

ADVANCED TECHNOLOGY





STREAMLINES PROCESSES







ELIMINATES CAPABILITY GAPS



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### SO WHAT? WHO CARES?

### Space- Solving US DHS technology and process capability gaps:

- Rapid/accurate/reliable <u>identification</u> of narcotics, precursors, cutting agents, explosives, and other chemical threats – through packaging
- Streamlines screening processes and interdiction throughput packages, baggage, and belongings
- Aids DHS collaboration efforts with USPS, law enforcement and others

#### Solution:

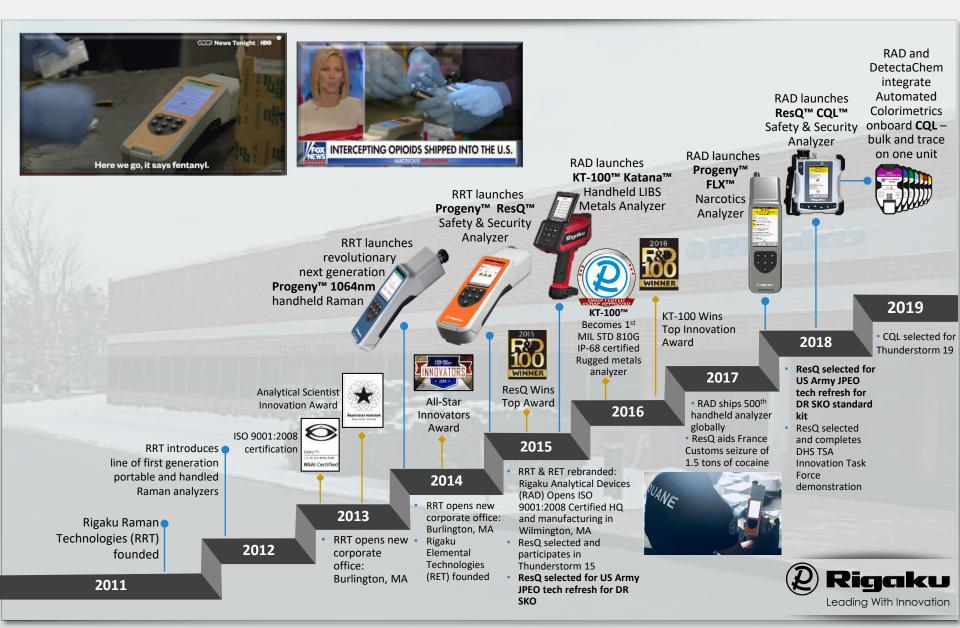
- Rigaku's 1064nm based handheld Raman with integrated Automated Colorimetrics
  - One device meets presumptive testing requirements

#### Results:

- DHS/CBP/TSA to benefit from advanced technology that streamlines processes and eliminates capability gaps.
- ResQ already proven effective for mailroom applications at JFK, MIA, CBP- Puerto Rico & DHS ICE – SFO and Atlanta.
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# RIGAKU ANALYTICAL DEVICES, INC



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Fast and reliable identification of illicit narcotics, explosives and other substances.









# ResQ effectively fills analytical performance gaps other technologies cannot:

- Rigaku's 1064nm better identifies chemical fingerprint
- Minimized sample interference from fluorescence compared to 785 and 830 nm Raman and moisture interference using FTIR
- MIL-STD-1472G Human Factor Efficiency designed and tested for ease of use by operators of varying skill levels
- Results in under 1 minute
- Large database easily expandable by user
  - Fleet management transfer database to other units in the field

\*Rigaku created custom CBP/TSA library as requested



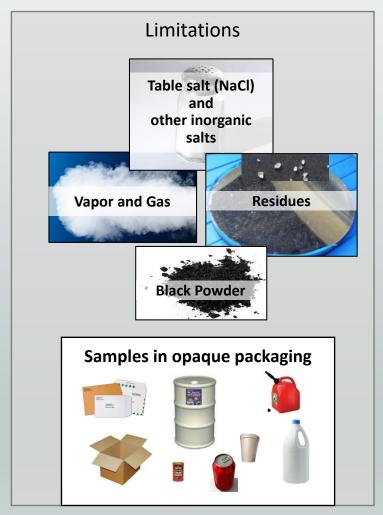


### CAPABILITY SCOPE

# Identifiable substances

- · Pure and degraded colored liquids, solids, pastes and gels
- Loose or in translucent packaging
- Major component present at 5-10%
- Bulk quantities enough sample to cover







### RIGAKU'S RESQ STREAMLINES PROCESSES

#### Use case: Rapid mailroom/cargo clearance

- Increases testing and interdiction throughput
- Significantly reduces number of samples requiring confirmatory testing
- Reduces pressure on CBP
  - Clear packages faster so CBP can meet the 3-day USPS release requirement
  - Proven to reduce backlog
  - Reduced cognitive load on officers ease-of-use by operators of varying skill sets

#### Use case: Increased border protection and crossing inspection

- Increases testing and interdiction throughput
- Significantly reduces number of samples requiring confirmatory testing
- Better evidentiary documentation using onboard camera to capture images of samples
- Reduced cognitive load on officers
  - Speed of analysis
  - MIL-STD-1472G Human Factor Efficiency designed and tested for ease-of-use

#### **Use case: Efficient Public transportation screening**

- Rapid and definitive chemical threat identification
- Clear passenger and baggage alarms faster
- Reduced TSSE support requirement



### BARRIERS FOR DEPLOYING NEW TECHNOLOGY



- Prohibitively long technology evaluation times by government often years
  - Companies launched next generation technology while previous generation still in testing process
- Outdated and prohibitive requirements and CONOPS
- Decision makers repeatedly selecting less capable technology often at a higher lifecycle cost
- Heavy influence by large traditional government contractors restricts non-traditional performers
- Sole-source multi-unit (100's) IDIQs not allowing "Or Equal"
- Voice of the operator not weighted heavily in procurement decision making process





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