

Japan Radio Law: Specified Radio Equipment※1

Specified Radio Equipment (SRE) are stipulated in Article 38-2-2 of the Radio Law. SRE must obtain Type Certification or Batch Certification through a Registered Certification Body (RCB) which has been designated by the Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications (MIC).



Testing laboratory requirements are loosely specified by MIC, but test report acceptance may be determined by RCBs on a case-by-case basis. Historically, MIC's approval system has relied on trust between testing organizations. However, over the past few years, market surveillance has revealed that a large number of non-compliant SRE have entered the Japanese market.

As a countermeasure, MIC has announced plans to require the submission and public release of all test data for certified SRE from 2018.

Key Market Access Information

Regulator	MIC	Scheme Type	Mandatory
Test Report	RCB preferred※2	Local Representative	Not needed
Application Materials	See JQA's "Guide to Japan Radio Law Certification Applications"	In-scope Products	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bluetooth • WiFi • LTE • GSM • ZigBee • Wireless mics • RFID (2.4 GHz, 920 MHz) • Telemeters • Pagers • UWB radio systems • Etc...
Module Certification	Yes	Validity	Unlimited
Market Surveillance	Yes	Factory Inspection	ISO 9001 or equivalent

※1 Information on this sheet is for reference purposes only and subject to change.

※2 Other test reports may be accepted on a case-by-case basis. Inquire for details.

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