

Rhopoint Components is committed to the protection of our environment and takes the necessary steps to meet the challenges of new regulatory requirements.

The RoHS (Restriction of Hazardous Substances) directive 2011/65/EU is an EU directive aimed at reducing the harmful environmental impact of waste electrical equipment by restricting the use of known dangerous substances. As of 1st July 2006, new electrical and electronic equipment introduced into the market and falling into certain product categories (with some exemptions) may no longer contain the following chemicals above specified maximum concentration levels:

- Lead 0.1%
- Cadmium 0.01%
- Mercury 0.1%
- Hexavalent Chromium 0.1%
- Polybrominated Biphenyls (PBB) 0.1%
- Polybrominated Diphenylethers (PBDE) 0.1%

From 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2019 an additional RoHS directive 2015/863/EU became effective with the same conditions applying as the 2011/65/EU directive. Below are the listed substances and specified maximum concentration levels:

- Benzyl butyl phthalate (BBP) 0.1%
- Bis (2-rthylexyl) phthalate (DEHP) 0.1%
- Dibutyl phthalate (DBP) 0.1%
- Diisobutyl phthalate (DIBP) 0.1%

Although RoHS is a European Union (EU) Directive, manufacturers of EEE outside Europe must also abide by this legislation if the equipment they produce is ultimately imported into an EU member state.

As a sales agent of electronic components, we obtain and rely on the product manufacturer to provide information for RoHS compliance status. This information can be sourced within the RoHS compliance tab via the individual product webpage.

In case of further questions regarding the implementation of the RoHS regulation in our company, please do not hesitate to contact us: <u>sales@rhopointcomponents.com</u> or tel No. 01342 330470.

Signed on behalf of Rhopoint Components Limited.

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