# IMPETUS

**Pilot Line for Paper-Based Quantitative Electrochemical Biosensing Test Cards** 



#### **PROJECT GOAL**

IMPETUS combines paper, printing, and microchip technologies to realise a pilot line in an industrial environment capable of manufacturing fully integrated paper based electrochemical biosensors that directly transfer the measured data to the user's smartphone.

These biosensors will be designed as self powered disposable test cards (credit card size) that combine the simplicity of lateral flow tests with quantitative readout, which is enabled by the implemented electrochemical detection method. As an application example, IMPETUS will fulfil the consumer need for fast and inexpensive point of care discrimination between bacterial and viral infections.

#### PAPER PRODUCTION



#### **ROLL-TO-ROLL PRINTING**







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#### **PRINTED BATTERIES**



#### **MICROCHIP INTEGRATION**



#### Test layout for RFID chip integration

### PILOT LINE

The IMPETUS pilot line will integrate:

→ Screen printing
→ Flexo printing
→ Bio-inkjet printing
→ Unhoused microchip mounting

in a seamless Roll-to-Roll process compatible with high throughput fabrication.



As a result, the pilot line will offer the possibility to be easily adapted for various sensing applications (e.g. medical diagnostics, food safety) accessible to interested third parties after the project end.





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