# TE – EU REACH ANNEX XVII Survey

How to make a submission

Guidance

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## **TE – EU REACH Annex XVII Survey**



### Summary:

**Annex XVII** of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 regarding Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation, and Restriction of Chemicals, also referred to as the **EU REACH Restriction List**, contains the list of restricted substances (on their own, in a mixture or in an article) for which manufacture, placing on the market or use is limited or banned in the European Union.

When substances are on the restriction list this not only impacts the use of those substances in products but also the use of the substance in the manufacturing processes (incl. maintenance and repair).

The official REACH Restriction list can be found here: <u>https://www.echa.europa.eu/substances-restricted-under-reach</u>

When you have received the relevant TE Connectivity Campaign email, you can respond to the open request by selecting it from your Supplier Portal landing page. Click the **start button**.



1. On the main page, review the **regulation details** and read the **instructions**. You can preview the survey by clicking the **preview survey** button and download the survey to review offline. This way you can make sure that you have all required information at hand before you get started.

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TE - EU REACH Annex XVII Survey	
REACH Restriction	
This survey will provide detail regarding substances that the European Commission has restricted within the commerce of the EU. A restriction may on its own, in a mixture or in an article, including those that do not require registration, for example, substances manufactured or imported below or certain polymers. Restrictions are an instrument to protect human health and the environment from unacceptable risk posed by chemicals.	
1) Before selecting any products below, please select the "Preview Survey" button and review the questions presented in the survey. The preview is a order to view offline.	available by download ir
2) After reviewing the survey, if there are multiple products that would have identical answers for ALL questions within the survey, please select ALL would apply below and click "Declare x Selected Parts" to begin the survey.	of the products that
3) If multiple products will not have identical answers for ALL questions, please only select ONE product from the list below and fill out the survey for As a result, suppliers may need to fill out the survey multiple times, once for each product, if answers will vary between products.	or the selected product.
(The "Export List" button will allow you to export the list of products via excel file. The "items per page" can be adjusted at the bottom of the page to products within the view.)	o allow up to 500
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2. Use the checkboxes to select the product(s) you want to make a declaration for. If the answers will be

identical for all products, you can use the **Declare for ALL** button, otherwise use **Declare for Selected**.

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3. You will now **enter the survey**. From this window you can view the Official REACH Restriction List for reference.

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## 4. Enter the Country of Manufacture

5. Select whether your part is a **mixture**, a single article or a **complex object** made up of multiple articles (conform the EU REACH definitions)

1) Please select the country of manufacture:\*

2) The product(s) selected is: \*

A mixture (e.g. adhesive)

A single article (e.g. pure metal spring)

An object made of multiple articles (e.g. capacitor)

6. Choose a **product statement**: indicate if your product contains any of the substances on the Restriction list or not.



#### 3) Product Statement

- 3.1) Choose a declaration statement for the selected product(s):\*
- $\bigcirc$  Does not include any substance on the REACH Restrictions List
- Does include substance(s) on the REACH Restrictions List

• If you indicate under 3.1 that your **product contains a substance** on the Restriction list, you will **need to answer 3.2** otherwise you can continue with 4.1



under 3.2 you need to select the correct statement that is applicable for the substance (s) that is (are) contained in your product and with the selected statement you also need to indicate which Annex XVII entry number is relevant for your product. More then 1 statement can be applicable if more then 1 Annex XVII substance is present.

3.2) Choose the relevant product restriction statement(s) and select the applicable Entry number(s)

Product complies with the conditions of the restriction

Please select the relevant Annex XVII Entry Number(s):\*

Product does not comply with the conditions of the restriction

Please select the relevant Annex XVII Entry Number(s):\*

Conditions of the restriction are not applicable to the product supplied to TE

Please select the relevant Annex XVII Entry Number(s):\*



7. Choose a **manufacturing process** statement: indicate if for the manufacturing process of your product

you use any of the substances on the Restriction list or not

#### 4) Manufacturing Process Statement

- 4.1) Choose a declaration statement for the manufacturing process of the selected product(s):\*
- $\odot\,$  Does not include any substance on the REACH Restrictions List
- Does include substance(s) on the REACH Restrictions List
- If you indicate under 4.1 that your manufacturing process uses a substance on the Restriction list, you will need to answer 4.2 otherwise you can continue with 5

under 4.2 you need to select the correct manufacturing process statement that is applicable for the substance(s) that is/are used in the manufacturing process and with the selected statement you also need to indicate which Annex XVII entry number is relevant for that process.

4.2) Choose the relevant manufacturing process restriction statement(s) and select the applicable Entry number(s)

Manufacturing process complies with the conditions of the restriction

Please select the relevant Annex XVII Entry Number(s):\*

Manufacturing process does not comply with the conditions of the restriction

Please select the relevant Annex XVII Entry Number(s):\*

Conditions of the restriction are not applicable to the manufacturing process of the product supplied to TE

Please select the relevant Annex XVII Entry Number(s): \*



5. Supporting documents: please upload **any supporting documents** you can provide to back up your declaration.

Supporting Documents 5) Please provide supporting documents for the selected product(s) Drop files to attach, or press:





- Do not use Internet Explorer (IE). IE is not supported by Assent.
- Review the following TE Product Environmental Compliance documents:
  - TE Supplier Requirements for Product Environmental Compliance: <u>TEC-138-702</u>
  - TE Environmental-Related Substances (TE Declarable Substance List): <u>5081-2</u>
- Assent is available to help with technical issues. Visit their Supplier Help Center by <u>clicking here</u>. If you need help making a submission <u>click here</u> for a helpful walkthrough video. If you are in the Assent Supplier Portal, you can click on 'Help' in the lower right corner of the app to engage live chat for immediate technical support. If you still require technical assistance, please contact Assent directly at <u>customersupport@assent.com</u>.
- For all other support, reach out to <a href="mailto:suppliercompliancesupport@te.com">suppliercompliancesupport@te.com</a>.

Thank you for your cooperation,

TE Connectivity

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