

**REACH<sup>i</sup> Article 33**  
**Communication on Substances of Very High Concern in Articles**

**Updated for REACH SVHC Candidate List of  
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**Information Statement for the following Articles under REACH:**

**Scope: Products Containing Data Cables, Wire Insulation, and/or Electrical Power  
Cords(due to Phthalates)**

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<b>SVHC Communication: Articles sold prior to 1 January 2019</b>	
Substance Name	Dibutyl Phthalate (DBP)
CAS Number	84-74-2
EC Number	201-557-4
Date of Inclusion	2008/10/28
Classification & SVHC Properties	CMR Category 2 – Carcinogens, Mutagens, or Substances Toxic to Reproduction R61 May cause harm to unborn child R62 Possible risk of impaired fertility R50 Very toxic to aquatic organisms
Information on safe handling including safe disposal if relevant	Wash hands after handling cables. Dispose of according to WEEE <sup>ii</sup> regulations.

<b>SVHC Communication: Articles sold prior to 1 January 2019</b>	
Substance Name	Benzyl butyl phthalate (BBP)
CAS Number	85-68-7
EC Number	201-622-7
Date of Inclusion	2008/10/28
Classification & SVHC Properties	CMR Category 2 – Carcinogens, Mutagens, or Substances Toxic to Reproduction R61 May cause harm to unborn child R62 Possible risk of impaired fertility R50/53 Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.
Information on safe handling including safe disposal if relevant	Wash hands after handling cables. Dispose according to WEEE <sup>ii</sup> regulations.

<b>SVHC Communication: Articles sold prior to 1 January 2019</b>	
Substance Name	Bis (2-ethyl(hexyl) phthalate) (DEHP)
CAS Number	117-81-7
EC Number	204-211-0
Date of Inclusion	2008/10/28; 2014/12/17
Classification & SVHC Properties	CMR Category 2 – Carcinogens, Mutagens, or Substances Toxic to Reproduction R60 May impair fertility R61 May cause harm to unborn child Article 57 f - Equivalent level of concern having probable serious effects to the environment
Information on safe handling including safe disposal if relevant	Wash hands after handling cables. Dispose according to WEEE <sup>ii</sup> regulations.

<b>SVHC Communication: Articles sold prior to 1 January 2019</b>	
Substance Name	Diisobutyl Phthalate (DIBP)
CAS Number	84-69-5
EC Number	201-553-2
Date of Inclusion	2010/01/13
Classification & SVHC Properties	CMR Category 2 – Carcinogens, Mutagens, or Substances Toxic to Reproduction R61 May cause harm to unborn child R62 Possible risk of impaired fertility
Information on safe handling including safe disposal if relevant	Wash hands after handling cables. Dispose of according to WEEE <sup>ii</sup> regulations.

<b>SVHC Communication</b>	
Substance Name	1,2-Benzenedicarboxylic acid, di-C6-8-branched alkyl esters, C7-rich (DIHP)
CAS Number	71888-89-6
EC Number	276-158-1
Date of Inclusion	2011/6/20
Classification & SVHC Properties	CMR Category 2 – Carcinogens, Mutagens, or Substances Toxic to Reproduction R61 May cause harm to unborn child
Information on safe handling including safe disposal if relevant	Wash hands after handling cables. Dispose according to WEEE <sup>ii</sup> regulations.

**Scope: Products Containing Electronic Components**

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<b>SVHC Communication</b>	
Substance Name	Diboron Trioxide
CAS Number	1303-86-2
EC Number	215-125-8
Date of Inclusion	2012/6/18
Classification & SVHC Properties	Art. 57 (c), toxic for reproduction
Information on safe handling including safe disposal if relevant	Wash hands after handling. Dispose according to WEEE <sup>ii</sup> regulations.

<b>SVHC Communication</b>	
Substance Name	Lead monoxide (lead oxide)
CAS Number	1317-36-8
EC Number	215-267-0
Date of Inclusion	2012/12/19
Classification & SVHC Properties	Art. 57 (c), toxic for reproduction
Information on safe handling including safe disposal if relevant	Wash hands after handling. Dispose according to WEEE <sup>ii</sup> regulations.

<b>SVHC Communication</b>	
Substance Name	Orange lead (lead tetroxide)
CAS Number	1314-41-6
EC Number	215-235-6
Date of Inclusion	2012/12/19
Classification & SVHC Properties	Art. 57 (c), toxic for reproduction
Information on safe handling including safe disposal if relevant	Wash hands after handling. Dispose according to WEEE <sup>ii</sup> regulations.

<b>SVHC Communication</b>	
Substance Name	Lead titanium trioxide
CAS Number	12060-00-3
EC Number	235-038-9
Date of Inclusion	2012/12/19
Classification & SVHC Properties	Art. 57 (c), toxic for reproduction
Information on safe handling including safe disposal if relevant	Wash hands after handling. Dispose according to WEEE <sup>ii</sup> regulations.

<b>SVHC Communication</b>	
Substance Name	4,4'-isopropylidenediphenol (bisphenol A)
CAS Number	80-05-7
EC Number	201-245-8
Date of Inclusion	2017/01/12
Classification & SVHC Properties	Art. 57 (c), toxic for reproduction
Information on safe handling including safe disposal if relevant	Wash hands after handling. Dispose according to WEEE <sup>ii</sup> regulations.

<b>SVHC Communication</b>	
Substance Name	Lead
CAS Number	7439-92-1
EC Number	231-100-4
Date of Inclusion	2018/06/27
Classification & SVHC Properties	Art. 57 (c), toxic for reproduction
Information on safe handling including safe disposal if relevant	Wash hands after handling. Dispose according to WEEE <sup>ii</sup> regulations.

<b>SVHC Communication</b>	
Substance Name	2-methyl-1-(4-methylthiophenyl)-2-morpholinopropan-1-one
CAS Number	71868-10-5
EC Number	400-600-6
Date of Inclusion	2020/01/16
Classification & SVHC Properties	Art. 57 (c), toxic for reproduction
Information on safe handling including safe disposal if relevant	Wash hands after handling. Dispose according to WEEE <sup>ii</sup> regulations.

<b>SVHC Communication</b>	
Substance Name	Silicic acid, lead salt
CAS Number	11120-22-2
EC Number	234-363-3
Date of Inclusion	19/12/2012
Classification & SVHC Properties	Art. 57 (c), toxic for reproduction
Information on safe handling including safe disposal if relevant	Wash hands after handling. Dispose according to WEEE <sup>ii</sup> regulations.

**Scope: Products Containing Coin Cell Battery**

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<b>SVHC Communication</b>	
Substance Name	1,2-dimethoxyethane, ethylene glycol dimethyl ether (EGDME)
CAS Number	110-71-4
EC Number	203-794-9
Date of Inclusion	<u>18/06/2012</u>
Classification & SVHC Properties	Art. 57 (c), toxic for reproduction
Information on safe handling including safe disposal if relevant	Wash hands after handling. Dispose according to WEEE <sup>ii</sup> regulations.

**Scope: Cable connectors, disk drives**

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<b>SVHC Communication</b>	
Substance Name	Cadmium
CAS Number	7440-43-9
EC Number	231-152-8
Date of Inclusion	2013/12/20
Classification & SVHC Properties	Art. 57 (c), toxic for reproduction Equivalent level of concern having probable serious effects to human health (Article 57 f)
Information on safe handling including safe disposal if relevant	Wash hands after handling. Dispose according to WEEE <sup>ii</sup> regulations.

<b>SVHC Communication</b>	
Substance Name	Lead
CAS Number	7439-92-1
EC Number	231-100-4
Date of Inclusion	2018/06/27
Classification & SVHC Properties	Toxic for reproduction (Article 57c)
Information on safe handling including safe disposal if relevant	Wash hands after handling. Dispose according to WEEE <sup>ii</sup> regulations.

**Scope: Adhesives, Sealants, Non-Metal Surface treatment**

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<b>SVHC Communication</b>	
Substance Name	Dicyclohexyl phthalate (DCHP)
CAS Number	84-61-7
EC Number	201-545-9
Date of Inclusion	27/06/2018
Classification & SVHC Properties	Toxic for reproduction (Art 57c) Endocrine disrupting properties (Art 57(f) - human health)
Information on safe handling including safe disposal if relevant	Wash hands after handling. Dispose according to WEEE <sup>ii</sup> regulations.

**Scope: Labels**

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<b>SVHC Communication</b>	
Substance Name	2-methyl-1-(4-methylthiophenyl)-2-morpholinopropan-1-one
CAS Number	71868-10-5
EC Number	400-600-6
Date of Inclusion	2020/01/16
Classification & SVHC Properties	Art. 57 (c), toxic for reproduction
Information on safe handling including safe disposal if relevant	Wash hands after handling. Dispose according to WEEE <sup>ii</sup> regulations.

<b>SVHC Communication</b>	
Substance Name	2-Ethoxyethyl acetate
CAS Number	111-15-9
EC Number	203-839-2
<i>Date of Inclusion</i>	20/06/2011
Classification & SVHC Properties	Art. 57 (c), toxic for reproduction
Information on safe handling including safe disposal if relevant	Wash hands after handling. Dispose according to WEEE <sup>ii</sup> regulations.

<b>SVHC Communication</b>	
Substance Name	N,N-dimethylacetamide
CAS Number	127-19-5
EC Number	204-826-4
Date of Inclusion	19/12/2011
Classification & SVHC Properties	Art. 57 (c), toxic for reproduction
Information on safe handling including safe disposal if relevant	Wash hands after handling. Dispose according to WEEE <sup>ii</sup> regulations.

**Scope: Mechanical Spacer / Washer**

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<b>SVHC Communication</b>	
Substance Name	Dodecamethylcyclohexasiloxane(D6)
CAS Number	540-97-6
EC Number	208-762-8
Date of Inclusion	27/06/2018
Classification & SVHC Properties	PBT (Article 57d), vPvB (Article 57e)
Information on safe handling including safe disposal if relevant	Wash hands after handling. Dispose according to WEEE <sup>ii</sup> regulations.

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**Future Communications:**

The current Candidate List of SVHCs can be found on the ECHA website [here](#).

NetApp will communicate our continuing efforts to comply with REACH as we gather and analyze data from our supply chain. In addition, NetApp will respond to changes to the SVHC list as they are published. If SVHCs are present in NetApp products or packaging, NetApp will work with its supplier base to reduce or eliminate those SVHCs from its products and packaging, where practical.

NetApp will post information on SVHCs to this website as the information becomes available.

If you have any questions regarding NetApp REACH compliance, please contact your NetApp Sales Representative.

Sincerely,



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Environmental Compliance Manager

<sup>i</sup> Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council, dated 18 December 2006, concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals.

<sup>ii</sup> Electrical and electronic equipment (EEE) is to be collected separately and to be reused, recycled, or recovered at end-of-life. Users of EEE must not dispose of end-of-life EEE as unsorted municipal waste but use the collection framework available to customers for the return, recycling and recovery of waste EEE. Customer participation is important to minimize any potential effects of EEE on the environment and human health due to the potential presence of hazardous substances in EEE. For proper collection and treatment, see the [NetApp WEEE and Battery Compliance](#) statement.