

Environmental Policy

Reduce, Reuse, and Recycle

Green Initiatives

Reduce:

Francotyp-Postalia is the only mailing equipment manufactured that is fully RoHS compliant. [Learn more....](#)

RoHS: Pushing the Envelope

Directives 2002/95/EC on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment and 2002/95/EC on waste electrical and electronic equipment are designed to tackle the fast increasing waste stream of electrical and electronic equipment and complements European Union measures on landfill and incineration of waste. Increased recycling of electrical and electronic equipment will limit the total quantity of waste going to final disposal. Producers will be responsible for taking back and recycling electrical and electronic equipment. This will provide incentives to design electrical and electronic equipment in an environmentally more efficient way, which takes waste management aspects fully into account. Consumers will be able to return their equipment free of charge. In order to prevent the generation of hazardous waste, Directive 2002/95/EC requires the substitution of various heavy metals (lead, mercury, cadmium, and hexavalent chromium) and brominated flame retardants (polybrominated biphenyls (PBB) or polybrominated diphenyl ethers (PBDE)) in new electrical and electronic equipment put on the market from 1 July 2006.

Francotyp-Postalia green attitude encompass everything we do!

- Every parcel tape manufactured by Francotyp-Postalia is bleached without the use of chlorine. Limiting their environment impact.
- All Francotyp-Postalia inks' are water based (Solvent free).

Reuse:

Francotyp-Postalia is dedicated to providing customers with the opportunity to acquire used and/ or refurbished equipment at fare market value. Machines that fail to meet ever changing CIC compliancy regulations are sent to other Francotyp-Postalia subsidiaries worldwide, to be rebranded, upgraded and sold.

No machine is ever wasted.

Recycle:

Francotyp-Postalia recycles all equipment and ink cartridges received back from customers that cannot be reused or reconditioned.