



*»Membership in Common Smartcard is a matter of special importance for us. As one of the leading card producers in Germany, we have an interest in standardised data structures for RFID projects. Above all, common standards provide greater freedom of choice.«*

**THOMAS TRIEBSCH, Key Account Manager at PAV  
Member of the Association**

*»The industry is clearly rethinking – away from closed, proprietary cashless solutions and towards open standards that provide final customers with greater transparency and freedom to choose amongst different products.«*

**MARTIN WITSCHI, Hug-Witschi AG  
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# READY FOR TAKE-OFF

The **Common Smartcard Solutions Association** (Industrieverband für einheitliche Smartcard-Lösungen e.V.) is dedicated to fostering standardised data structures for RFID applications. The key focus is on openCashfile – an innovative smartcard data structure which allows all those involved in the project to operate with one and the same data base. This creates transparency and security of investment. openCashfile is used in institutional and industrial catering, campus and leisure projects as well as access control.

## Our activities are aimed at:

Defining common data structures for RFID applications

Defining interfaces for those structures

Fostering and disseminating advancements

Further development and updating of specifications and rules

Ensuring compliance with specifications and regulatory frameworks

Providing access control to applications

Contributing to trade journals, websites, trade fairs

The standardised data structure for openCashfile smartcards comprises various data fields. They were jointly drawn up and coordinated in intensive consultations with representatives of different industries.

Many enterprises have joined the Common Smartcard initiative. They include companies, natural and legal persons, industrial federations and members of the professions.



All members are committed to the Association's goal of implementing common standards and data structures as drivers of growth. As a customer, you benefit not only from greater flexibility when choosing amongst system providers, but above all from the mutual support for RFID projects.

### **Some possible fields of application**

**Institutional and industrial catering**

**Operating vending machines**

**Campus and leisure projects**

**Access control**

### **Awards**

That openCashfile meets the needs of the market is verified by its winning the 'IT Innovation' award conferred by the 'Mittelstand' business initiative. This innovative smartcard solution convinced the 100-member jury and thus belongs to the leading group among more than 5,000 candidates for the award each year.

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### **Cross-platform solution**

openCashfile can be deployed on smartcards featuring the MIFARE DESFire®, MIFARE Plus®, MIFARE Classic®, LEGIC advant® or LEGIC prime® chips.

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