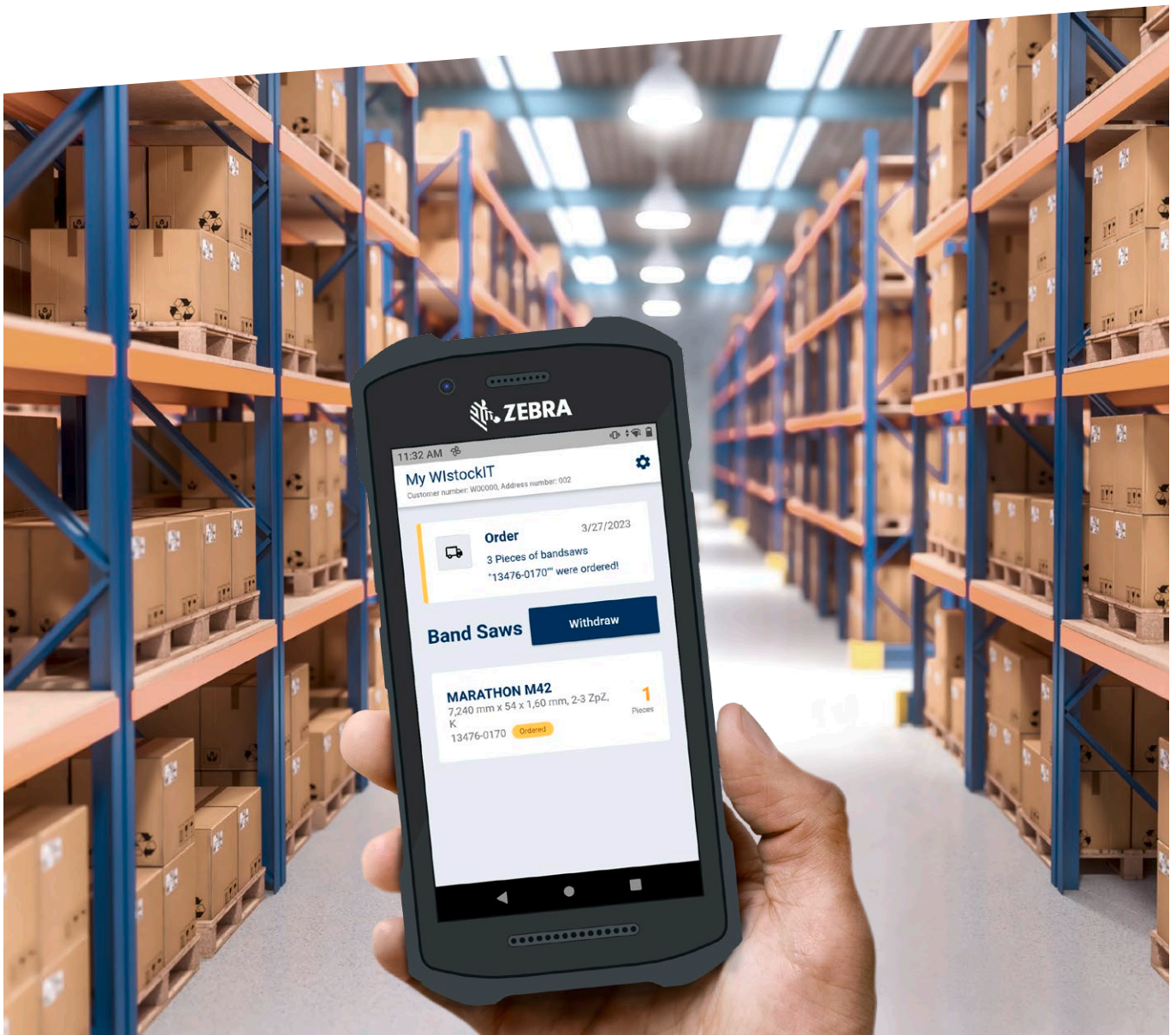


# WISTOCKIT<sup>®</sup> APP FOR AUTOMATED MATERIAL SUPPLY

## Uddeholm AB Success Story



# AUTOMATED MATERIAL SUPPLY VIA APP

## The *WlstockIT*® from WIKUS digitizes ordering processes for seamless band saw blade availability

With the development of *WlstockIT*® into a mobile app, the ordering chain has been automated and the material supply can be ensured without any time delay. Uddeholm AB has managed to make the ordering process for band saw blades much more efficient thanks to the digital tool from WIKUS.

### Customer profile

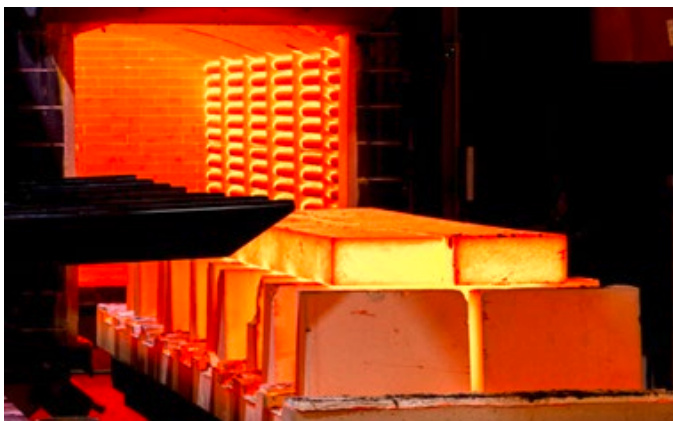
Based in Hagfors, Sweden, Uddeholm AB employs a total of 850 people and is a major player in the steel industry.

Uddeholm AB produces high-quality carbon tool steels with special material purity for hot and cold forming.



### Challenges and requirements

- Securing a company's own supply capability, even in the event of material shortages in volatile markets
- Automating and simplifying procurement processes with a mobile app
- Optimization of communication with the supplier through a digital solution for inventory management
- Minimization of capital commitment through demand-based material ordering
- Development of a customized ordering system with easy handling in Swedish language



*The production process at Uddeholm AB*



*Quality management by Uddeholm AB*

## The solution: automated ordering system to ensure the supply of materials

With the *WlstockIT*® app, Uddeholm AB is getting a tool that ensures the supply of materials without investing in expensive equipment. In addition, a quick overview of the band saw blades used in production as well as the current stock is made possible. The implementation of the digital solution was carried out seamlessly for the tool steel producer: WIKUS provides a ZEBRA handheld for the application with the *WlstockIT*® app, with which band saw blades can now be withdrawn from the stock by barcode scanning, and thanks to the integrated multi-sim card, it can also be used regardless of its location. If a replenishment point has been reached, the respective article is automatically reordered. The simplified procurement process, allows for saving time, reduces capital tied up in the warehouse, and ensures the supply of materials.

In addition, the efficiency of the supplier and customer could be increased through the:



Constant transparent exchange of information about delivery status, stock, and consumption values



Reduction of administrative burden



Fast and demand-driven adjustment of delivery quantities



Optimization of the communication process



### Safe and easy material supply

In volatile times, it is especially important for us to ensure the supply of materials with an efficient warehouse management and ordering system. The well-established partnership with WIKUS reaffirmed another collaboration for a digital solution - and with success.



Kerry Larsmalm  
Operator & Supervisor

## WIKUS supporting service



Consulting on the digitalization of the ordering process using the *WlstockIT*® app within the company



Provision of the devices for the use of the *WlstockIT*® app



Digital solution for a warehouse management and ordering system tailored to the customer's needs



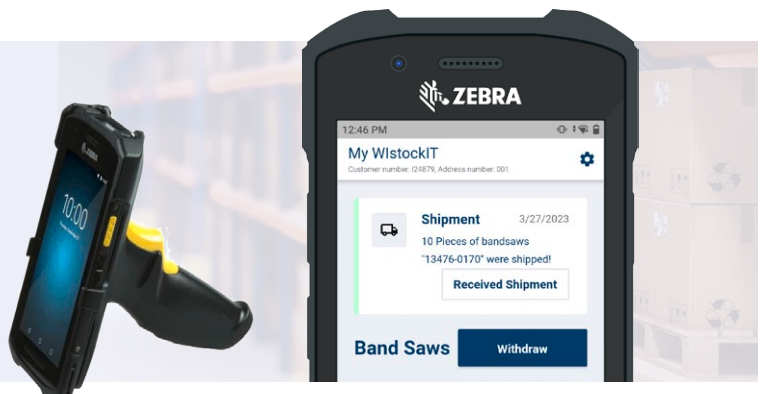
Step-by-step introduction  
Software application and training

## Product range used



*WlstockIT*®  
Optimizing Processes

- *WlstockIT*® app
- ZEBRA TC21/TC26 Handheld Computer



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