

Responsible Minerals Policy Statement

Solventum is committed to building a healthier and more sustainable future for all by ensuring the responsible sourcing of minerals used to manufacture our products. In accordance with our [Supplier Responsibility Code](#) (SRC), we prohibit any use of forced or child labor in our operations and supply chain. We expect our suppliers to comply with our SRC and all applicable laws.

Solventum takes a holistic approach to the responsible sourcing of minerals, in order to avoid sourcing minerals that contribute to armed conflict or human rights abuses in Conflict-Affected and High-Risk Areas (CAHRAs), including the Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC) and its neighboring countries. Additionally, Solventum strives to prevent harm to communities in CAHRAs by avoiding de facto embargoes of minerals sourced from those regions. If sourced ethically, the mining of minerals can contribute to communities that are dependent on mineral extraction through responsible sourcing.

We fully support the goals and objectives of Section 1502 of the Dodd-Frank Act, which requires public companies to determine the sourcing of conflict minerals used in their products and file an annual report disclosing any such use. We also adhere to the [OECD Due Diligence Guidance for Responsible Supply Chain of Minerals from Conflict-Affected and High-Risk Areas](#), [UN Guiding Principles](#) and we comply with all relevant laws and regulations in the countries where we operate.

Supplier Requirements

Solventum Suppliers are required to:

- Adopt and maintain policies and due diligence management systems consistent with the OECD Guidance to identify, prevent, mitigate, and, where applicable, remediate risks associated with minerals by using industry-standard tools.
- Cooperate with Solventum in evaluating compliance with these requirements and provide timely information on the presence of requested minerals in their products and data on the smelters and refiners in their respective supply chains using industry-standard tools and templates (CMRT, EMRT, CRT).
- Source minerals directly or indirectly from smelters and refiners that are validated to be conformant by independent third-party audit programs such as the Responsible Minerals Assurance Process (RMAP) of Responsible Minerals Initiative (RMI) or other recognized third-party audit programs.
- Extend these requirements and expectations to their entire supply chain.

Solventum will attempt to remediate any violations of the above requirements within its supply chain and expects the same from its suppliers. We may also terminate business relationships with suppliers that do not promptly take steps to comply with this policy and evidence of the same upon Solventum's request.

Questions? Refer to the [Partner & Suppliers](#) page on our website.