

# Battery Recycling Seal Usage Standards

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**If it's rechargeable, we recycle it!** The following standards illustrate the methods of implementation that should be applied continuously and consistently in order to achieve the highest degree of identification and recognition for the seal. These standards are to be applied when using the seal on any medium and for any purpose including battery packaging, advertising, instruction manuals/forms and all other visual media. Contact **RBRC at (678) 419-9990** for PC and MAC formatted electronic files or logo sheets suitable for scanning. Seal artwork is also available on our Licensee web site – [www.rbrc.org/licensee/support.html](http://www.rbrc.org/licensee/support.html).

## Rechargeable Battery Chemistries

**RBRC recycles the following rechargeable batteries.** We offer recycling programs for Nickel Cadmium, Nickel Metal Hydride, Lithium-Ion and Small Sealed Lead Acid. Five seal versions are offered for each battery chemistry. See the Seal Versions section for descriptions of each version. Please reference the seal numbers below when ordering artwork.



### Nickel Cadmium (PMS 389)

- A1. 800CLR
- A2. 800B&W
- A3. 800CLRko
- A4. 800B&Wko
- A5. Mfg.#CLR



### Nickel Metal Hydride (PMS 1375)

- B1. 800CLR
- B2. 800B&W
- B3. 800CLRko
- B4. 800B&Wko
- B5. Mfg.#CLR



### Lithium-Ion (PMS 312)

- C1. 800CLR
- C2. 800B&W
- C3. 800CLRko
- C4. 800B&Wko
- C5. Mfg.#CLR



### Small Sealed Lead Acid (PMS 421)

- D1. 800CLR
- D2. 800B&W
- D3. 800CLRko
- D4. 800B&Wko
- D5. Mfg.#CLR

## Seal Versions

**RBRC 800 Number** (i.e., A1, A2, A3, A4) The RBRC 800 number version of the seal contains RBRC's automated toll-free number for locating a drop-off site. This version is recommended for use by marketers and manufacturers who do not have their own recycling toll-free number.  
**Manufacturer Recycling Telephone Number** (i.e., A5) This seal version is left blank for those manufacturers who have their own toll-free recycling telephone number.



**800CLR** - This logo is for use on white or light colored backgrounds. PMS color will vary according to rechargeable battery chemistry. (A1, B1, C1, D1)



**800B&W** - This logo is for use on white or light colored backgrounds. It prints black. (A2, B2, C2, D2)



**800CLRko** - This logo is for use on black or dark colored backgrounds. It prints black with a PMS color. (A3, B3, C3, D3)



**800B&Wko** - This logo is for use on black or dark colored backgrounds. It prints black. (A4, B4, C4, D4)



**Mfg#CLR** - This logo is for use on white or light colored backgrounds. It prints black with a PMS color. (A5, B5, C5, D5)

# Battery Recycling Seal Usage Standards (continued)

## Minimum Size

The minimum reproduction size of any of the seal versions or variations is 13mm diameter (Figure C).

Figure C. 13MM DIAMETER



## Logo Field

The seal requires a field of "white space" equal to the width of its outer ring to increase the visibility of the seal (Figure D).



Figure D.

## Color

RBRC recommends usage of the color variations of the seal to enhance readability and recognition. The PMS color is to be used as the background color in the center of the seal. A four-color process build of the PMS color is permitted (Figure D).

- Nickel Cadmium - PMS 389
- Nickel Metal Hydride - PMS 1375
- Lithium Ion - PMS 312
- Small Sealed Lead Acid - PMS 421

## Incorrect Usage

The seal must be used as shown in Figures A-D. Alterations to the seal invalidate the recycling agreement and will void Environmental Protection Agency certification (Figure E-H).



Figure E: A telephone number must accompany seal.



Figure F: Seal must be used with RBRC name and chemistry.

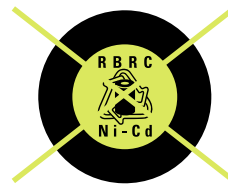


Figure G: Seal requires usage of "Recycle" and telephone number.



Figure H: Seal requires usage of "Recycle" and telephone number and outer ring.

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