standards – Situation analysis
- Public workshop in Brussels, June 2008
- Liaisons with European projects and active role in CERP, the Cluster of European RFID Projects
- Workshops in Europe, Asia and US from July 2008 to February 2009
- Effective launch and operation of an MoU between key stakeholders as of May 2009

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Workshops & Forum events

- Workshops planned (tbc)
 - 18 June 2008, Brussels
 - 30 June 2008, Halifax (UK)
 - 26 September 2008, Tokyo
 - 20 November 2008, San Diego
 - 4 December 2008, Hong Kong
 - 19 February 2009, Brussels
- Forum events planned (tbc)
 - May 2009, Beijing
 - July 2009, Washington DC
 - September 2009, Seoul
 - November 2009, Brussels

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GRIFS Open Meeting

The first GRIFS Open meeting will be organised on 18 June 2008 in Brussels to present and discuss the situation analysis on RFID standardization. [Click here to know more about the event and how to participate.](#)

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The **Global RFID Interoperability Forum for Standards (GRIFS)** is a Support Action Project funded by the European Commission with the aim to improve collaboration and thereby to maximise the global interoperability of RFID standards.

The GRIFS is a two-year-project coordinated by **GS1**, **ETSI** and **CEN**. It started in January 2008.

The GRIFS project will initiate a forum that will continue to work constructively and grow after the end of the project through a **Memorandum of Understanding** between key global standard organisations active in RFID.

We invite RFID related standards organisations to [contact us](#) in order to participate in the GRIFS.

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