

WEEE & RoHS Compliance Statements

1. For **Instruments**:

- a. WEEE Compliance statement for test and measurement instruments:** All Phase Matrix instrument products currently being sold within the European Union had already been put on the EU market prior to 8/13/05 and are considered historic waste. These products include the 5XX and 2XB and series of bench top microwave counters, the 123X series of VXiBus microwave counters, the 114X series of VXiBus synthesized up converters, the 1313A VXiBus downconverter, and the 1911A VXiBus pulse generator. As historic waste, these products will not be marked with the crossed out wheelie bin icon. Depending upon individual country requirements, Phase Matrix may develop take back programs if required for these historic waste products. Regarding new products, Phase Matrix intends to mark them with the crossed out wheelie bin icon and to develop take-back programs in which products will be returned to the factory in the US after their product life is complete.
- b. RoHS Compliance statement for test and measurement instruments:** Phase Matrix, Inc. has determined that our test and measurement instrument products fall into one of two categories listed in ANNEX 1A of 2002/96/EC (WEEE Directive), namely Category 9 (Monitoring and control instruments) that currently are not within the scope of 2002/95/EC (RoHS Directive), per Article 2 of that document. As a result, our current (and some future) products will not be RoHS compliant and will not need to be until such future time as Category 9 products come within the Scope of RoHS. In our development of new products, however, we will be designing with RoHS compliance in mind.

2. For **Components**:

- a. WEEE Compliance statement for microwave components:** Virtually all of our microwave components products are incorporated into our customers' products. Therefore, Phase Matrix itself does not anticipate developing take-back, or other end-user direct-recycling programs for these products.
- b. RoHS Compliance statement for microwave components:** Virtually all of our microwave components products are incorporated into our customers' products. We seek to accommodate our individual customers' requests regarding RoHS compliance or, in some cases, non-compliance. For instance, we have been asked by a commercial customer to provide "5/6 RoHS" (all but lead-free) compliance on one job. Other aerospace/defense customers have requested that we specifically **do not** supply them with RoHS-compliant products. Therefore, our policy is to work with each customer to accommodate that customer's individual requirements regarding RoHS.