

Information for battery disposal (Article 74, Regulation (EU) 2023/1542)

1. Disposal symbol on labelling

A mandatory crossed-out wheeled bin pictogram is permanently printed on the battery housing. This mark prohibits discarding the battery into domestic mixed waste.

The chemical mark “Pb” is printed next to the waste symbol to notify users that the product contains lead heavy metal.

All markings adopt wear-resistant printing ink to keep clear and readable during the whole service cycle of the lead-acid battery.

2. Additional waste management information

Hazard warning

The product contains lead electrodes and corrosive dilute sulfuric acid electrolyte. Shell rupture and acid leakage will cause soil and water pollution and may result in chemical burns.

Separate collection rule

Waste lead-acid batteries must be delivered exclusively to authorised EU battery retailers, municipal waste stations or certified recycling enterprises. Random dumping, landfill and incineration are illegal. EWC waste code: 16 06 01.

Free take-back service

End users can hand over waste batteries to designated collection points free of any disposal charge.

Recycling compliance statement

This battery is produced with at least 85% recycled lead. Certified European recyclers can recover more than 95% lead from scrapped batteries to meet EU circular economy requirements.

Acid leakage emergency treatment

If electrolyte leaks, absorb liquid with dry sand and neutralise with lime powder. Package all polluted materials as hazardous waste for professional disposal. Never flush acid into drains or natural water sources.

Waste reduction tip

Use matched chargers and avoid overcharging / deep discharge to extend battery service life and reduce waste output.