

COMPANY PROFILE

Cobat is the large Italian circular economy platform that works in close contact with the country's main technology companies and continues to rely on innovation and research, knowing that the products of today become the waste of tomorrow. On the strength of 30 years of leadership and experience in the collection of spent batteries and accumulators, Cobat now provides not just an efficient end-of-life product management service, but also solutions, advice, and training for companies that see sustainable development as a source of opportunity and want to play a major role in it. Born as a consortium, Cobat has evolved into a SPA Benefit Company and today is part of the Innovatec Group, leader in Italy in the Clean Technology industry. Cobat is controlled by Haiki+, the Group's subholding dedicated to the circular economy.

Cobat offers companies integrated and customised services for the collection, treatment and recycling of spent batteries and accumulators, waste from electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE), including PV modules, and end-of-life tyres (ELTs), and it is capable of managing all other types of hazardous and non-hazardous waste. Its widespread presence throughout Italy, thanks to a network carefully selected in accordance with the strictest standards, ensures local availability, optimises costs and minimises the environmental impact.

In addition, the Cobat platform ensures the highest economic and environmental sustainability for producers and importers of technological goods, which, by law, are responsible for the management of these products when they reach the end of their useful lives.

COBAT SOLUTIONS

Cobat Card is a prepaid card that contains a customisable package of Cobat services and products. Companies associated with the Cobat platform can distribute Cobat Cards to their own networks to increase customer loyalty and provide collection, training and environmental consulting solutions.

Percorso Cobat is a certified Certiquality platform that allows car producers and scrapyards to guarantee transparency, traceability and data security in the management of end-of-life vehicles. **Cobat Ritiri** offers a complete and dedicated collection campaign for companies that have to manage the collection and recycling of end-of-life technology products. Cobat manages the collection of waste generated in all production units.

Cobat Packaging is able to provide all the material needed for the storage of any type of waste. Cobat has developed, tested and obtained certification for special containers for complete and safe management of lithium batteries.

CONSULTING AND TRAINING

Cobat Academy is the Cobat platform dedicated to training, consulting and the sharing of know-how for companies focused on innovation, new opportunities and business models linked with sustainability. The Cobat Academy training programme offers regularly scheduled classroom and online courses, specific company training projects and elearning with on-demand use. It has four main catalogue areas: Environment, Sustainability, Health and Safety and the Circular Economy. To meet the needs of businesses, Cobat Academy has also created a specific area for consulting and organisational support. A network of professionals, committed to supporting companies in the management of all aspects related to the environment and sustainability and in the development of new business opportunities.

CERTIFICATIONS

Cobat is certified in compliance with UNI EN ISO 9001 for its Quality Management System, with 14001 for its Environmental Management and with 27001, the most important international data security standard. In addition, our environmental performance in the management of end-of-life products is guaranteed by the EU EMAS (Eco-Management and Audit Scheme) eco-management and audit model, to which companies and organisations subscribe on a voluntary basis. Also on



a voluntary basis, in compliance with Legislative Decree 231/01, Cobat has drafted its own Code of Ethics and Behaviour, which summarises the company's guiding principles.

INTERNATIONAL NETWORK

Cobat is the founder and sole representative in Italy of Reneos, a European cooperative company established in 2020, which acts as a single supranational partner for battery producers for electrical and hybrid vehicles. The Cobat platform is also part of EUCOBAT, the European association of battery and accumulator collection systems, and WEEEFORUM, the European association of WEEE collection systems, and IT has launched a partnership with WEEELOGIC, the European hub for the management of end-of-life batteries, accumulators and WEEE.

COLLABORATION

Cobat is a member of the National Council of the Green Economy and one of the founding members of the Foundation for Sustainable Development of the Circular Economy Network. Cobat is also a member of the Motus-E Management Board and chairs the committee for the promotion of e_mob, the first Italian festival dedicated to the development of electric mobility. It also collaborates with leading environmental associations, including Legambiente, Kyoto Club and the UniVerde Foundation.

COLLECTIVE SCHEMES



Cobat RIPA is the main Italian consortium for the collection and recycling of spent batteries and accumulators. This non-profit, private law consortium, in line with the legal provisions for collective systems under Legislative Decree 188/2008, is a collection and recycling system accredited by the National Clearing House for Batteries and Accumulators (CdCNPA). Cobat RIPA provides its members with solutions of excellence and services compliant with current regulations.



Cobat RAEE is a consortium for the collection and recycling of waste from electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE), including solar panels. This non-profit, private law consortium, in line with the legal provisions for collective finance systems under Legislative Decree 49/2014, is a collection and recycling system accredited by the Italian WEEE Clearing House (CDCRAEE).



Cobat TYRE is a consortium company regulated by Ministerial Decree no. 82 of 11 April 2011 for the collection and recycling of end-of-life tyres. Founded in 2018, in just a few years it has become one of the main players in the management of ELTs on behalf of manufacturers/importers and of tyres from auto salvage.



Cobat COMPOSITI is the Italian consortium for the collection, treatment and recovery of end-of-life products made of composite material, mainly made of fibreglass and carbon.



Cobat TESSILE is the Italian voluntary consortium for the collection, treatment and the recovery of end-of-life textile products.