Is Polymer Right For My Banknotes?

You have heard a lot about polymer, but are not sure if this is the right decision for you. Is there anything available that can help you explore this decision?

DLR Analytics™ provides an Analytics Workshop which will help you and your team to explore the priorities and changes to your cash cycle and understand what potential impact this could have on polymer implementation prior to any decision.

Using the analysis provided by DLR Analytics and having decided that polymer is right for you, what’s the best way for you to track the implementation over time?

DLR Analytics is able to provide an in-depth understanding of what is happening to banknotes in circulation by looking at a number of different parameters such as feature wear, sorter thresholds and banknote failure modes. Detailed forecasting based on note performance in circulation is also provided.

Now your new notes have been in circulation for some time, are there any further insights that can be gained?

DLR Analytics is able to generate an understanding of note life and how notes circulate in your cash cycle, providing an insight into whether polymer is the right decision for your notes.

DLR Analytics is able to provide a comparison of note life performance for different substrates in circulation and illustrates clearly what impact the changes have made.
Effectiveness of Cash Cycle

With DLR Analytics unique approach it is possible to get a greater understanding of the efficiency and effectiveness of your cash cycle. By analysing note life and return frequency you will be able to understand the efficiency of your cash cycle and make informed decisions. For example, if a lower denomination remains out in circulation for long periods of time, it is worth considering moving the substrate to a more durable solution.

Monitoring the Change

Utilising data from before and after the implementation of a change it is possible to use DLR Analytics to create a statistically robust assessment of the impact that change has made. For example, if a banknote is switched from a paper to polymer substrate to improve the quality of notes in circulation then you will be able to track how well the new substrate is performing in your cash cycle compared to your old substrate.