

Recycle

The Safety and Environmental Division recycles certain materials such as:

Used Batteries

Many types of used batteries are recycled at GSFC. However, batteries must be segregated by type for proper recycling. Official alkaline battery recycling stations are located in various locations on the Center. Please do not bring batteries from home.

Oil Filters, antifreeze, and scrap tires

These items are used by the Motor Pool and Auto Club and are recycled. These activities operate under special environmental permits. Please do not bring your items from home if you are not part of the Auto Club.

Fluorescent Lamps/Bulbs/Tubes

Fluorescent lamps/bulbs/tubes are recycled at GSFC. Please do not bring these items from home.

For more information on these programs and other hazardous waste programs please call **6-9233**.

Buy Recycled

Close the loop and buy products with recycled content. Stores Stock has many recycled content items in the Center supply system. Please contact **6-8900** to buy recycled.



Bob Clark from Stores Stock stands next to recycled content paper.



Join the Green Team

Join a Center team that is chartered to promote waste reduction and recycling on the Center. We provide education and educational events for the Center throughout the year. For more information, visit <http://recycle.gsfc.nasa.gov> or contact Darlene Squibb on **6-6137**.

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What can I do to reduce waste?

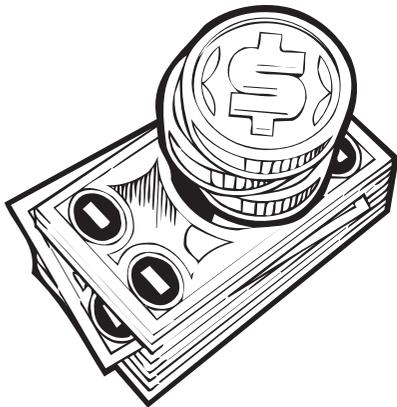
- Rethink purchases
- Rethink copies
- Rethink printing

Before purchasing ask: “Do I really need these items in this quantity?”

Before copying ask: “Do I really need a copy? If so, can the document be printed double sided, or duplexed?”

Before sending a document to the printer ask: “Do I really need a hard copy or will an electronic copy do?”

By making these simple decisions, you will save dollars, material resources, and disposal costs.



Reuse

Excess

The Supply and Equipment Management Branch has a number of services available in reutilization of excess equipment and materials. Call the reutilization specialist at **6-5912** before disposing of excess equipment or materials.

NASA/Goddard Space Flight Center and Wallops Flight Facility no longer hold sales of surplus property on site. The General Services Administration now conducts all NASA sales.

General and specific information regarding sales, types of equipment being sold, and conditions applicable to the sale are available at the sales web site located at: <http://www.gsaauctions.gov>.

The Chemical Reuse Program minimizes hazardous wastes that are generated because of chemical non-use, expired shelf life, or improper procurement. Still-usable product is placed on a Web site and can be sent out to other Center activities.

Visit the <http://Chemx.gsfc.nasa.gov> Web site from any GSFC browser and click on “Available Chemicals” to view current inventory.

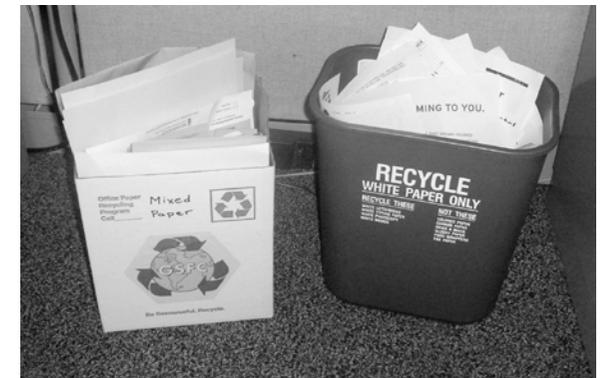
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There are many organizations on Center that provide various recycling services:

The Facilities Management Division provides recycling centers for the following items:

Paper (white, mixed colors, and newspaper); plastic; aluminium cans; cardboard; laser toner cartridges and wood pallets. For more information please call **6-8282**.

An example of a workstation recycling center.



The Supply and Equipment Management Branch recycles various items such as scrap and precious metal. For more information call **6-5924**.

