

The TUSONIX RoHS Compliance Program

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Tusonix is committed to full compliance to European Parliament Directive 2002/95/EC, Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS) in electrical and electronic equipment. In 2003 Tusonix embarked upon a company funded project to bring all of our products into RoHS compliance. The first priority is assigned to incorporating lead-free soldering into the manufacturing of our very broad product line. At the same time, we are evaluating each product with respect to the other restricted substances defined in the Directive.

RoHS Compliant soldering will be introduced into each product line based on the following sequence:

- Bushing Filters and Feed-Through Capacitors
- Solder-In Filters and Capacitors
- Mono-Discoidal Filters/Capacitors
- Surface Mount Filters
- Shoulder Feed-Through Capacitors
- Trimmer Capacitors
- Standard Discoidals
- Filter/Capacitor Assemblies
- Filtered Terminal Blocks
- Discs and Weecons



For each product, the RoHS Compliant solder process must be defined, production quantities processed and a qualification test routine completed in order to ensure the reliability of the lead-free product. The first RoHS Compliant Bushing Filters will be released in February of 2005. The goal is to convert all products to RoHS Compliant soldering by July of 2005.

The basic Tusonix part numbering system will not change for the standard line of lead-free products. However, lead-free products will be identified by an LF designation following the part number by a defined number of spaces. Conversion to lead-free status will be identified by date code and container marking. In those special cases where lead-free soldering is not permitted by customer requirements, the standard part number will apply.

Although we believe that our products comply with the RoHS Directive with respect to the other restricted substances, we are investigating the composition of each product. We plan to be in full compliance well in advance of the July 1, 2006 deadline.