

DISPOSABLE OF WASTE ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT (WEEE)

(This information is only applicable to consumer customers in the UK)



What is WEEE?

The Waste Electrical or Electronic Equipment (WEEE) Directive requires countries to maximise separate collection and environmentally friendly processing of these items. In the UK, distributors (including retailers) must provide a system which allows customers buying new electrical equipment the opportunity to recycle their old items free of charge.

The amount of WEEE we throw away is increasing by around 5% each year, making it the fastest growing waste stream in the UK.

- Much of the UK's WEEE ends up in landfill, where the toxins it contains can cause soil and water contamination. This can have a harmful effect on natural habitat, wildlife, and also human health.
- Many electrical items that we throw away can be recycled. Recycling items helps to save our natural finite resources and also reduces the environmental and health risks associated with sending electrical goods to landfill.

How do I Identify WEEE?



If the symbol shown here is found on your product, it means that the product is classed as Electrical or Electronic Equipment, was produced after 13/08/05, and is covered by the WEEE Regulations – meaning it should be disposed of separately from normal waste streams so it can be recycled

The PEAK NDT Policy for UK customers:

We are pleased to offer our UK customers the chance to recycle their old Instruments, on a like-for-like basis, when purchasing a new item from us.

For example, if you were to buy an Ultrasonic Instrument from us, we would accept your old & similar product and prevent it going into a landfill site by disposing of it safely via the correct channels. However, you must return your WEEE item to us within 28 days of purchasing your new item.

How to make use of our 'Take-back' scheme:

Contact us at sales@peakndt.com to inform us of and arrange your WEEE return.

Once your return has been approved, ship to the following address (please note we are not responsible for the cost of returning items);

WEEE Take Back Scheme
Peak NDT Ltd
Unit 1 Enterprise Way
Derby
DE21 4BB

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