8 AMAZING FACTS ABOUT THE RECYCLING OF LEAD

10,536,000 tonnes

The amount of lead produced each year in the world.



The percentage of lead which is derived from recycled products.

Lead is the most recycled common metal in the world.





Lead has higher recycling rates than newspaper or glass.

95%

The percentage of lead used in the construction industry in Europe which is collected and recycled.



The rating given to lead in the BRE Green Guide.





Lead can be recycled indefinitely without any reduction in quality.



100% recycled



All of the lead used by Midland Lead to manufacture their roofing and radiation shielding products comes from recycled materials.

Sources: European Lead Sheet Industry Association www.elsia-web.org, International Lead Association www.ila-lead.org, International Lead & Zinc Study Group www.ilzsg.org





