

RV Battery Winter Care

1 All RV batteries

- ☐ Find out your battery type: lead-acid, AGM or lithium.
- ☐ Photograph the connections so you can hook them up the same way in spring.
- ☐ Remove the batteries. Store them somewhere cool and dry where they won't freeze.
- ☐ Check terminals and connections for corrosion. Clean if needed.
- ☐ Use a charger or maintainer made for your battery type.
- ☐ Check the batteries every so often through the winter.

2 Lead-acid (flooded)

- ☐ Charge fully. A flat battery can freeze.
- ☐ Removable caps? Check the water level.
- ☐ Top up with distilled water after charging.

4 Lithium

- ☐ Store at 50–80%, not 100%. See your manual.
 - ☐ Without a built-in heater, it won't charge in the cold.
-  **Note:** No topping up needed.

3 AGM

- ☐ Charge fully so the battery won't freeze.
-  **Note:** Sealed. No topping up needed.

5 Motorized RVs

-  **Note:** Starting and house batteries both drain while parked.
- ☐ Keep the starting battery fully charged.
- ☐ Leave it in. Start the engine as your manual advises.

These are general guidelines. Always follow your battery and RV manufacturers' instructions.