

REACHMate Supply Chain Communication

THE CGI WAY

CGI is a full-service IT and managed services provider with focused industry expertise and innovative service models that help clients achieve their business goals.

From optimizing operations and enhancing performance to improving customer service and increasing competitive advantage, leading organizations count on CGI to transform their business processes and apply emerging technologies.

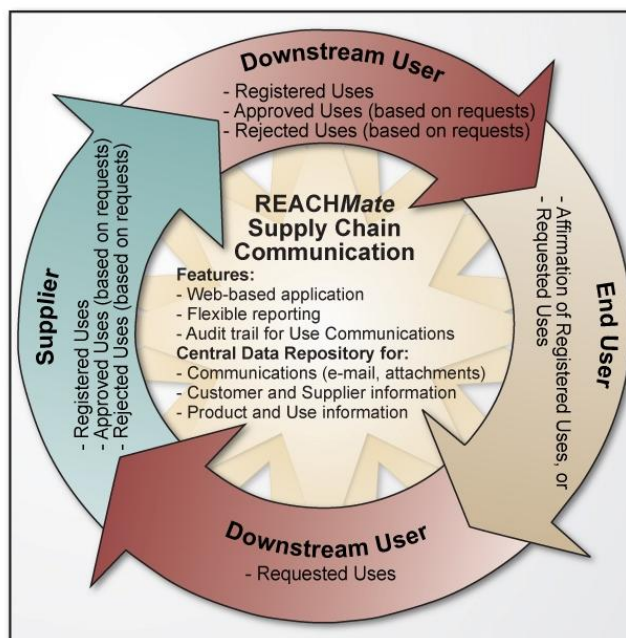
With deep expertise in both environmental health and safety and IT, CGI can help you define strategies and evaluate, design, develop and implement systems and processes for best achieving REACH compliance.

We use a flexible, tailored approach to delivering REACH consulting services and IT solutions, structured to meet each client's unique business goals and needs. To each client relationship we bring a commitment to quality and accountability.

COMPREHENSIVELY AND AUTOMATICALLY VIEW AND MANAGE YOUR REACH DATA ONLINE AT EACH POINT ALONG THE SUPPLY CHAIN

REACH* requires you to manage more information than ever about the chemicals your business produces and handles and their safe use. Recognizing your need to effectively communicate information mandated by REACH to your customers and suppliers, as well as manage data received from both, CGI developed the **REACHMate Supply Chain Communication (SCC)** solution.

SCC enables you to comprehensively and automatically view and manage REACH data online at each point along the supply chain. It streamlines, for example, how you track and communicate registered uses for your products in accordance with the downstream user requirements in Article 37 of REACH. Combining a simple and customizable user interface with a robust rules-based communication engine, SCC allows you to efficiently receive and manage information regulated by REACH and rapidly share relevant data with both downstream (customers) and upstream (suppliers) users.



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REACH, a European Union regulation on the use of chemicals, is considered the most far-reaching legislation of its kind in the world. The law deals with the **Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemical substances. REACH took effect on June 1, 2007, and requires the registration of some 30,000 chemicals in use today. The law transfers responsibility for the generation of safety data on chemical substances from regulatory authorities to industry.*

The Challenge Will Not Go Away

Managing communications up and down the supply chain under REACH is a key challenge. Communicating required information to customers and suppliers and managing information received can be overwhelming, costly and time-consuming.

Supply chain communication will remain a challenge through all of the implementation phases of REACH. Organizations will likely see a spike in communication activities with each new registration deadline, as downstream users receive eSDS documents with newly defined exposure scenarios.

CGI's SCC offering alleviates the pain and cost of supply chain communication under REACH, ensuring your full compliance with the law.

CGI's REACHMate SCC Advantages

SCC delivers the following advantages to your business:

- **Proactive customer service:** SCC enables you to provide superior customer support through the proactive and rapid delivery of registered use and chemical safety information to customers. Rapid response to customer information requests not only ensures your compliance with the law but promotes customer retention.
- **Compliance:** SCC streamlines REACH data collection and communication using an automated rules-based communication engine to capture and deliver data. Comprehensive reporting allows organizations to identify trends and check the status of REACH requests, while efficiently managing and sharing data required for compliance.
- **Competitive advantage:** SCC not only enables you to receive and manage REACH information requests, but also to analyze the requests based on a cross-customer and cross-product view in order to make better business decisions and speed up time to market.

COMPANY PROFILE

Key statistics

- Founded in 1976
- Approximately 26,000 professionals
- More than 100 offices serving clients in 16 countries
- One of the largest independent IT and business process services companies
- NYSE: GIB — TSX: GIB.A

End-to-end services

- Consulting
- Systems integration
- Management of IT and business functions
- 100+ proprietary business solutions

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