

Free Platinum Cone Refurbishing

Since the introduction of our popular refurbishing program back in 1996, Spectron has doubled or tripled the lifetime of thousands of platinum sample and skimmer cones. Send us your used and damaged cones and we will refurbish them for free.

Upon receipt, we will inspect your cones to determine if they can be reconditioned to manufacturer's specifications. Because of the different cone designs and different samples run, some cones may be refurbished many times and some not at all. Parts with mechanical problems (dropped cones or dinged tips) may or may not be able to be repaired depending on the nature and severity of the damage as well as the length of time the part has been used. We will only refurbish cones that we feel will perform well and have a reasonable lifetime. Turn around time is about two weeks. Expedited service is available upon request.

The refurbishing process includes cleaning and/or reshaping the orifice, cleaning deposits and in severe cases some re-machining. Refurbishing does not replace metal that has been worn away by use. When the orifice of a well-used cone opens up to beyond the specification, the part is no longer serviceable and is ready for reclaim.

At the end of the cones life, after repeated refurbishing, Spectron will accept your cones back for Pt credit. You may find our **Platinum Reclaim** values for cones and shields in the Library and Resources section of our website:
<http://www.spectronus.com/resources.php>.

We will also accept injectors, crucibles and other platinum lab ware for credit based on the average market value for Pt, Au and their alloys. Please call for further details.