

Novatel Wireless' Conflict Minerals Policy

Novatel Wireless wants to make sure that our supply chain does not contribute to human rights violations in any country and we expect our suppliers, wherever they operate, to meet standards for socially and environmentally responsible operations.

The Democratic Republic of Congo and neighboring countries are the source of many of the minerals necessary to produce consumer electronics, such as tin, tantalum, tungsten and gold (3TGs).

These valuable raw materials have contributed to the tragic ongoing conflict in the countries Eastern region.

It is Novatel Wireless goal to use DRC Conflict Free¹ minerals in our products but at the same time support the DRC and neighboring countries responsible sourcing. We want to ensure that our suppliers are taking the necessary measures to verify that their supply chain at every level is free of conflict minerals by driving accountability, 3TGs traceability and responsible sourcing.

¹ The term DRC conflict free means that a product does not contain conflict minerals necessary to the functionality or production of that product that directly or indirectly finance or benefit armed groups