



REACH Substance of Very High Concern (SVHC) Document

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Company

TE Connectivity

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<http://www.te.com/support-center/productSupport.asp>

Substance(s)

<u>NAME</u>	<u>EC number</u>	<u>CAS number</u>
4,4'-isopropylidenediphenol (Bisphenol A) (BPA)	201-245-8	80-05-7

Concentration in the Article

Please visit
<http://www.te.com/commerce/alt/product-compliance.do>
for SVHC concentration information

Usage

BPA is added as an antioxidant in PVC insulating material (jacket) of cable assemblies. Due to its wide application, BPA could also be found as residual (below reporting threshold) in many applications, such as residual in polycarbonate (PC) and Epoxy materials, residual in flame retardant; residual in epoxy adhesive, solder mask, ink, end up in TE products such as connectors, sensors, resistors, antenna, central electric boxes, relay and switches.

Handling Instructions

BPA in TE products does not present health risks from normal handling in accordance with good industrial hygiene practices: do not consume food or drink while handling the products; wash hands after working with the products. Suggest to handle this product in a well-ventilated condition. No other special handling techniques are required when working with this product. Use the product as recommended per the applicable product specification.

Disposal Instructions

Recycle if possible and dispose of the article by following all of the applicable governmental regulations that are relevant to your geographic location.