

Dry Cell Battery – Non-Bulk Packaging and Shipping Instructions

These instructions must be followed exactly.

These instructions are for dry cell batteries only. If you are unsure of the type of batteries that you have, please contact Battery Solutions for assistance.

Getting Started

Battery Solutions supplies you with UN approved collection containers that include all proper labeling and free round trip shipping.

The start accumulation date needs to be filled out with the date batteries are first placed in the container.

PLAN AHEAD: NON-BULK CONTAINERS CANNOT EXCEED 66 POUNDS PER CONTAINER

Collection and Safety

The following batteries must have taped terminals:

- Lithium batteries
- Lithium-ion batteries with exposed terminals
- Lead-acid batteries
- Batteries over 9 volts

Use clear tape only (included in the kit).

Alkaline, NiMH, NiCd, zinc air and non-lithium button cell batteries that have 9 volts or less do not require taped terminals.

If unsure of the chemistry, tape terminals as a safety precaution. USE CLEAR TAPE ONLY.

Place only dry cell batteries and handheld electronics (batteries left in electronics do not need to be taped) in the container, never include batteries with liquid electrolyte, such as motorcycle batteries.

Shipping Information

When one year has lapsed or the container is full, seal and ship the container by following the instructions that were provided with the container. You must return the pail in one year after placing the first battery in the pail, according to U.S. DOT requirements. Depending on your recycling program, you may need to re-order a new container. We do offer an auto-renew subscription based program that automatically charges and ships a new container when the filled one is received.

If you are shipping your own containers, a return authorization number must be obtained from Battery Solutions before shipping. This is per U.S. DOT regulations. Containers must also be properly labeled. Please call Battery Solutions at 800-852-8127 for labeling instructions and a return authorization number.

Contact Information

To schedule a shipment or for any questions call Battery Solutions at 800-852-8127 or email customerservice@batterysolutions.com.



The party shipping or transporting batteries (the "Shipper") to Battery Solutions, LLC ("BSL") must properly secure the batteries to pallets prior to loading them onto a truck. Packaging and Labeling must be in compliance with the U.S. Department of Transportation – Code of Federal Regulations (CFR).

Attention Battery Solutions, LLC Customers - Notice to Comply:
As the shipper of record you must fully comply with all U.S. Department of Transportation regulations.