

Filtering on Wires Cable Ferrites, Usage & Comparison



Alex Snijder
Field Application Engineer
Wurth Elektronik Nederland B.V.

Agenda

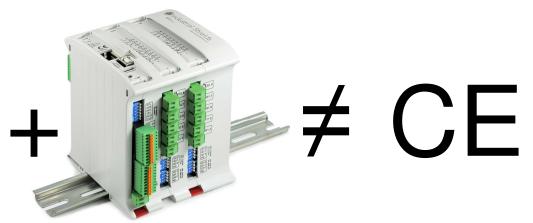




- <u>E</u>lectro<u>m</u>agnetic <u>C</u>ompatibility (EMC)
- Application of Cable Ferrites
- Impedance of a Ferrite
- Different Core materials
- Behaviour of a ferrite

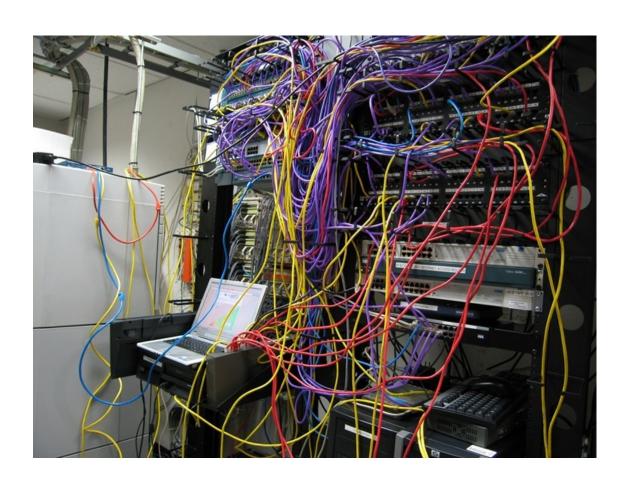






CE + CE ≠ CE









Standard: IEC 61000-1-1 (International Standard)

Definition:

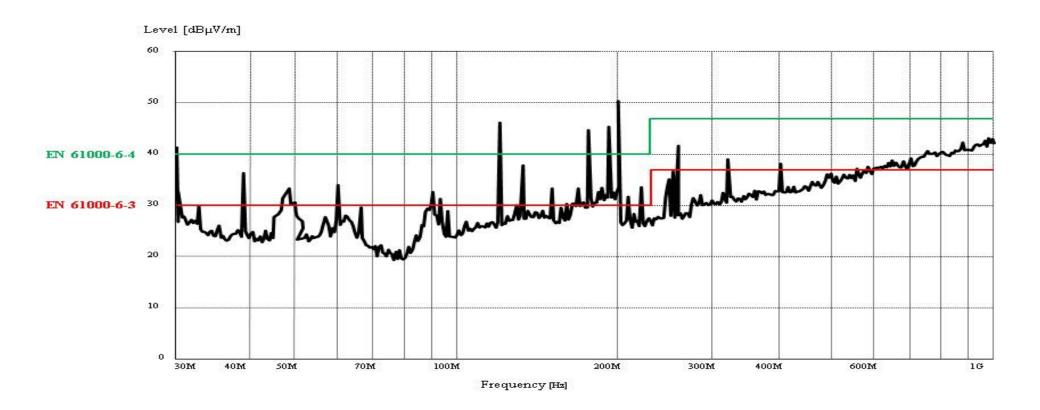
 Ability of electronic devices and systems to operate correct without influencing other devices or being disturbed by surrounding noises

Conclusion:

All devices have to follow the defined limits of EMC



- EN61000-6-4 industry standard
- EN61000-6-3 consumer area



Application of Cable Ferrites



Usage for:

- Interference suppression
- Conductive and radiated emissions
- Common and differential mode noise





Benefits:

- Fast solution to ensure delivery
- No redesign of the printed circuit needed
- No influence to the data signal

Application Areas:

Computer, Industry, Consumer products, Telecommunication...

Conclusion:

Cable ferrites are used to eliminate EMI-Problems!

Kinds of Interferences



Origin of an Interference:

Change of Voltage and Current in the disturbing source

Conductive Interferences:

- Standard definition: Test at EMC Lab from 150kHz 30MHz
- For Differential Mode disturbances



Radiated Interferences:

- Standard definition: Test at EMC Lab from 30MHz 2GHz
- For Common Mode disturbances



Conclusion:

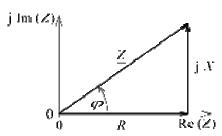
Depending on the frequency we have different kind of interferences

Impedance of a Ferrite

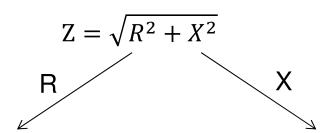


General Information

- Impedance is also called AC resistance and is a complex function over frequency
- The Modulus of complex impedance is $Z = \sqrt{R^2 + X^2}$
 - It is the complex addition of resistance and reactance



Dependent Factors



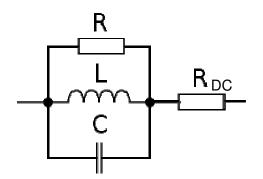
Resistance

- Ferrite Core
- Cable
- Measuring Instrument

Reactance

- Inductive Losses
- Capacitive Losses

Equivalent Circuit of a cable ferrite

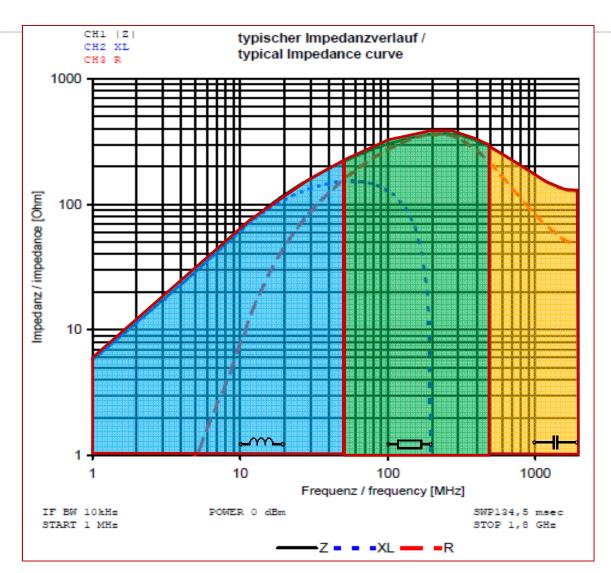


Impedance Curve



- Resistance
 - Absorbes disturbance energie
- Inductive Reactance
 - Stores energy (for a short time)
- Capacitance
 - AC passes, DC is blocked

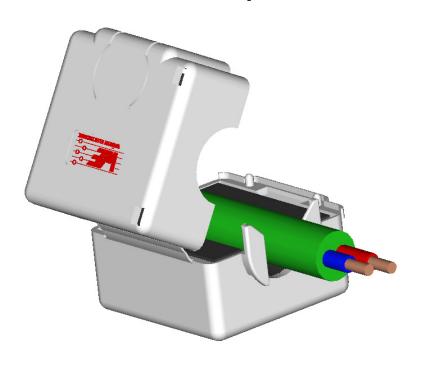
- SRF
 - XL=XC



Cable Ferrite functioning



A Cable Ferrite is comparable to a common mode choke with bifilar winding





- Both are absorbing common mode interferences
- For detecting differential mode interferences you can put the cable ferrite over one wire

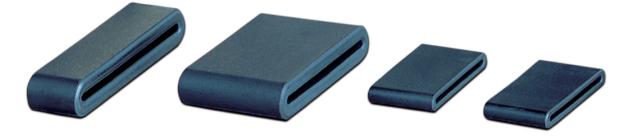
Trilo: Il Components Page 186

Solid Cores



- Planned EMI Suppression
- Smaller Dimensions
- Cost effective











WE-TOF

Snap Ferrites (STAR-Series)



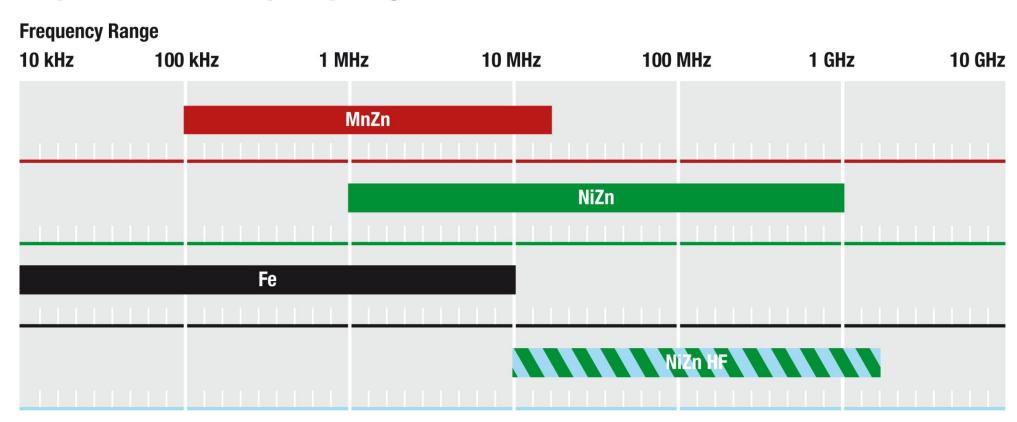
- Subsequent EMI Suppression
- Key Technology
 - Patented
 - Inner security lock
 - No unauthorized removing
- Fixation of the cable
- Cable Clamping Protection



Different Core materials



Step 1: Check the frequency range



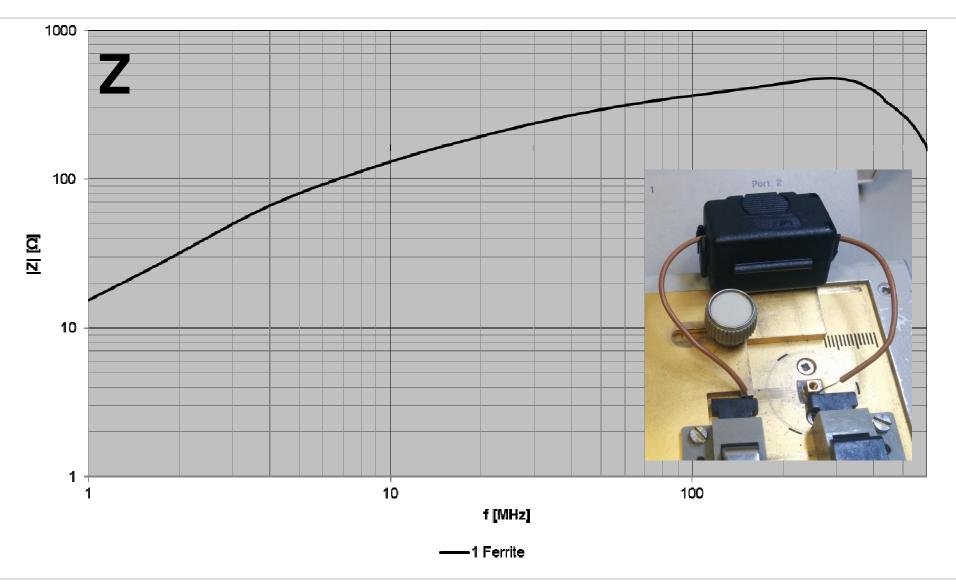


Behaviour of a ferrite (NiZn (74271733) and MnZn (74272733))

- 1 Ferrite on Cable
- 2 Ferrites in row
- 2 turns on 1 Ferrite

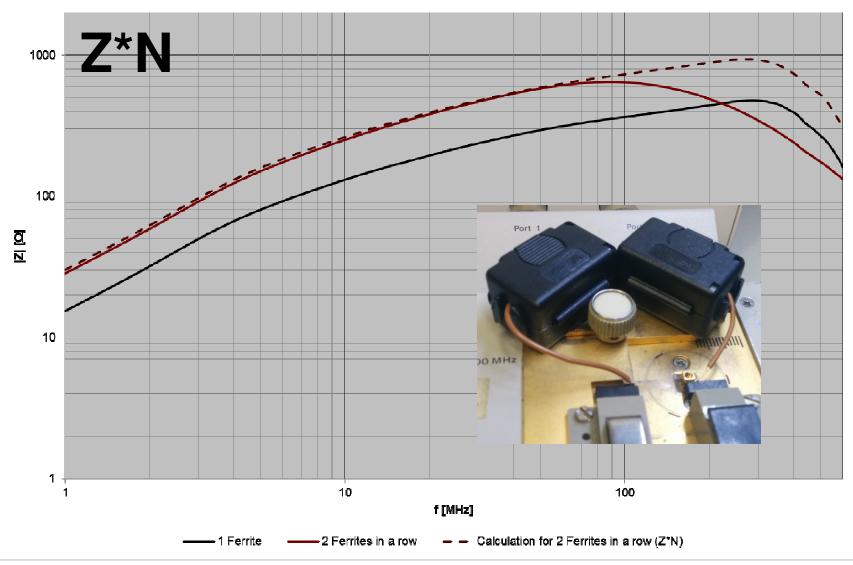
NiZn Ferrite 74271733 – 1 Ferrite





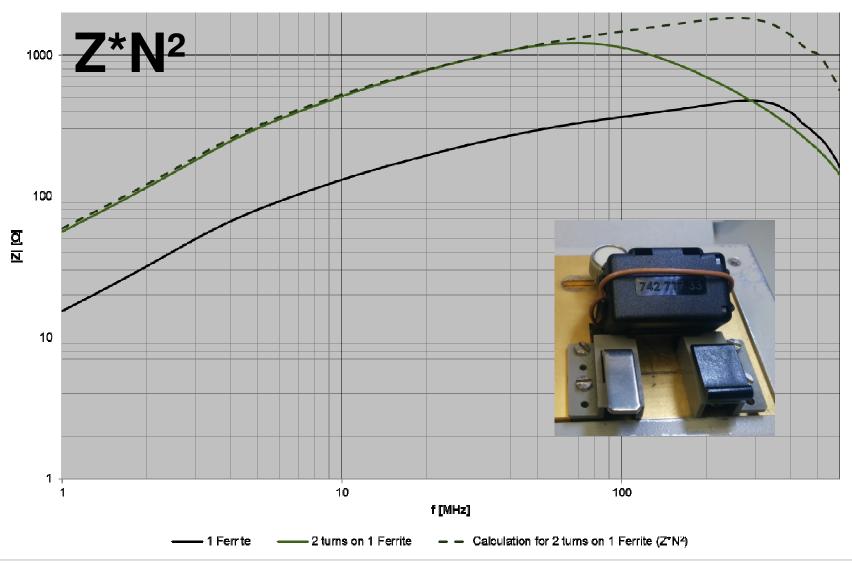
NiZn Ferrite 74271733 – 2 Ferrites in a row





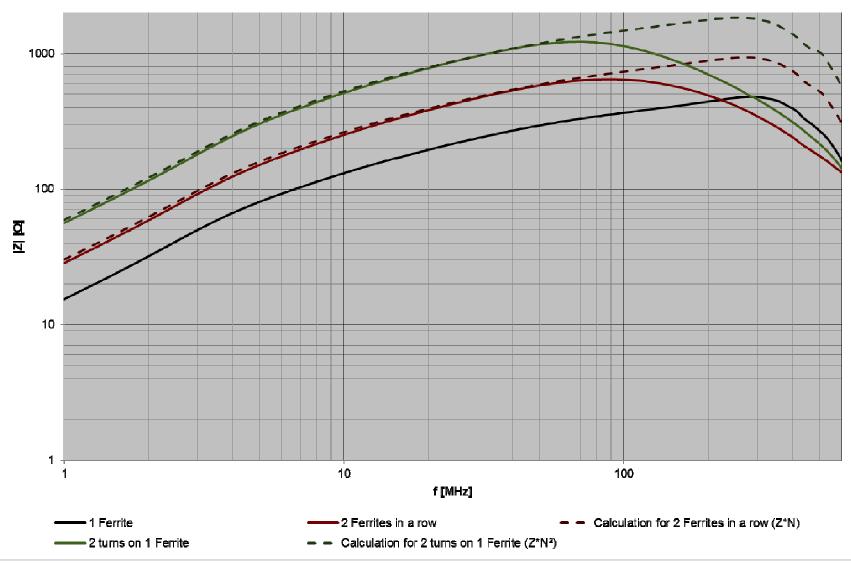
NiZn Ferrite 74271733 – 2 turns on 1 Ferrite





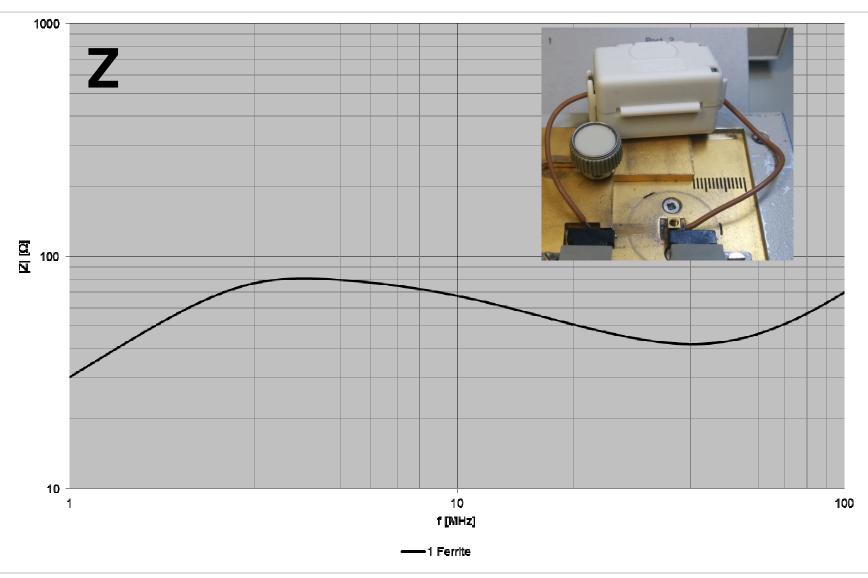
Measurement of NiZn Ferrite – overview





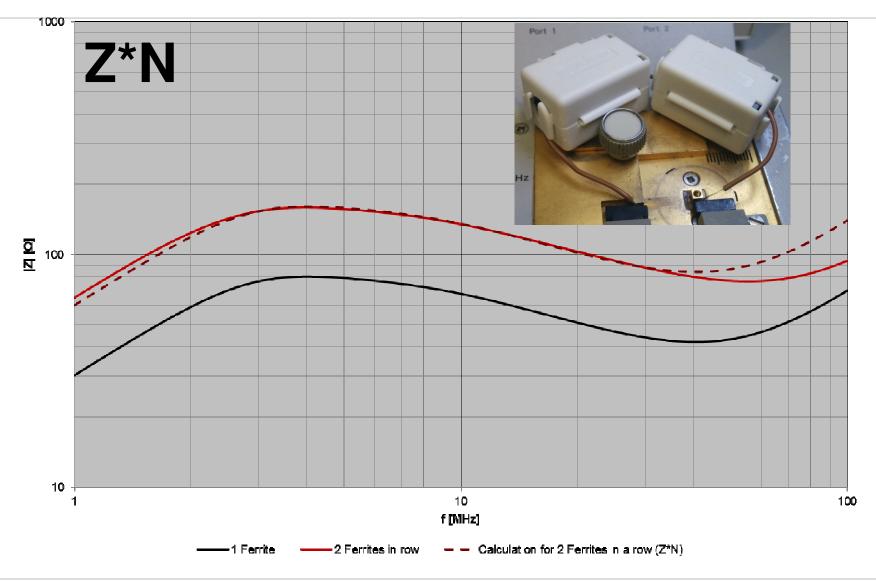
MnZn Ferrite 74272733 – 1 Ferrite





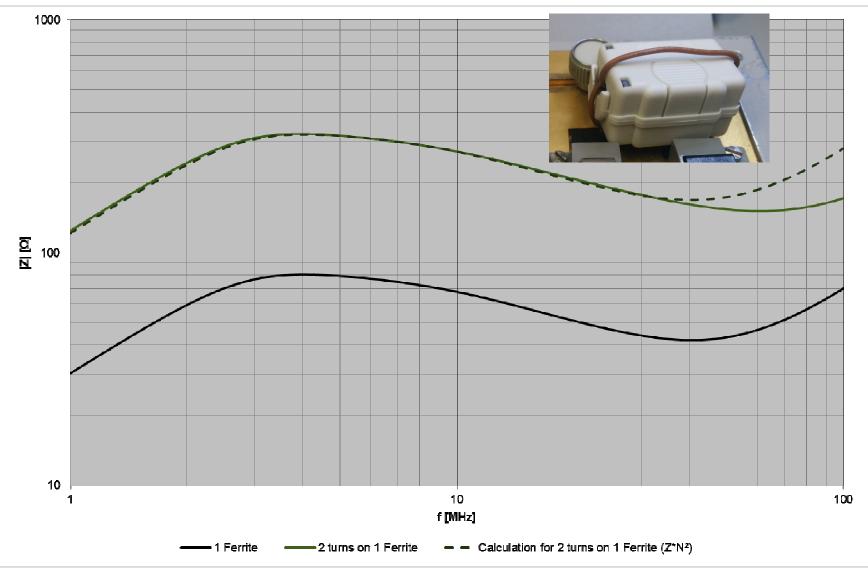
MnZn Ferrite 74272733 – 2 Ferrites in row





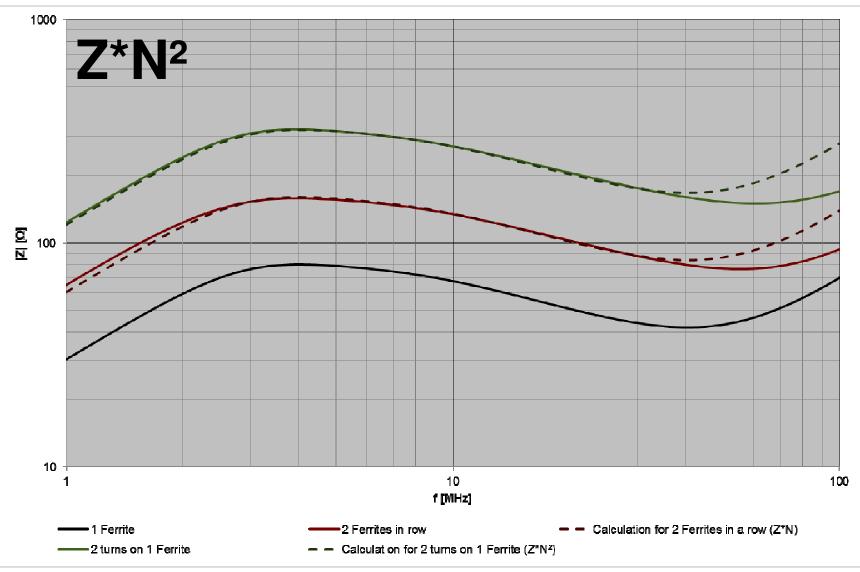
MnZn Ferrite 74272733 – 1 Ferrite 2 turns





MnZn Ferrite 74272733 – Comparison





Summarize



- CE certified equipment combined can't be considered as an new CE certified machine
- Ferrites can solve issues in both lower frequencies (MnZn) and high frequencies (NiZn)
- Ferrites will also increase immunity of the application
- Adding more turns and/or ferrites on a cable has a complex result

Trilogy of Magnetics



- Now published as 4th edition
- •Three sections:

Magnetic basics

Components

Application notes
Filtering
DC/DC PSU design



Toolbox for engineers & purchasers





Software

- > Magnetic Builder
- > WEBENCH® Designer
- > Component Selector
- > LTspice Simulator



Search Tools

- > Application Guide
- > Product Finder One Click Selection Guide
- > RF Product Finder
- > Product Matrix
- > Product & Application Overview Passive Components
- > Product & Application Overview Electromechanical Components
- > Crossreference
- > IC Reference Designs
- > Search Engine for Passive Components
- > Search Engine for Electromechanical Components



Libraries

- > Eagle library for Passive & Electromechnanical Components
- > Altium Designer
- > S-Parameter
- > 3D Files for Passive Components (.igs .stp .wrl)
- > 3D Files for Connectors & Switches (.igs .stp .wrl)
- > LTspice library of WE components



e-learning

- > Product Training
- > Application Notes



Lab rack & Design kits





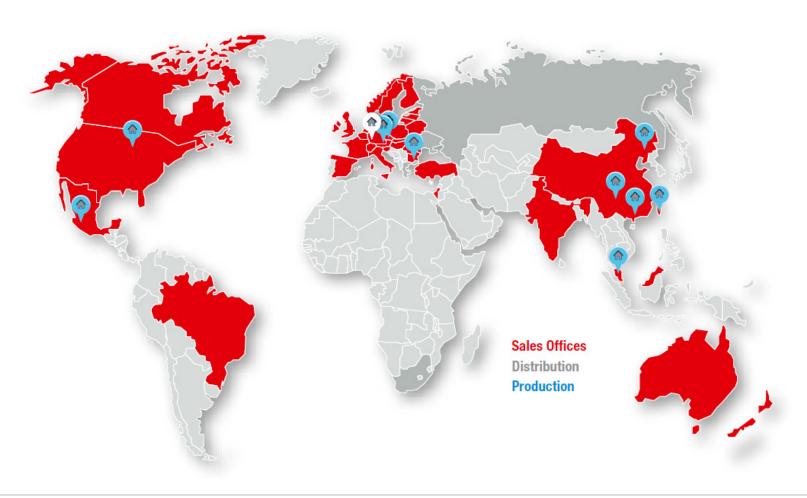




Globally available. Locally present.



Würth Elektronik is present with production plants and a worldwide technical sales force in all important markets of the world.





THANK YOU



Any Questions?