

# Cashmaster & smart safes... closing the gaps!





# Cashmaster count-by-weight technology

Cashmaster specialize in 'getting under the hood' of your existing cash-handling activities to better understand where the gaps are... and how to close them.

We offer a full 'discovery' process to examine how your existing cash-counting activities are performed and recorded - this allows us to tailor our products to exactly fit your business needs. All of our technology is designed to integrate seamlessly with a variety of cash-management systems.

When our portable cash-counting products are implemented, businesses benefit from fast, accurate and auditable cash counts. The time taken to perform typical activities associated with cash reconciliation can be dramatically shortened and these time savings alone provide for an exceptionally compelling return on investment.

*Delivers a  
count-rate 6x  
faster than  
manual  
counting*



# The smart-safe benefit

At Cashmaster, we recognize that there is no 'one size fits all' solution when it comes to managing your cash.

Increasingly, smart safes are proving to be an important addition to the myriad of cash-handling and security products available to retailers today.

The benefits from investing in smart-safe technology are well known and recognized, being centred around note validation at the point of sale and, of course, bank note security. Some smart safes even support 'provisional credit' - electronically communicating the daily total of bank notes held in your smart safes to your cash in transit (CIT) provider and crediting this value to your business bank account on the same day.

Put simply, smart safes can offer tangible cost-saving benefits to your business but, when your wider cash-handling activities are considered, are there further opportunities to save time and money?

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# Mind the gap!

But not everyone realises that different cash-handling technologies can be complementary. Many retailers have already invested in smart safes, for example, but haven't yet learned of the additional significant advantages when used in partnership with count-by-weight technology.

When we start to look more closely at the most common cash-handling activities within a retail business, it becomes clear that there are still many 'gaps' which smart safes cannot close.

<b>Common cash-handling process</b>	<b>Smart safe</b>	<b>Cashmaster</b>
Float preparation / shift start	<b>no</b>	<b>yes</b>
Cash skim (bank notes)	<b>yes</b>	<b>yes</b>
Shift end cash count	<b>no</b>	<b>yes</b>
Cash drawer audit	<b>no</b>	<b>yes</b>
End of day cash count	<b>no</b>	<b>yes</b>

Importantly, these process gaps exist exactly where and when cash is most susceptible to 'shrinkage', whether directly from theft or indirectly through manual accounting errors.

The most time-consuming processes such as the daily preparation, counting and emptying of your cash drawers simply cannot be improved by use of a smart safe alone. Employee fatigue, distractions and the necessary handling of coins and notes all increase the likelihood of errors, resulting in even more lost time.

Many businesses also require that cash is 'double-counted' - once by the cashiers and a confirmation count from a supervisor or manager. This additional step significantly adds to the overall cost of your cash-handling activities.

# The good news

The good news is that if you have already, or are considering, investing in smart safes, then you are part-way to a complete cash-management solution for your business.

To 'fill the gaps' highlighted in this article, a portable cash-counting device, such as those manufactured by Cashmaster, will eliminate the risks of manual cash-counting.

*Provides exceptional ROI and eliminates the risks of manual cash counting*



# Get the whole picture!

When a smart safe is used alongside a Cashmaster cash-counter, your business will enjoy the combined benefits of validated and secured bank note takings, faster cash-counts, auditable processes with no gaps and a marked reduction in reconciliation errors - all adding up to a potent solution.

Additionally, when Cashmaster products and smart safes are integrated into your financial reporting systems, you will have complete visibility of your business' cash – in real-time.

So, whether you are currently considering a smart safe purchase, or have already deployed smart safes throughout your organization, let Cashmaster help maximise their potential to 'close the gaps'!



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