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Japan Earthquake Supply Chain Integrity

FTDI would like to offer their deepest condolences to the people of Japan following the tragic earthquake and ensuing tsunami that struck northern Japan on March 11th.

In line with all global suppliers, we have been closely monitoring the recent events in Japan and continue to evaluate any potential effect on our business, and the indirect effect on our customers. At this time, we can advise that we have not experienced any disruptions to our supply chain, and as such we are not seeing any short term adverse implications for our customers resulting from the disaster.

Although, FTDI does not utilise any manufacturing sites in Japan, we do rely on manufacturers who may, like many semiconductor companies, source raw materials from Japan. Initial responses from these manufacturers; indicate that due to a diversified material supply chain, they do not expect any short term disruptions to the supply chain, and as such manufacturing of FTDI products should be unaffected.

FTDI will however, continue to dialogue and monitor with our supply base to ensure that any disruptions are minimised and wherever possible eliminated.

We are committed to communicate promptly with our global customers in the event that we see any material impact going forward.

Should any further clarifications be required, please do not hesitate to contact me at [graeme.cook\(at\)ftdichip.com](mailto:graeme.cook(at)ftdichip.com)

Kind regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Graeme J Cook".

Graeme J Cook
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