

Lead Scrap Metal

Metallic lead not mixed with other materials is exempt from RCRA hazardous waste regulation under 40 CFR 261.4(a)(13) adopted by reference at 15A NCAC 13A .0106 if properly managed and recycled. Examples of exempt lead scrap metal include;

- Lead wheel balance weights
- Lead foil
- Lead shot
- Lead aprons
- Lead cuttings, punching, turnings and borings

Other types of lead scrap metal may be excluded from RCRA hazardous waste regulations if it can be established that it has;

- An established market
- Inherent positive economic value
- Can be economically separated from other materials
- Is not mixed with other hazardous wastes