

REACH Position Statement









EU REACH Position Statement

The Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 is a European Union chemicals regulation that entered into force on 1 June 2007.

Substances in Articles

The European Chemical Agency (ECHA) maintains a list of candidate substances of very high concern (SVHCs) for authorization. The latest version of the ECHA Candidate List of SVHCs can be found here.

Article 33 of REACH requires information to be communicated down the supply chain on any Candidate List SVHC contained within articles at a level exceeding 0.1%w/w.

FCST products are very complex objects assembled from components which are both articles and complex objects made from articles. FCST product components contain the following Candidate List SVHCs:

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2.1 Screening of 241 Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) published by European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) based on regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH).
Test method: Digested with acid, the elements are analyzed by ICP-OES and UV-VIS.
Organic solvent extraction, GC-MS, LC-MS, HPLC-DAD, GC-ECD analysis

	Result		
Test Item	Sample 002+003+004+005+006+ 007+012+013+014	Sample 008+009+020+021+029+ 036	Sample 010+022+023+030+037
Screening of 241 Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC)	< 0.01%	< 0.01%	< 0.01%

Result		ult
Test Item	Sample 015+016+017+018+019+ 024+025+026+027	Sample 028+031+032+033+034+ 035
Screening of 241 Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC)	< 0.01%	< 0.01%

	Result	
Test Item	Sample 001	Sample 011
2-(2H-benzotriazol-2-		
yl)-4-(1,1,3,3-		
tetramethylbutyl)phen	0.07%	0.06%
ol (UV-329)		
(CAS No.: 3147-75-9)		
Other Substances of		
Very High Concern	< 0.1%	< 0.1%
(SVHC)		

Note:

- Refer to 2.1A for the list of 241 Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC)
- "<" denotes less than