

# CIRCULAR SERVICES

Computacenter's Circular Services help IT departments re-deploy, remarket and recycle end-of-use IT equipment while maximising security and sustainability.

## HOW DO YOU SUSTAINABLY DISPOSE OF END-OF-LIFE ASSETS?

Sustainability is now far more than a corporate social responsibility, but a business priority and essential to brand reputation.

As organisations aim to achieve their carbon neutral goals, it's important to recognise that more than 60% of an asset's lifetime carbon output is produced during manufacturing, so maximising its use is the best way to minimise carbon emissions.

Many IT departments have security concerns around re-using and disposing of devices, however. To safeguard corporate, customer and employee security, assets must be safely wiped of all data.

As today's evergreen approach has replaced large-scale refreshes with a steady turn-over of devices, organisations need a service that's sustainable, secure and cost-effective.

## RE-DEPLOY, REMARKET, RECYCLE

As part of Computacenter's Circular Services, we process all end-of-life technology, including workplace, mobility, datacenter, network and storage assets. We provide customers with global coverage from Computacenter facilities in the UK, Germany, France, Netherlands, Belgium and Switzerland and through our partner network in the rest of the world.

## COMPUTACENTER'S SERVICE INCLUDES:

- Identifying the most appropriate route for each device, including redeployment, re-marketing, employee purchase, charitable donations and/or industrial recycling.
- Logistics to ensure the secure collection and transportation of devices.
- Data sanitisation to the highest industry standard to safeguard security.
- Optional onsite services such as data sanitisation, equipment decommissioning, destruction and asset scanning/reconciliation.
- Returning residual value in a number of ways, including service credit, revenue share and charity donations.

## WHY COMPUTACENTER?

Computacenter and our specialist subsidiary RDC have been a market leader in secure IT asset disposal for more than 25 years. We also:

- Deliver Circular Services at scale for hundreds of government and financial organisations.
- Offer an end-to-end embedded inhouse solution.
- Have the capacity and capability to serve even the largest organisations.
- Have invested heavily in our Integration Centres and specialist resources.
- Run the largest IT asset processing facility in Europe – our Braintree centre covers more than 30,000 square feet.
- Ensure all our services conform to the highest environmental regulations and ISO accreditations.

RDC is responsible for fulfilling the Daily Mail's Computers for Kids campaign to redistribute devices no longer suitable for corporate use for disadvantaged children to use during lockdown. To find out more, go to: <https://www.computacenter.com/uk/daily-mail>

## SUSTAINABLE, SECURE AND COMPLIANT

Computacenter's Circular Services are designed to help organisations:

**Achieve carbon neutral objectives** and **reduce landfill** by ensuring devices are re-used wherever possible and recycling components responsibly.

**Drive down the total cost of ownership** for each device with remarketing options.

**Safeguard security** with the highest level of ISO accreditation

**Boost sustainability credentials** by providing figures for sustainability reports.

**Give back to the community** with charitable options

- 49,000 tonnes of IT electronics kept out of landfill.
- Four million devices managed annually.
- 2.95 million devices resold every year.

## NEXT STEPS

To find out more about how our Circular Services could help your organisation improve sustainability, talk to your Account Manager.

