Job Description



Job Title: Commodity Specialist – Electronic Components

Reporting to: Group Sales Director
Location: Head Office, York

Term: Full time, Permanent Experience Required: Electronic Components

Salary: £35-40k + competitive OTE

Company

As part of the global Cyclops Group, the Excess Division specialises in acquiring surplus electronic components and marketing its own in-house inventory to a worldwide customer base.

Supported by a worldwide network of suppliers and customers, as well as strategically located warehouse facilities. We provide seamless access to the global components market, along with regional support and warehousing solutions.

The position

We are seeking a Commodity Specialist/Team Leader to oversee the daily operations of our successful excess stock management division, Cyclops XS.

In this role, you will lead a team of three and take ownership of the end-to-end operational performance of both the procurement and sales functions, serving a customer base spanning multiple countries.

Your responsibilities will include managing supplier relationships, driving negotiations, and ensuring the smooth supply and sale of surplus electronic components.

Our core services include:

- Procurement of excess inventory
- Strategic supplier negotiations
- Global supply chain coordination
- Sales of surplus electronic components

This is an excellent opportunity for someone with strong leadership skills, operational experience, and a commercial mindset to make a meaningful impact in a growing international business.

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Reporting to the Group Sales Director, the role has both an operations and commercial focus. This role is a great opportunity for a driven, commercially minded person looking for an autonomous role to join a successful family-owned and family-run business at the start of an ambitious growth plan.

Overall responsibilities:

- Day-to-day leadership and development of the XS team
- Identify new business opportunities and market trends in the excess electronic components industry to drive revenue growth
- Manage pricing, taking into consideration our in-house pricing workflow
- Proactively build and manage relationships with existing customers
- Work collaboratively with the sales team to increase sales of excess stock
- Manage the processing of orders, ensure timely deliveries, and provide logistical support to the excess purchasing department
- Manage customer information on in-house CRM
- Monitor, measure and report on customer performance
- Monitor, measure and report on internal performance metrics
- Manage opportunities and time to achieve monthly, quarterly and annual targets
- Work collaboratively with our in-house marketing team to promote our services to customers
- Follow up on customer service inquiries, including QC/RMA processing, to address customer needs and maintain satisfaction
- Work with the Sales Account Manager to ensure RFQs are returned accurately and punctually

Personal Attributes

- Able to both work autonomously and also follow clear directions
- Ambitious and driven to exceed expectations
- Able to work successfully in a fast-paced environment
- Strong numeracy skills
- Able to communicate clearly and competently both internally and externally

Remuneration

- Healthcare cash plan (up to £2,000 per year, including dental and eye care)
- Additional division bonus scheme

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- Company Pension Scheme
- WFH (1 days a week) and Flexi Working options
- 37.75 hours per week
- 28 days annual leave rising to 33 with service (including bank holidays)
- Free on-site parking
- Career progression opportunities
- Long term prospect with a strong company