



## Conflict Minerals

Procuring gold (Au), tantalum (Ta), tungsten (W), cobalt (Co), and tin (Sn) from ores originating from the Democratic Republic of Congo or adjoining countries ("DRC region") is now subject to the Dodd-Frank Act. On August 22, 2012, the SEC voted in favor (3-2) of a final conflict minerals regulation. These metals are commonly referred to as "conflict minerals".

Altera plans to comply with recently released SEC rules relating to disclosure of conflict mineral usage. Altera is requiring its suppliers to make commercially reasonable efforts to ensure that metals derived from the DRC region are properly disclosed to Altera. Altera is performing due diligence and is actively working on determining a reasonable country of origin inquiry. The information gathered to date is tabulated in the EICC/GeSI format in accordance with the Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD). You can download a copy of the EICC/GeSI form by logging into [myAltera](#).

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