



RoHS – Directive

Environmental requirements - RoHS Directive

Feinmetall products compliance with RoHS requirements

With Directive 2011/65/EU for restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment (RoHS), issued on 8 June 2011, material prohibitions for lead, cadmium, hexavalent chromium, mercury and brominated flame retardants for electrical and electronic equipment newly put on the market come into force with effect from July 2011.

Feinmetall does not normally supply any electronic or electrical equipment as defined in the Directive of 8 June 2011, but only supplies passive components and contact probe systems. In so far as Feinmetall products are used in equipment that falls within the RoHS area of application, we see no obstacles in achieving legal compliance when the end product is put on the market.

As a matter of principle, Feinmetall GmbH always endeavours to supply our customers with environmentally friendly products, in harmony with the relevant rules and regulations. According to our present knowledge, our products supplied to you do not contain any substances in concentrations and applications that are prohibited from being put on the market in products, in accordance with the requirements of Directive 2011/65/EU ("RoHS").

Feinmetall products are generally manufactured from bought-in materials that comply with the RoHS requirements. Homogenous materials for production of plastic parts are only procured from within the EU and so inevitably already fulfil the requirements with regard to prohibited flame retardants.

Feinmetall GmbH fulfils the environmental protection and hazardous substances requirements. ISO 14001 certification of the company exists since March 2006.

Yours sincerely

Feinmetall GmbH

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