

MICROSENS GmbH & Co KG is an environmentally conscientious European company. We understand the importance of designing, manufacturing, marketing and distributing products with a low environmental burden.

Restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment (RoHS)

According to Directive 2002/95/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of January 27, 2003, the "Restriction on Use of Hazardous Substances in Electrical and Electronic Equipment" (RoHS) directive will be effective starting July 1, 2006.

All MICROSENS products are now available for shipment in compliance with the European Union Commission RoHS Directive.

All MICROSENS products were reviewed and adapted to compliance. All approved suppliers and subcontractors are required to guarantee their conformance with the RoHS Directive.

The RoHS Directive prohibits the sale into the European Union of electronic equipment containing certain amounts of lead, mercury hexavalent chromium, polybrominated biphenyls (PBBs) and polybrominated diphenylethers (PBDEs).

Their maximum contents are defined at a maximum concentration value of less than 0.1% by weight in homogenous material. An additional substance, cadmium, is restricted to 0.01% in homogenous material. The RoHS Directive allows an exemption for 'lead in solders for network infrastructure equipment for switching, signalling, transmission as well as network management for telecommunication.'

As the RoHS directive was transposed into national laws, a special marking as 'RoHS compliant' is not required.

Waste electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE)

The Directive 2002/96/EC (WEEE) addresses the problem of product recycling and requires products to be labeled to identify participation in the program.

The EU approved "double-crossed wheellie bin" symbol is affixed to the product when delivered to European countries outside Germany.

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