

## FCC information

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when the equipment is operated in a commercial environment. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, may cause harmful interference to radio communications.

Operation of this equipment in a residential area is likely to cause harmful interference in which case the user will be required to correct the interference at his own expense.

**CAUTION:** Changes or modifications to this device, not expressly approved by Icom Inc., could void your authority to operate this device under FCC regulations.

### Supplier's Declaration of Conformity

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

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## Disposal



The crossed-out wheeled-bin symbol on your product, literature, or packaging reminds you that in the European Union, all electrical and electronic products, batteries, and accumulators (rechargeable batteries) must be taken to designated collection locations at the end of their working life. Do not dispose of these products as unsorted municipal waste. Dispose of them according to the laws in your area.

## About CE



Versions of the BC-214N which have the "CE" symbol on the product, comply with the essential requirements of the EMC Directive, 2014/30/EU and RoHS Directive, 2011/65/EU.

### INFORMATION

You can find information regarding product-related legislation in the European region on the Icom portal site.  
<https://portal.icomjapan.com/>



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# ICOM INSTRUCTIONS

## MULTI CHARGER BC-214N

## Explicit definitions

WORD	DEFINITION
<b>⚠ DANGER!</b>	Personal death, serious injury or an explosion may occur.
<b>⚠ WARNING!</b>	Personal injury, fire hazard or electric shock may occur.
<b>CAUTION</b>	Equipment damage may occur.
<b>NOTE</b>	Recommended for optimum use. No risk of personal injury, fire or electric shock.

## Precautions

**⚠ DANGER! NEVER** charge non-Icom Li-ion rechargeable batteries. Never charge or use an alkaline, dry cell, third-party, or counterfeit battery packs or charger adapter. Otherwise, a fire and/or explosion may occur.

**⚠ WARNING! NEVER** modify the charger and/or power adapter. This may cause a fire hazard or electric shock.

**CAUTION: DO NOT** let metal, wire, and so on, touch any internal parts of the charger.

**CAUTION: DO NOT** use the charger with the power adapter when it is covered by objects that impede heat dispersal.

**USE Indoors ONLY! NEVER** expose the charger and the power adapter to rain, snow or any liquids.

Always place the charger in a secure place to avoid inadvertent use by unauthorized person.

**USE** only specified accessories. Using third party or counterfeit may result in a fire hazard or electric shock.

**KEEP** the charger away from TV sets or radios to prevent interference.

**MAKE SURE** battery and charger contacts are always clean. Otherwise, battery packs may not be charged properly.

An appropriate desktop charger adapter must be purchased separately to charge different Icom battery packs.

Thank you for choosing this Icom product.  
**READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS** carefully and completely before using this product.  
The BC-214N MULTI CHARGER was designed to charge Li-ion battery packs.

When the charger is not in use, disconnect the power adapter from an AC outlet. The power adapter consumes power when connected to the AC outlet.

## ◇ Charging cautions

**⚠ DANGER! NEVER** charge the battery pack in areas with extremely high temperatures, such as near fires or stoves, inside a sun-heated vehicle, or in direct sunlight. In such environments, the safety/protection circuit in the battery will activate, causing the battery to stop charging.

**⚠ WARNING! NEVER** charge the battery packs during a lightning storm. It may result in an electric shock, cause a fire or damage the products. Always disconnect the power adapter before a storm.

**⚠ WARNING! NEVER** charge or leave the battery in the battery charger beyond the specified time for charging. If the battery is not completely charged by the specified time, stop charging and remove the battery from the battery charger. Continuing to charge the battery beyond the specified time limit may cause a fire, overheating, or the battery may rupture.

**⚠ WARNING!** Occasionally observe the battery pack condition while charging. If any abnormal condition occurs, discontinue using the battery pack.

**CAUTION: DO NOT** insert the battery packs (with/without the transceiver) into the charger if it is wet or soiled. This could corrode the battery charger terminals or damage the charger. The charger is not waterproof.

**NOTE: DO NOT** charge the battery pack outside of the specified temperature range: 15°C ~ 40°C (59°F ~ 104°F). Otherwise, the charging time will be longer, but the battery will not reach a full charge. While charging, at a point after the temperature goes out of the specified range, the charging will automatically stop.

**NOTE:** If your battery packs seem to have no capacity even after being fully charged, completely discharge them, then fully charge them again. If they still do not retain a charge (or very little), a new battery pack must be purchased.

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## ◇ Battery cautions

Misuse of Li-ion batteries may result in the following hazards: smoke, fire, or the battery may rupture. Misuse can also cause damage to the battery or degradation of battery performance.

⚠ **DANGER! KEEP** battery packs away from fire. Fire or heat may cause them to rupture or explode. Dispose of a used battery pack in accordance with local regulations.

⚠ **WARNING! NEVER** use deteriorated battery packs. They could cause a fire.

**CAUTION: DO NOT** continue to use the battery pack if it emits an abnormal odor, heats up, or is discolored or deformed. If any of these conditions occur, contact your Icom dealer or distributor.

**BE CAREFUL** of the battery pack's temperature—when the battery pack is extremely cold, the charger cannot charge the pack.

**BE SURE** to replace the battery pack with a new one approximately five years after manufacturing, even if it still holds a charge. The material inside the battery cells will become weak after a period of time, even with little use. The estimated number of times you can charge the pack is between 300 and 500. Even when the pack appears to be fully charged, the operating time of the transceiver may become short when:

- Approximately 5 years have passed since the pack was manufactured.
- The pack has been repeatedly charged.

The battery cells may deteriorate and swell due to their characteristics if used in an environment and conditions such as: frequently charged, recharged immediately after full charge, used or saved in a hot place, or charged by methods other than the instructions. If the battery pack swells, it has reached the end of its life due to deterioration. Replace it with a brand new one.

## Supplied accessory

Item	Quantity
• Power adapter.....	1
① A power adapter may not be supplied, depending on the charger version.	

## Specifications

**Dimensions:** 303.2 (W) × 179.7 (D) × 78.2 (H) mm,  
11.9 (W) × 7.1 (D) × 3.1 (H) inch  
(projections not included)

**Weight:** Approximately 1.2 kg, 2 lb 10 oz  
(with six charger adapters / without power adapter)

**Charging temperature range:**  
15°C ~ 40°C, 59°F ~ 104°F

**Power supply requirement:**  
12 ~ 16 V DC or the specified power adapter

① All stated specifications are subject to change without notice or obligation.

Icom is not responsible for the destruction, damage to, or performance of any Icom or non-Icom equipment, if the malfunction is because of:

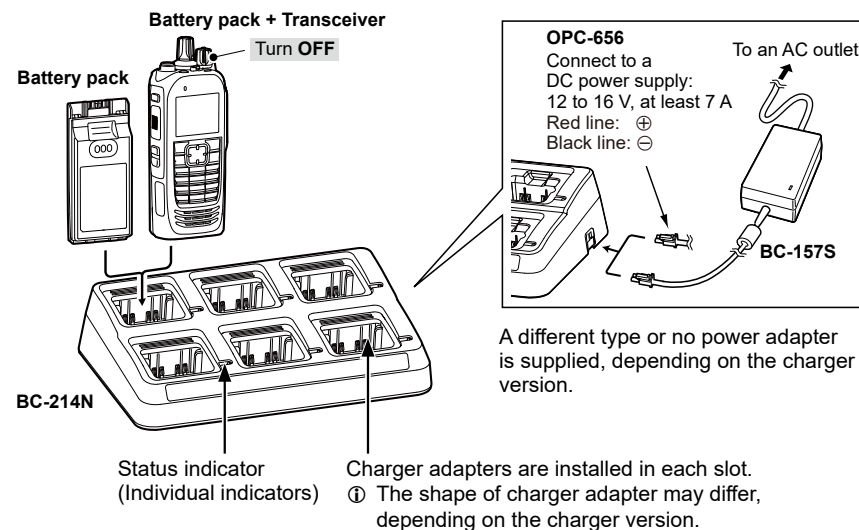
- Force majeure, including, but not limited to, fires, earthquakes, storms, floods, lightning, other natural disasters, disturbances, riots, war, or radioactive contamination.
- The use of Icom products with any equipment that is not manufactured or approved by Icom.

## How to charge

1. Connect the power adapter as shown below.
  - No status indicator lights up.
2. Insert a battery pack, with or without the transceiver, into a charging slot.
  - The status indicator for the slot lights orange.
3. When the status indicator changes to green, battery charging is completed.

**CAUTION:** The transceiver power **MUST** be turned OFF during charging, otherwise:

- The battery pack will not correctly charged.
- The battery life may be shortened.



## ◇ Status indicator

- Lights orange: While charging
- Lights green: Charging is completed
- Blinks orange and green alternatively:  
There is a problem with the battery pack and/or the charger.

**NOTE:** When the indicator turns OFF even while a battery pack is inserted, the connection may be poor. Reinsert the battery pack.

- The protection circuit is activated (not a malfunction) when:
  - The battery pack temperature exceeds 45°C (113°F).
    - Remove and cool down the battery pack.
  - The battery pack is at the end of its working life.
    - When the indicator blinks within 1 hour from the start of the charging, charge the battery pack again. If the indicator still blinks orange and green alternatively, replace the battery pack with a brand new one.