

## Conflict Minerals

### Statement

Elektron Technology Plc. is implementing processes for its Agar Scientific, Arcoelectric, Bulgin, Carnation Designs, Digitron, Qados, Queensgate, Ophthalmic, Sheen Instruments, Titman & Wallace Instruments brands to comply with the conflict minerals reporting obligations of Section 1502 of the U.S Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform Act, which was published on 22 August 2012 by Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC). Elektron Technology Plc. is committed to be a socially responsible organisation and among other requirements, is Conflict Free. To this end we are taking measures to work with our supply chain to ensure only "DRC Conflict Free" minerals are used.

Elektron Technology Plc. does not purchase tin, tantalum, tungsten or gold directly from smelters or mines. Furthermore there are multiple supply chain layers that separate us from smelters and mines from which these minerals are sourced. Consequently, we require our suppliers to determine the sources from which these minerals are sourced and are in the process of gathering this information from our major suppliers.

Please be assured that we are focused on providing our Customers with an Elektron Technology Plc. Conflict Mineral declaration in accordance with the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development guidance. We fully understand the importance of this issue. We will continue to work with our suppliers to ensure that Elektron Technology Plc. remains a Conflict Free supplier.

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