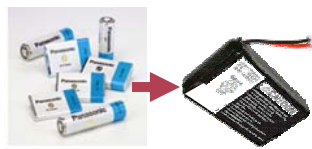


Applications**Rose Knows: Field Replacement Services**

Have you ever shipped a dead battery? Unfortunately, it's easy to do. Depending on storage temperature and chemistry, a battery can require recharging in as little as three months. Hiring and training personnel to monitor, remove, recharge and restock the batteries, let alone buying the necessary battery chargers, can be cost prohibitive. With our award winning Field Replacement program, Rose can take care of your batteries until you need them, even boost charging them before shipping, giving them the maximum possible shelf life.

**BUILD A BATTERY**

Need to go from cells to a custom lithium ion battery pack? See which battery configuration option is the best suited for your application! Go to the [Rose Electronics website](#) and check out our new [battery builder](#) to create your custom pack today!

Products**Enclosure Products for your Battery and End Unit**

Rose Electronics is proud to offer enclosure products for your end unit as well as your battery pack. We offer a full range of off-the-shelf, semi-custom, and custom enclosure products from high quality, reliable manufacturers such as [Bud Industries](#), [PACTEC](#) and [Hoffman](#). Secondary operations such as RFI shielding, silkscreening, and special packaging are offered for our plastic and metal housings. We also carry racks for your server needs! [Contact Rose](#) for further enclosure information.

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**Rose Knows Batteries - Technology Notes****Focus on RoHS Compliance and Sealed Lead Batteries**

With all the RoHS compliance issues, the question of Sealed Lead Acid batteries and its relationship to RoHS has come up. Sealed Lead batteries are exempt from the RoHS initiative primarily due to the hard core recycling efforts and procedures in place. The Technical Adaptation Committee (TAC) meeting under the WEEE and RoHS Directives declared in their December 17, 2003 meeting that the RoHS and WEEE Directives were not applicable to batteries and they both deferred to the Battery Directive. In the explanatory memorandum in the Commission Proposal for a new battery directive, it stated that the RoHS directive does not apply to batteries; however, batteries incorporated in electrical and electronic equipment will be collected together based on the WEEE directive. For a copy of "Questions and Answers on the Commission Proposal for the New Battery Directive", contact [Rose Electronics](#).



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