# Material Handling Solutions



more sensors, more solutions



# The Material Handling Market Is Evolving, Fast

With the continuing shift to eCommerce and globalization, the demand for logistics, distribution, and fulfillment has never been greater. Manufacturers of material handling equipment must find innovative ways to move goods more reliably, accurately, and faster. Banner Engineering partners with companies to meet these challenges. As a leading automation manufacturer for material handling companies, we offer market and customer-specific products that increase productivity, enhance safety, and drive efficiency.

# Transition to a Smart, Connected Distribution Center

The days of basic sensors operating on isolated pieces of equipment are gone. Today, Banner smart sensors provide visibility for operations and maintenance teams, with immediate process improvements after quick set from detecting jams to creating just-in-time predictive maintenance. Gathering and sharing this actionable data is made easy with Banner industrial wireless technology. Previously unavailable data is collected and sent to the cloud where custom dashboards provide insight for continued optimization.

In addition to sensors, Banner offers greater efficiency at every point of the process with smart lighting and networked safety products, leading a vast catalog of automation solutions.

# **Getting Started**

Throughout these pages, you will be introduced to Banner products and applications, used in various segments of the material handling market. Contact us to speak directly with an industry expert who understands your business, objectives, and challenges. We'll answer your questions and help you find the right products and solutions.





# Loading Docks

# **Dock Status/Availability**

- Easy-to-see LED indication provides daylight visiblity
- Sealed housings resist outdoor elements like rain and snow
- Products: WLS27, SP350

### **Truck Detection**

- Robust, long-range radar technology senses in tough outdoor conditions
- Multiple output types simplify integration
  with systems
- Products: T30R



Pulse Pro output for direct integration with Banner lights. Direct process feedback which only requires power; no controller needed.



Reliable, long-range truck detection with the T30R Radar Sensor

#### **Trailer Illumination**

- Bright, uniform LED light provides illumination for operators
- Durable construction improves reliability in harsh environments
- Products: WLB72

#### Call for Support

- Reliable touch buttons allow operators to signal managers for help
- Wireless technology makes installation fast and easy
- Products: K70 Wireless, Direct Select

#### **Dock Door Position**

- Simple photoelectric sensor determines when door is open
- Powerful sensing technology withstands dust buildup and improves reliablility
- Products: QS30, QS18





Notify staff of issues at the dock with the battery-powered wireless DirectSelect operator interface



**Open and close dock doors** with the durable and bright K50 Touch Button

# Conveyors

### **Control and Indication**

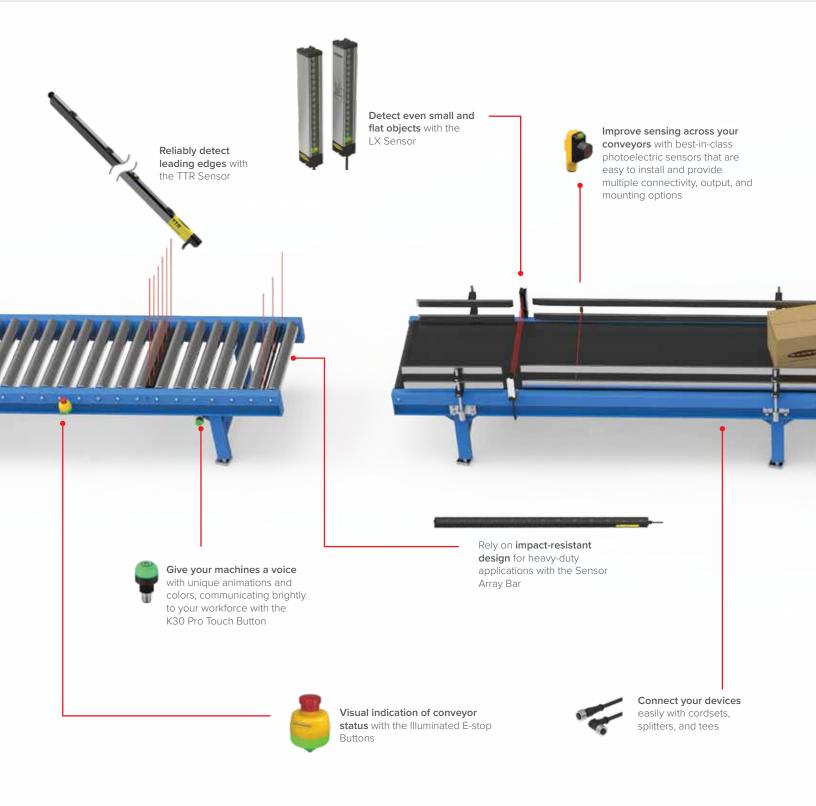
- Durable capacitive touch buttons withstand harsh conditions
- Bright LED indication notifies workers of machine status
- Products: K30, K50, S22, SSA-Series E-stop

#### Leading Edge Detection

- Multiple sensor designs to fit any conveyor
- Various technologies to detect everything from boxes to pallets
- Products: TTR, SAB, LX, QS18, Q20

#### **Machine Status Indication**

- Bright, uniform LED lights help machines communicate with operators
- Programmable models allow for more unique custom animations
- Products: TL30, TL50, TL70, WLS15, WLS27, WLS28

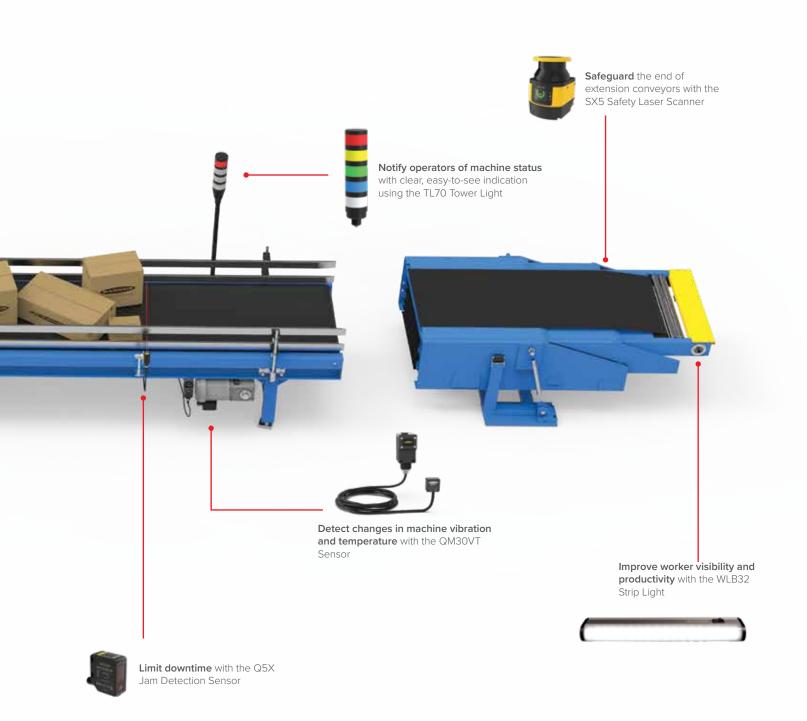


#### **Predictive Maintenance**

- Easy-to-install vibration and temperature sensors monitor equipment around the clock
- Reduce unplanned downtime by scheduling maintenance
- Products: QM30VT, Q45 All-in-One, DXM700, Solutions Kit

#### **Jam Detection**

- Detect conveyor jams faster and with greater accuracy
- Industry-standard M12 connector makes installation easy
- Products: Q5X Jam Detection Sensor



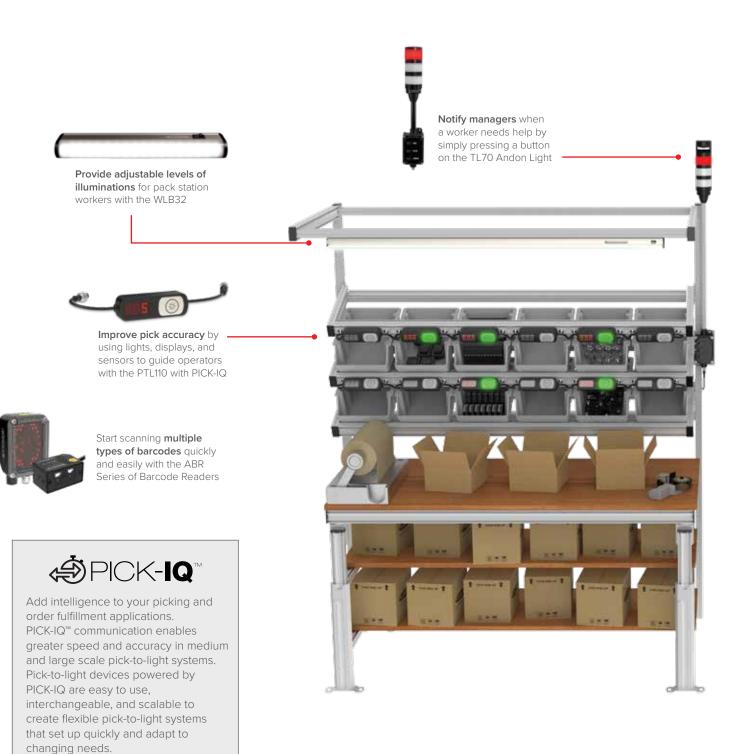
# **Work Stations**

### Andon Lights

- Bright LED lights notify managers from long distances away
- Complete plug-and-play solution simplifies installation
- Products: TL70 Andon Light

# **Overhead Lighting**

- Reliable LED lighting improves operator visibility
- Variety of lengths, colors, brackets, and power input options adapt to any workstation
- Products: WLB32, WLB72, WLS28, WLB92

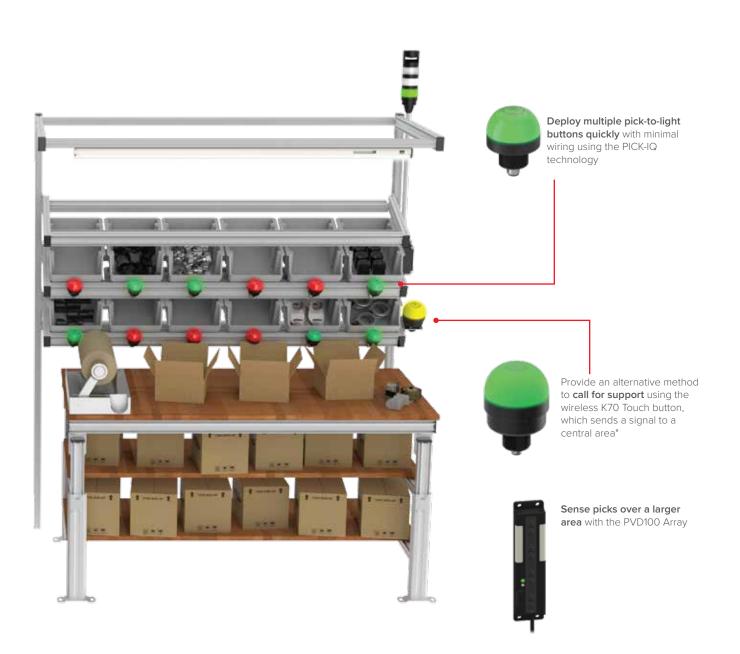


# Pick-to-Light/Put-to-Light

- Easy-to-see lights improve operator speed and accuracy
- Available with built-in sensors to reduce mispicks
- Products: PTL110, K30, K50

#### **Barcode Reading**

- Reliable detection of 1D and 2D barcodes improves productivity
- Variety of models provide flexibility based on detection range, barcode type, and communication interface
- Products: ABR3000, ABR7000, VE





# **Robots and AGVs**

### **Measurement Sensors**

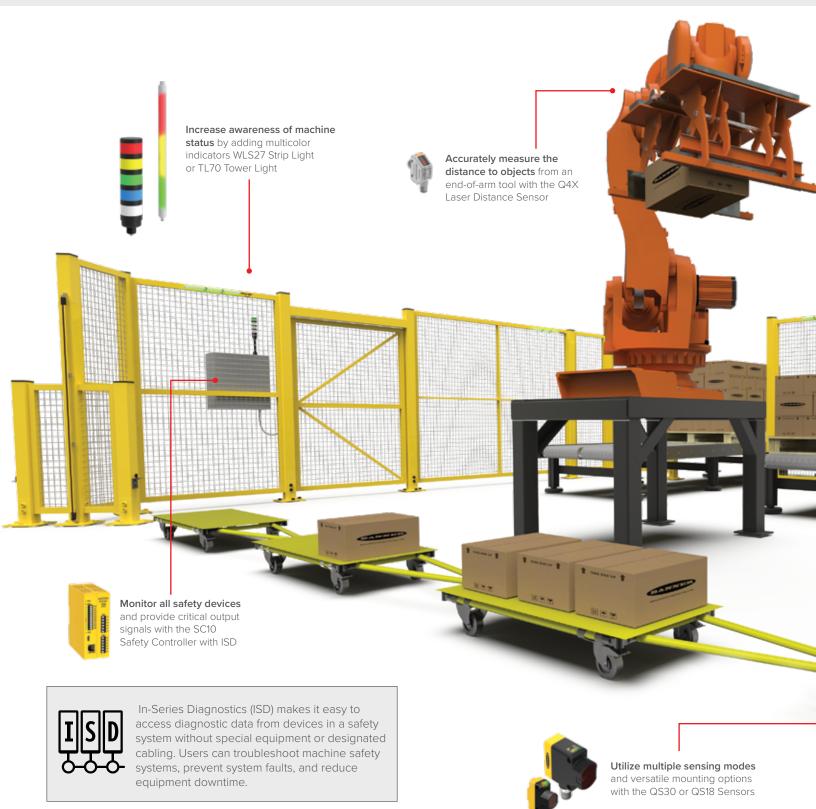
- Various range, output, and accuracy options fit any application
- Durable housings withstand tough
  environments
- Products: Q4X, Q5X, LM, LE, T30UX, T30R

### **Machine Status Indication**

- Bright LED lights improve machine-to-human communication
- Numerous form factors simplify machine design and installation
- Products: WLS27, WLS28, K90, TL30, TL50, TL70

# **Personnel Detection**

- Robust light curtains withstand impacts
- Various length, resolution, and mounting options simplify installation
- Products: LS, SLC4

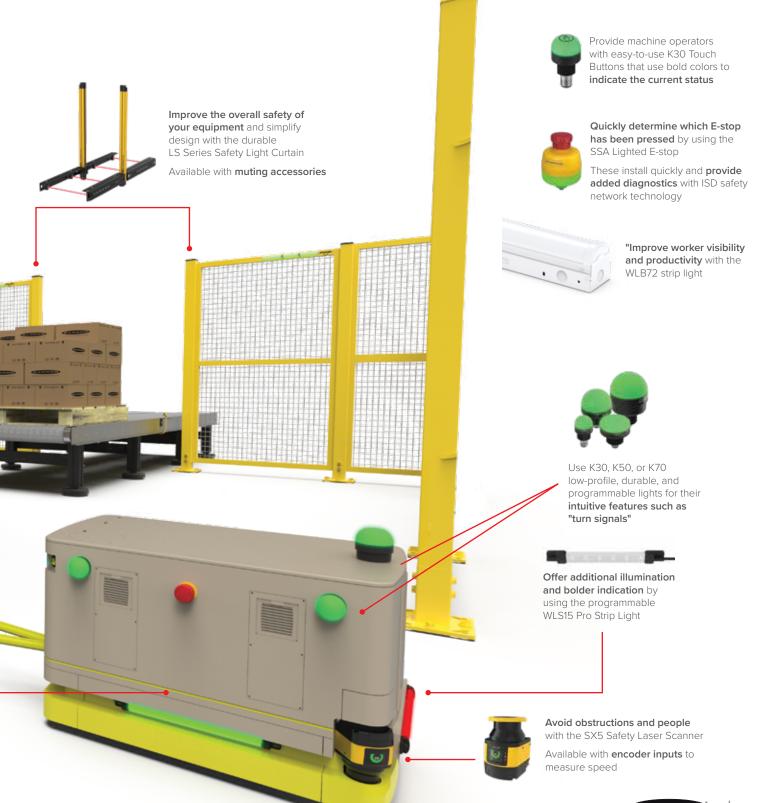


### **AGV Status/Signaling**

- Programmable LED lights provide turn-signal and machine status to operators
- Impact-resistant housings withstand harsh conditions
- Products: WLS15, WLS27, K50

### **AGV Safety**

- Reliable safety laser scanners detect people
  and objects
- Standard encoder inputs integrate speed into detection algorithm
- Products: SX5, SC10



# **Storage and Retrieval**

# Package Dimensioning

- Fast and accurate sensors measure goods moving down a conveyor
- Various models adapt to any mounting requirements
- Products: EZ-ARRAY, MINI-ARRAY, Q5X, VE Smart Camera

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Accurately measure distances up to 24 m away by using the LTF24 Sensor



Read virtually any type of barcode fast and reliably with the ABR Series of Barcode Readers

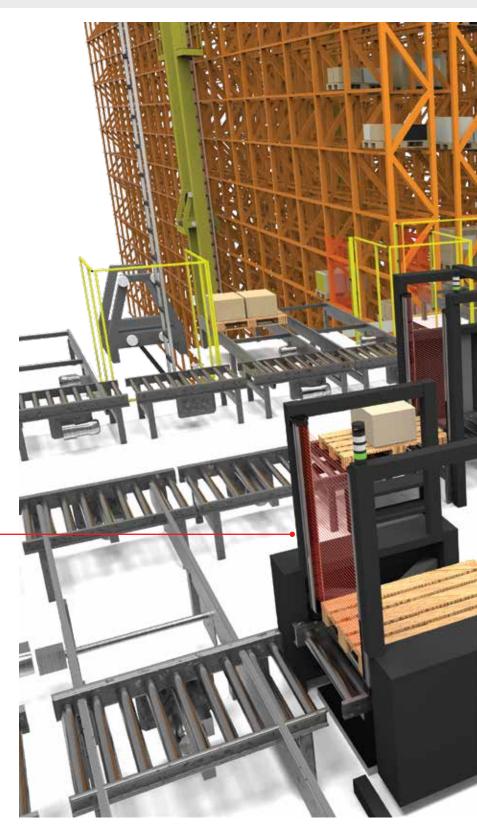


#### Quickly determine which E-stop has been pressed by using the SSA Lighted E-stop These also install quickly and

provide added diagnostics with our ISD safety network technology



Measure pallets and packages with 5 mm resolution to ensure goods are directed to the right location using the EZ-ARRAY

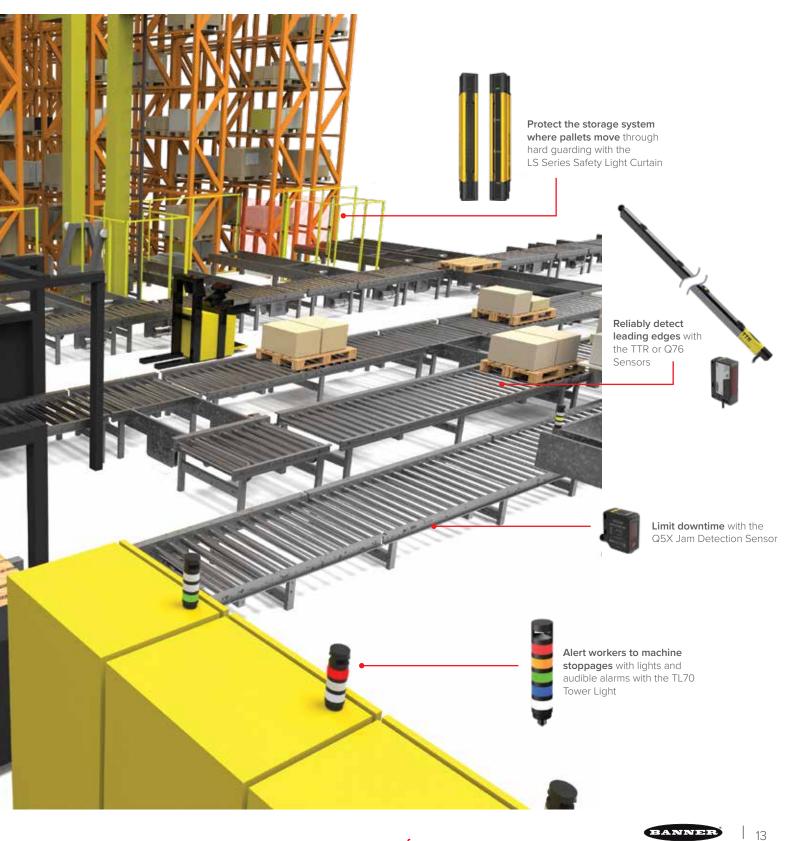


#### **Crane Position Sensing**

- Long-range sensors provide accurate feedback on machine position
- Basic photoelectric sensors detect when pallets are in position
- Products: LTF, LT7, Q20, QS18

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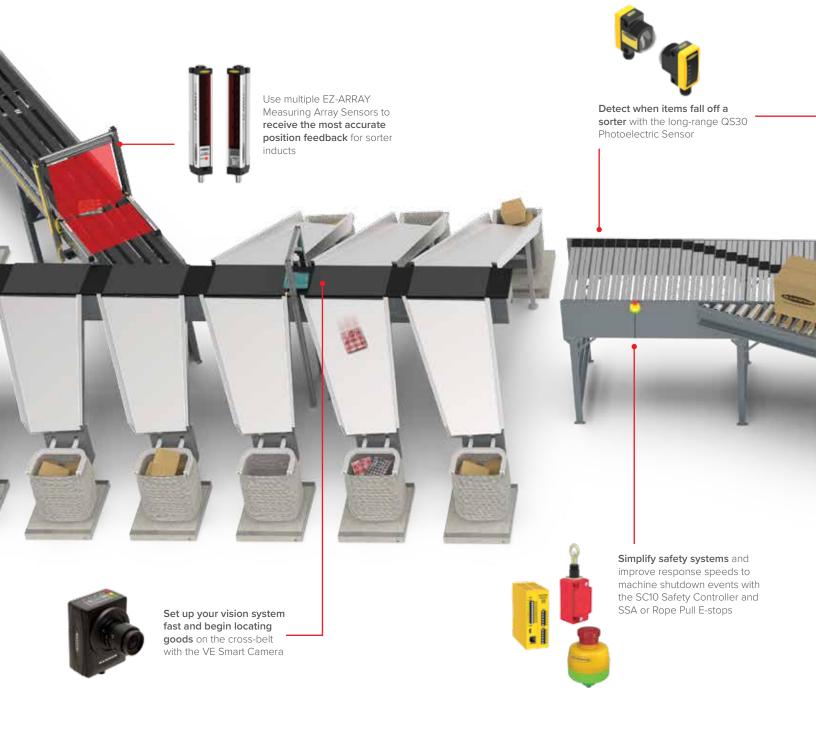
# Sortation

# **Package Detection**

- Precision sensors accurately measure goods for proper routing
- Various sensor technologies and form factors adapt to any machine design
- Products: EZ-ARRAY, MINI-ARRAY, Q4X, Q5X

# **Product Position on Belt Sorter**

- Easy-to-use sensors determine if goods are located properly on sorters
- Multiple signal types ranging from discrete, analog to x/y coordinates adapt to any machine design
- Products: VE, iVu, Q4X

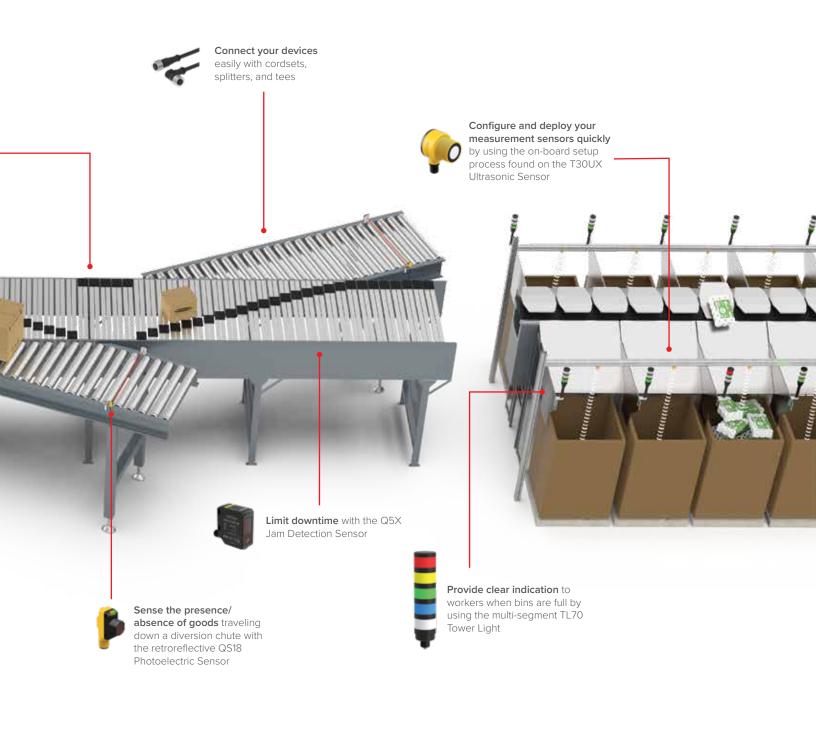


#### Sorter Divert Sensing

- Simple photoelectric sensors determine if goods were diverted down the correct chute or if a jam is present
- Several sensor options provide flexibility to detect any type of package
- Products: QS18, LX, SAB

#### **Bin Level Measurement and Indication**

- Robust laser, ultrasonic, and radar technologies
  accurately measure bin level
- Easy-to-see LED lights notify workers when bins are full
- Products: T30UX, Q5X, T30R, QS18, TL50







# Who Is Banner?

Every 3.5 seconds, a Banner sensor is installed somewhere in the world. Banner solves problems for most of the manufacturing companies in the Fortune 500, as well as the startups changing industry with leading-edge production.

Banner technology supports manufacturing of the cars you drive, the food you eat, the medicine you take, and virtually every product in your daily life. Whatever the industry, Banner offers solutions to automate production, improve efficiency, and manufacture to the highest standard of quality.

# Manufacturing Specialists

With over 30,000 products, Banner is a leading source for your manufacturing needs. We offer award-winning sensors, wireless solutions, vision sensors and lighting, machine safety, indicator lights, and LED lighting.

# Application Solution Experts

Our field sales engineers are the most highly trained and experienced professionals in the industry. They can rapidly analyze an application to help you find the best solution.

### **Global Presence**

Banner offers worldwide sales and support through a network of more than 3,000 professionals ready to help you no matter where you are located.

### **Unique Solutions**

Banner's growing product line includes thousands of standard products. However, if you have an application requiring a unique solution or direct integration of a Banner product, contact one of Banner's Application Engineers to learn about our rapid customization and ability to deliver special product variations.

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