

VxI Power Ltd - RoHS, WEEE, and REACH Policy Statement

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RoHS Directive (2002/95/EC):

VxI Power Ltd products placed on the market since 1st July 2006, and within scope, will be compliant to the RoHS Directive (2002/95/EC).

RoHS II Directive (2011/65/EU):

VxI Power Ltd products placed on the market since 2nd January 2013, and within scope, will be compliant to the RoHS Directive (2011/65/EU).

RoHS II is a CE marking directive and from 2nd January 2013 all product within scope must meet the following requirements:

- CE mark finished products
- Declaration of Conformity to include RoHS directive
- Technical files to be retained for 10 years

WEEE Directive (2012/19/EU)

VXI Power Ltd meets its producer obligations via membership of a compliance scheme operated by GAMBICA B2B Compliance Ltd, a not-for-profit Company limited by Guarantee. B2B Compliance is an Approved Compliance Scheme for Producers that are obligated under the Waste Electrical & Electronic Equipment Regulations 2006 (as amended 2007and 2009) and is approved for both household (B2C) and non-household (B2B) WEEE. B2B Compliance takes on VXI Power Ltd's legal obligations as assigned within the WEEE Regulations, registering VXI Power ltd with the Environment Agency and assisting with EEE data submissions.

WEEE Compliance Scheme Approval Number:

WEE/MP3338PT/SCH

VxI Power Ltd Membership Number:

WEE/FG1398UZ

REACH (EC/1907/2006)

Having assessed substances used in our processes likely to contain SVHC's of 0.1% w/w above 1 tonne per annum, VxI Power Ltd is not currently required to register any substances under REACH.

To the present and best of our knowledge and based on the information available to us from our suppliers, our current products do not contain substances of very high concern (SVHC) above a limit of 0.1 % w/w.

Appendix 1: RoHS Scope and scope exclusions (as at the date of this policy)

The <u>substances</u> to which the RoHS I and II directives apply are (including the maximum concentration values):

- Lead (Pb) 0.1%
- Mercury (Hg) 0.1%
- Cadmium (Cd) 0.01%
- Hexavalent chromium (Cr(VI)) 0.1%
- Polybrominated biphenyls (PBB) 0.1%
- Polybrominates diphenyl ethers (PBDE) 0.1%

The <u>categories of product</u> to which the RoHS directives scope applies has been taken from the Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment (WEEE) Directive. These are:

- 1. Large household appliances
- 2. Small household appliances
- 3. IT and telecommunications equipment
- 4. Consumer equipment
- 5. Lighting equipment (including light bulbs and luminaries in households)
- 6. Electrical and electronic tools (except large scale stationary industrial tools)
- 7. Toys, leisure and sports equipment
- 8. Medical devices (phased from 2014)
- 9. Monitoring and control instruments including industrial (phased from 2014)
- 10. Automatic dispensers
- 11. All other EEE not covered by categories 1-10, unless specially excluded (from 2019)

The following products are <u>excluded</u> from the scope:

- Military equipment
- Equipment designed for use in space
- Equipment designed and installed as part of another type of equipment not within scope
- Large-scale stationary industrial tools (LSIT)
- Large-scale fixed installations
- Means of transport
- Non-road mobile machinery for professional use
- Active implantable medical devices
- Photovoltaic panels
- R&D equipment only available on a business to business basis