

TAKE-BACK OF ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT AND BATTERIES AT THE END OF LIFE

We are proud of our environmental-friendly behaviour and we present to you the possibilities how you can hand over your electrical equipment/batteries at the end of life easily and free of charge.

Consumers play a substantial role in the electrical equipment and batteries treatment system. It is the consumers who decide what to do with the appliance/battery at the end of life. Obsolete and unnecessary electrical equipment and batteries do not belong to the mixed communal waste but they shall be handed over at the collection sites, so-called take-back points from which they can be further dispatched for re-use or recycling.

The consumer shall be informed by means of the below-stated symbols that the respective electrical equipment/battery do not belong to the mixed communal waste. All the new electrical equipment and batteries are marked with the symbol that can be placed directly on the equipment, its packaging, in the user's manual or in the warranty certificate.



Symbol 1 Symbol 2

HOW TO GET RID OF AN OBSOLETE APPLIANCE OR BATTERIES?

- using the publicly available collection network of the REMA companies designed for take-back, please refer to <https://www.rema.cloud/sberna-mista>
- using the publicly available collection network designed for take-back, please refer to <https://isoh.mzp.cz/registrmistelektro>
- you can place an order and get a small collection container for batteries for households, so-called **FamilyBox**, that you can dispatch using the service **re:Balík** once it is full
- you can use the **re:Balík** service for quantities inferior to 10 kg
- you can use the **BUĎ LÍNÝ** (trans. „BE LAZY“) service for quantities superior to 10 kg
- you can consult the available possibilities at our toll-free **Clever recycling** line +420 800 976 679

WHY TO RECYCLE?

Not only electrical equipment but also batteries and accumulators contain various recyclable metals like zinc, iron, manganese, nickel, cadmium or plumb. At the same time, some of these compounds, especially mercury, plumb and cadmium, can be very harmful to the environment and human's health. Batteries are usually marked with symbols of the chemical element(s) contained inside the battery (Pb, Cd, Hg).

By handing over of batteries and electrical equipment at the take-back points, you can assure its material recycling and thus preserve primary raw materials and protect the environment from effects of unprofessional and potentially harmful treatment of the waste.

MOST COMMON BATTERY TYPES, MARKING, USE AND CORRECT PLACE FOR HAND-OVER:

	Běžné označení	Velikost	Příklady užití	Správné odložení
Alkaline	Alkaline, AlMn	AAA, AA, C, D, 6V, 9V	Lamps, calculators, toys, watches, smoke detectors, remote controllers	Take-back point
Button	Alkaline, lithium, mercury, silver, zinc air	Various	Watches, earpieces, toys, gratulation cards, remote controllers	Take-back point
Zinc copper	Classic, Heavy Duty, Power Cell	AAA, AA, C, D, 6V, 9V	Lamps, calculators, toys, watches, smoke detectors, remote controllers, portable radios, portal opening	Take-back point
Lithium	Lithium, Lithium Ion, Li-Ion	Various	Laptops, cell phones, digital cameras, mp3 players	Take-back point
Nickel-cadmium	Ni-Cd	Various	Cameras, hand tools, cell phones, walkie-talkies	Take-back point
Nickel-metal hydride	NiMH, Ni-Hydride	Various	Cameras, hand tools, cell phones, walkie-talkies	Take-back point
Plumb	SLA, gel	2V, 6V, 12V	UPS, wheelchairs, off-road vehicles, water scooters	Take-back point
Plumb	Car batteries	6V, 12V	Cars	Take-back point
Mercury	Mercury, Hg, HgO	Various	Watches, earpieces, toys, gratulation cards, remote controllers	Take-back point
Silver	Silver, AgO	Various	Watches, earpieces, toys, gratulation cards, remote controllers	Take-back point