

TECHNICAL BULLETIN

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Removing the CE marking

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■Relevant Models

MELSEC-AnS series

Thank you for your continued support of Mitsubishi Electric programmable controllers.

In June 2015, the EU commission published a new Directive ((EU) 2015/863) amending EU RoHS 2 Directive (2011/65/EU) by adding 4 phthalates to the list of restricted substances. Accordingly the CE marking is to be removed from Mitsubishi Electric programmable controllers containing these phthalates, MELSEC-AnS series.

There is no impact on the general specifications, performance specifications, functions, and external dimensions of products due to the change.

1 Reason for the CE marking removal

To date, MELSEC series products of Mitsubishi Electric programmable controllers must be compliant with the EMC Directive (2014/30/EU) and the Low Voltage Directive (2006/95/EC), both of which are the EU directives, to have the CE marking on them. On July 22, 2017, however, compliance with the RoHS Directive (2011/65/EU) also became mandatory. The products listed in "2 Relevant models" will not be compliant with the RoHS Directive (2011/65/EU) by adding 4 phthalates to the list of restricted substances on July 22, 2021, and the design change of these products for the compliance is also difficult. Accordingly, the CE marking is to be removed from these models.

Application start date	Number of restricted substances	Target category
July 22, 2017	6	All categories
July 22, 2019	10	Other than Category 8 and 9 ^{*1}
July 22, 2021	10	All categories

^{*1} Our products are included in the Category 9.

Category 8: Medical devices, in-vitro diagnostic medical devices

Category 9: Monitoring and control instruments, industrial monitoring and control instruments

2 Relevant models

The CE marking is to be removed from the models listed below.

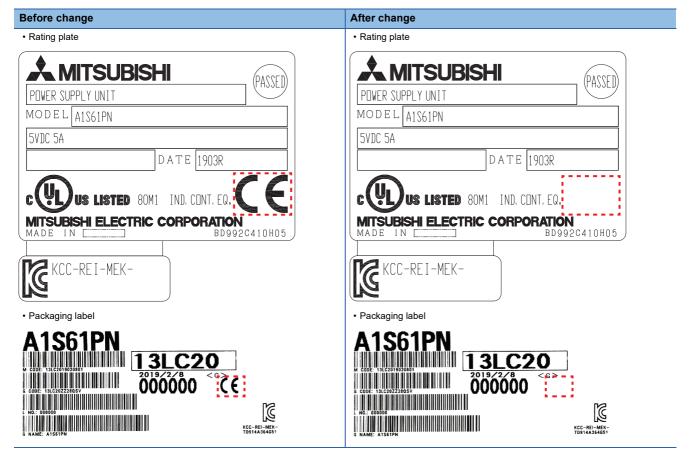
Product name	Model
Power supply module	A1S61PN
	A1S63P
Battery	A10BAT
A8BAT connection cable	AC08BAT
MELSECNET/10 network module	A1SJ71BR11
	A1SJ71LP21
	A1SJ71QBR11
	A1SJ71QLP21
CC-Link module	A1SJ61BT11
	A1SJ61QBT11
A-A1S module conversion adapter	A1ADP-SP
	A1ADP-XY

3 Details on the change

The CE marking is to be removed from rating plates and packaging labels.



For the A1S61PN



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4 Changeover period

The changes will take place one by one for each model manufactured on and after March 2019.

5 Precautions

On and after July 22, 2021, bringing the products listed in "2 Relevant models" in European countries is prohibited because they are not compliant with the RoHS Directive.

Doing so is permitted only for repair and maintenance purpose, though. In such a case, write down "Repair Parts for Programmable Controller" as product name when filling in the INVOICE to indicate that you will bring the product(s) in for repair and maintenance purpose.

REVISIONS

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