

REFRIGERANT CONTAINERS

Color Codes

Refrigerant Number	Chemical Composition	Container Color	Refrigerant Number	Chemical Composition	Container Color
R-11	CFC	Orange	R-401C	Zeotropic-HCFC	Blue-green (aqua)
R-12	CFC	White	R-402A	Zeotropic-HCFC	Light brown (sand)
R-13	CFC	Light blue (sky)	R-402B	Zeotropic-HCFC	Green-brown (olive)
R-13B1	CFC	Coral	R-404A	Zeotropic-HCFC	Orange
R-22	HCFC	Light green	R-406A	Zeotropic-HCFC	Light green-gray
R-23	HFC	Light blue-gray	R-407A	Zeotropic-HCFC	Lime green
R-113	CFC	Dark purple (violet)	R-407B	Zeotropic-HFC	Cream
R-114	CFC	Dark blue (navy)	R-407C	Zeotropic-HFC	Medium brown (brown)
R-123	HCFC	Light blue-gray	R-410A	Zeotropic-HFC	Rose
R-124	HCFC	Deep green (DOT green)	R-500	Azeotropic-CFC	Yellow
R-125	HFC	Medium brown (tin)	R-502	Azeotropic-CFC	Light purple (lavender)
R-134a	HFC	Light blue (sky)	R-503	Azeotropic-CFC	Blue-green (aqua)
R-401A	Zeotropic-HCFC	Pinkish-red (coral)	R-507A	Azeotropic-HFC	Blue green (teal)
R-401B	Zeotropic-HCFC	Yellow-brown (mustard)			

Refrigerant Containers are Disposable or Reusable

A disposable container (cylinder) is a container used only with new refrigerants. Disposable containers are designed for refrigerant extraction and are not used to receive refrigerants. Disposable containers such as DOT 39 are not to be reused under any circumstances.



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