



PRESS RELEASE

Excelitas Technologies and Digi-Key Electronics Announce New Distribution Agreement

Digi-Key Expands Standard Catalogue offering to include Excelitas Optoelectronic and Photonic Sensor Technology

WALTHAM, Mass., April 21, 2016 – [Excelitas Technologies® Corp.](#) announces a new distribution agreement with [Digi-Key Electronics](#), the industry leader in electronic component selection, availability and delivery. As a global technology leader focused on delivering innovative optical and photonic solutions, Excelitas meets the lighting, detection and optical technology needs of customers worldwide. Select products from Excelitas' broad portfolio of illumination, optoelectronic and sensor/detection products are now available for online purchase at [Digi-Key's](#) global websites.

"Adding Excelitas products to our global product offering makes it easier for engineering teams to explore and purchase from a full selection of lighting and detection solutions for their designs," commented David Stein, VP, Global Semiconductor at Digi-Key. "Our customers can now find even more of the components they need for their R&D and product development projects from a single, convenient source."

Initially, Digi-Key will add a selection of more than 100 Excelitas products to their catalogue offering. This will include [Photonic Detectors](#), [Thermal Infrared Sensors](#), and a variety of [LED](#), [Xenon](#), [Flashlamp and Arc Lamp](#) illumination solutions covering the spectrum from IR to UV.

"We are excited about working with Digi-Key to make Excelitas products readily accessible for the innovators who are creating technologies across a boundless range of applications," said Excelitas Sr. VP, Danny Miller. "Digi-Key's renowned, global customer base and reach will help us market our leading-edge solutions to an expanded audience of designers and users."

For more information about Excelitas products, visit www.excelitas.com or visit the Excelitas supplier center page on <http://www.digikey.com>.

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About Excelitas Technologies

Excelitas Technologies Corp. is a global technology leader focused on delivering innovative, high-performance, market-driven photonic solutions to meet the lighting, detection and optical technology needs of global customers. From biomedical technology to research laboratory, safety and security, consumer products, semiconductor, energy and environment, industrial sensing & imaging, defense and aerospace, Excelitas Technologies is committed to enabling our customers' success in their end-markets. Excelitas Technologies acquired Qioptiq in 2013 and now has approximately 5,500 employees in North America, Europe and Asia, serving customers across the world. Connect with Excelitas on [Facebook](#), [LinkedIn](#) and [Twitter](#).

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About Digi-Key Electronics

Digi-Key Electronics, based in Thief River Falls, Minn., is a global, full-service provider of both prototype/design and production quantities of [electronic components](#), offering more than four million products from more than 650 quality name-brand manufacturers. With over one million products in stock and an impressive selection of online resources, Digi-Key is committed to stocking the broadest range of electronic components in the industry and providing the best service possible to its customers. Additional information and access to Digi-Key's broad product offering is available at www.digikey.com.

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