



## Conflict Minerals and our Supply Chain

Here at Clad Metal Specialties, we are aware of the concerns that surround our country regarding the regulation of minerals such as tin, tantalum, tungsten, and gold, being mined in areas of unstable political conflict.

These conflict minerals, also known as (3TG) can be used to fund atrocities such as arms for groups, forced labor, slavery and human trafficking. They can also be used to support corruption and money laundering.

These minerals can be used in everyday products such as jewelry, mobile phones and cars, and the average consumer would not know where it originated from.

CMS will never knowingly use conflict materials and will continue to flow down every directive for DFARs Compliant and DRC Conflict Free metals on every purchase order, and as currently stated on the CMRT Rev 6.3 reports.

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