

To Digi-Key

Certification of EU REACH compliance

We, TAIYO YUDEN CO., LTD. (hereinafter referred to as TAIYO YUDEN), are aware of REACH as a European Community regulation on chemicals. Currently TAIYO YUDEN supports the underlying goals of REACH, which are consistent with our own commitment to promote the responsible manufacturing, use and handling of hazardous materials and substances. Under these conditions, TAIYO YUDEN confirms and certifies the followings.

Registration of Substances:

After careful review of the legislation and specifically the definition of an “article” as defined in EC Regulation 1907/2006, Title II, Chapter 1, Article 7.1(a)(b), it is our current view that TAIYO YUDEN products would be considered as “article.” In light of the definition in Article 7.1(b) which requires registration of an article only if it contains a regulated substance that “is intended to be released under normal or reasonably foreseeable conditions of use,” we understand that TAIYO YUDEN products do not fall under a registration obligation for their intended and anticipated use.

Correspondence with Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC):

Regarding the candidate list(*) of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC), TAIYO YUDEN has reviewed these substances and certifies the TAIYO YUDEN products listed in Table 1 are compliant with the EU “REACH” requirements of less than 0.1% (w/w) for each substance.

(*)It can be seen on the web site below. (Limited to the published substances as of date submitted.)

http://echa.europa.eu/chem_data/authorisation_process/candidate_list_table_en.asp

Table 1: TAIYO YUDEN products supplied to your company

LMK063BJ104KP-F
EMK107ABJ475KA-T
LMK325BJ107MM-T

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Signature: _____

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