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RoHS Compliance & Lead-Free Certification

We hereby certify that the Taiyo Yuden Products listed below are fully compliant with EU RoHS Directive 2002/95/EC and are Lead Free.

Products:

Part Name	CD-R / DVD-R / DVD+R
P/N series	VT_ / VW_

Commencing time on a delivery basis :

RoHS Compliance : First Sale Lead Free : First Sale

Taiyo Yuden's Definitions of "RoHS Compliance" and "Lead Free" :

RoHS Compliance:

For the six banned substance groups in the following table, each substance content as impurities in a product meets the "Allowable Concentration per Homogeneous Material" indicated in the table EXCEPT FOR the use of Lead(Pb) in the applications exempted by the Directive.

Banned Substance Group	Allowale Concentration per Homogeneous Material
Cadmium(Cd)	< 100 ppm
Lead(Pb)	< 1000ppm
Mercury(Hg)	< 1000ppm
Chromium VI(Cr6+)	< 1000ppm
PBBs	< 1000ppm
PBDEs	< 1000ppm

Lead Free:

Lead(Pb) content as impurities in a product, including the RoHS-exempted applications in terms of Lead(Pb), is less than 1000 ppm per homogeneous material.

Please note that those two categories, "RoHS Compliance" and "Lead Free", are NOT equal!

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