










April Product Clarifications




Important information for ACES, ESABC, OES and SWEEP program members







NOTIFICATIONS: All product clarification inquiries may now be sent to productinfo@eprassociation.ca. Please also note that as of July 1, 2012, ESABC will implement Phase V products. References have been made to Phase V inclusions throughout this document.




#	Product Description	Clarification	Program	Product Category	Fee
42	Network TV Streaming Device Example of Technical Specifications	 These products are excluded because they function as routers, which are not obligated under phase I and II, for streaming satellite and digital TV to computers.	ACES	Not included	
			ESABC	Home/Non-Portable A/V	\$3.50
			OES	Not included	
			SWEEP	Not included	
43	Audio Back Module Example of Technical Specifications	 These products are excluded because they are commercial quality mixing boards, which are not obligated under Phase I or II.	ACES	Not included	
			ESABC	Musical Instruments	\$3.50
			OES	Not included	
			SWEEP	Not included	
45	VoIP Home Phone Service Example of Technical Specifications	 These products are included in the non-cellular telephones and telephone answering machine category because they are a telephone system and handsets can be attached to them.	ACES	Non-cellular telephones and telephone answering machines	\$0.85
			ESABC	Non-cellular telephones and telephone answering machines	\$0.85
			OES	Non-cellular telephones and telephone answering machines	\$1.00
			SWEEP	Non-cellular telephones and telephone answering machines	\$0.85

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47	Video Management System Example of Technical Specifications	 These products are included under the Home/Non-Portable A/V because they record and playback video and are intended for home and/or professional use.	ACES	Home/Non-Portable A/V	\$3.50
			ESABC	Home/Non-Portable A/V	\$3.50
			OES	Home/Non-Portable A/V	\$1.45
			SWEEP	Home/Non-Portable A/V	\$3.50
48	19" and 22" Desktop Touch Screen All-in-One Computer Example of Technical Specifications	 These products are included in the Display Device category for all of the programs.	ACES	Display Device	\$11.50
			ESABC	Display Device	\$9.00
			OES	Display Device	\$11.00
			SWEEP	Display Device <i>(note: SWEEP will notify members of this change directly and will provide a 90 day transition period)</i>	\$9.25
50	Network Camera Example of Technical Specifications	 These products are included in the home/non-portable audio video category because cameras are an obligated product and these cameras are non-portable.	ACES	Home/Non-Portable A/V	\$3.50
			ESABC	Home/Non-Portable A/V	\$3.50
			OES	Home/Non-Portable A/V	\$1.45
			SWEEP	Home/Non-Portable A/V	\$3.50

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51	Portable microphone and Amplifier Bundle	 This product is intended for consumer portable use. It is an amplifier and microphone kit, which are packaged under a single SKU. These products both use batteries, and are therefore considered portable devices. Amplifiers are obligated under all of the regulations and microphones are obligated for all of the programs, except OES. For the audio/video categories, multiple products supplied in a single OEM package and sold under a single SKU are subject to one EHF.	ACES	Personal/Portable A/V	\$0.40
			ESABC	Personal/Portable A/V	\$0.40
			OES	Personal/Portable A/V (note: microphones are not obligated for OES program)	\$0.10
			SWEEP	Personal/Portable A/V	\$0.40
55	Handheld Barcode Scanner Example of Technical Specifications Example of Technical Specifications Example of Technical Specifications	 Barcode scanners are included in the OES and BC program.	ACES	Not included	
			ESABC	Personal/portable A/V	\$0.40
			OES	Personal/portable A/V	\$0.10
			SWEEP	Not included	
56	Signage Player Example of Technical Specifications Example of Technical Specifications	 This product is excluded from the programs because it is not intended to be used as a desktop computer or as a home audio video device.	ACES	Not included	
			ESABC	Home A/V	\$3.50
			OES	Not included	
			SWEEP	Not included	

#	Product Description		Clarification	Program	Product Category	Fee
60	Bluetooth Audio and Radio Adapter Example of Technical Specifications		This product is excluded from the programs because its functions are similar to those of a router, which is not an obligated product. This device streams audio from audio devices to speaker systems.	ACES	Not included	
				ESABC	Personal/portable A/V	\$0.40
				OES	Not included	
				SWEEP	Not included	
61	Speaker Chair		This product is excluded from the programs because the speakers are embedded in a non-obligated product.	ACES	Not included	
				ESABC	Not included	
				OES	Not included	
				SWEEP	Not included	
63	Tablet/Smart Phone Hybrid Example of Technical Specifications		This product is excluded from ACES, ESABC and SWEEP because the primary function is voice communications. The Canadian Wireless Telecommunications Association is responsible for collecting cellular devices in British Columbia, Manitoba, Nova Scotia, PEI, and Saskatchewan. In Ontario, OES is responsible for collecting cellular devices, and therefore it is included in OES.	ACES	Not included	
				ESABC	Not included	
				OES	Cellular Devices and Pagers	\$0.01
				SWEEP	Not included	

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64	Cell Phone Signal Booster Example of Technical Specifications	 This product is excluded from the programs because it is a cell phone accessory. The product captures the stronger cell phone signal from the outside wireless network and amplifies the signal inside, in order to improve wireless coverage.	ACES	Not included	
			ESABC	Not included	
			OES	Not included	
			SWEEP	Not included	
66	Vehicle Overhead Monitor Example of Technical Specifications Vehicle Rear Vision Camera Example of Technical Specification Vehicle Headrest Monitor Example of Technical Specifications	   These products are included if they are installed within a vehicle aftermarket. If the product has been OEM factory-installed, it should be excluded.	ACES	Vehicle A/V	\$2.75
			ESABC	Vehicle A/V	\$2.75
			OES	Image, Audio and Video Devices – Aftermarket vehicle	\$1.55
			SWEEP	Vehicle A/V	\$2.75
67	Security Light Camera Example of Technical Specifications	 This product is excluded because its primary function is as a light, and is therefore embedded in a non-obligated product.	ACES	Not included	
			ESABC	Not included	
			OES	Not included	
			SWEEP	Not included	
68	Digital Visualizer Example of Technical Specifications	 This product is included in the personal/portable A/V category because its primary function is as a digital camera.	ACES	Personal/Portable A/V	\$0.40
			ESABC	Personal/Portable A/V	\$0.40
			OES	Personal/Portable A/V	\$0.10
			SWEEP	Personal/Portable A/V	\$0.40

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69	Pen Camera Example of Technical Specifications		This product is excluded because the camera is embedded in a non-obligated product.	ACES	Not included	
				ESABC	Not included	
				OES	Not included	
				SWEEP	Not included	
70	Desktop Cheque Scanner Example of Technical Specifications		Obligated for all programs except SWEEP.	ACES	Desktop Printers/Scanners	\$6.50
				ESABC	Desktop Printers/Scanners	\$6.50
				OES	Desktop Printers/Scanners	\$5.40
				SWEEP	Not included	
73	Accessory headphones sold separately from monitor Example of Technical Specifications		Additional accessory headphones that are not supplied under the same SKU as an audio/visual device that they are intended to operate with are charged a separate fee.	ACES	Charge fee for additional headphones	
				ESABC	Charge fee for additional headphones	
				OES	Head phones not obligated	
				SWEEP	Charge fee for additional headphones	

Follow-up on February Clarifications

#	Product Description		Clarification	Program	Product Category	Fee
58	Dual Monitors <i>(Note: The technical specifications previously provided for this clarification were not for an obligated product. They visually represented a multiple display device.)</i>		A single fee is charged for a single device that can display multiple screens.	ACES	Display Device	<i>TBD based on screen size</i>
				ESABC	Display Device	
				OES	Display Device	
				SWEEP	Display Device	