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All that is needed to create a UCC/EAN128 barcode is to append a FNC 1 (ASCI 185) to the begining of the value. Below is a very brief Visual Basic .net example.

Private Sub cmdSubmit_Click(ByVal sender As System.Object, ByVal e As System.EventArgs) Handles cmdSubmit.Click

Dim sFnc1 As String

' UCC 128 is simply a Code 128 with a (Function 1) FNC 1 character at the beginning

' of the value.

sFnc1 = Chr(185) ' set up the FNC 1 character.

' The Drawing control's symbology was set to Code 128 at design time, so all we need to

 $^{\mbox{\tiny I}}$ do here is append the Function 1 to the beginning of the value.

 $bcMain.Value = sFnc1 \ \& \ txtValue.Text \ ' \ This \ code \ pulls \ its \ value \ from \ a \ text \ box.$

End Sub