## SECTION 1. CHEMICIAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY NAME

# Lithium-Ion Rechargeable Battery Pack BL1013/BL1014

Symbol (S) at the bottom of the battery.

# Safety Data Sheet

Complies with the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard: 29 CFR 1910 1200

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## **EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION**

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**Emergency Response** 

For Chemical Emergency
Spills, Leak, Fire, Exposure, or Accident
Call CHEMTREC Day or Night
Within USA and Canada 1-800-424-9300

#### **SECTION 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION:**

\*\* This is a product that fulfills a certain function in solid state with specific shape without discharging any chemical substance in its use and has no obligation to write (M)SDS. Since this document contains the precautions for safe handling related to its materials or chemical substances consisting of this product, please note that this overall information is irrelevant to this product.

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

#### 2.1.1 Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP] and OSHA 29 CFR 1910.12 00: Not classified

#### 2.1.2 Additional information:

#### Classification of the substance or mixture.

**Preparation Hazards and Classification:** The product is a Lithium-ion cell or battery and is therefore classified as an article and is not hazardous when used according to the recommendations of the manufacturer. The hazard is associated with the contents of the cell or battery. Under recommended use conditions, the electrode materials and liquid electrolyte are non-reactive provided that the cell or battery integrity remains, and the seals remain intact. The potential for exposure should not exist unless the cell or battery leaks, is exposed to high temperatures or is mechanically, electrically, or physically abused/damaged. If the cell or battery is compromised and starts to leak, based upon the battery ingredients, the contents are classified as Hazardous.

## **Hazardous Materials Information Label (HMIS)**

Health: Not available Flammability: Not available Physical Hazard: Not available

#### **NFPA Hazard Ratings**

Health: Not available Flammability: Not available

Reactivity: Not available Unique Hazard: Not Available

#### 2.2 Label elements

Hazard pictograms: Not applicable Signal word: Not applicable Hazard statement: Not applicable Precautionary statements: Not applicable

Supplemental Hazard information (EU): Not applicable

#### 2.3 Other hazards:

Appearance, Color and Odor: Solid object with no odor.

## **Primary Routes(s) of Exposure:**

These chemicals are contained in a sealed enclosure. Risk of exposure occurs only if the cell or pack is mechanically, thermally, electrically, or physically abused to the point of compromising the enclosure.

If this occurs, exposure to the electrolyte solution contained within can occur by inhalation, ingestion, eye contact and skin contact

#### **Potential Health Effect(s):**

Acute (short term): see Section 8 for exposure controls.

In the event that this cell or pack has been ruptured, the electrolyte solution contained within the cell would be corrosive and can cause burns to skin and eyes.

**Inhalation:** Inhalation of materials from a sealed cell is not an expected route of exposure. Vapors or mists from a ruptured cell may cause respiratory irritation.

**Ingestion:** Swallowing of materials from a sealed cell is not an expected route of exposure. Swallowing the contents of an open cell can cause serious chemical burns to mouth, esophagus, and gastrointestinal tract.

**Skin:** Contact between the cell and skin will not cause any harm. Skin contact with the contents of an open cell can cause severe irritation or burns to the skin.

**Eye:** Contact between the cell and the eye will not cause any harm. Eye contact with the contents of an open cell can cause severe irritation or burns to the eye.

**CHRONIC** (long term): see Section 11 for additional toxicological data.

**Interactions with other chemicals:** Immersion in high conductivity liquids may cause corrosion and breaching of the cell or battery enclosure. The electrolyte solution inside of the cells may react with alkaline (basic) materials and present a flammability hazard.

Potential Environmental Effects: Not Available.

## SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### 3.1 Mixture

CAS No.	EC No.	REACH Registration No.	% [weight]	Name	Common Name (Synonyms)	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1278/2008 (CLP)
7440-50-8	231-159-6	=	15~25	Copper	Not available	Not classified
7439-89-6	231-096-4	=	15~25	Iron	Not available	Not classified
12057-17-9	Not available	-	5~15	Lithium manganese oxide	Not available	Not classified
7782-42-5	231-955-3	-	5~15	Graphite	Not available	Not classified
12031-65-1	Not available	-	5~15	Lithium nickelate	Not available	Skin Sens. 1, H317 STOT RE 1, H372 Carc. 1A, H350i
7429-90-5	231-072-3	-	5~15	Aluminum	Not available	Pyr. Sol. 1, H250 Water-react. 2, H261

616-38-6	210-478-4	-	1~5	dimethyl carbonate	Not available	Flam. Liq. 2, H225
12190-79-3	235-362-0	-	1~5	cobalt lithium dioxide	Not available	Not classified
9002-88-4	Not available	-	1~3	Polyethylene	Not available	Not classified
7440-02-0	231-111-4	-	1~3	Nickel	Not available	Skin Sens. 1, H317 Carc. 2, H351 STOT RE 1, H372 Aquatic Chronic 3, H412
96-49-1	202-510-0	1	1~3	1,3-Dioxolan-2-one	Not available	Not classified
21324-40-3	244-334-7	-	1~3	lithium hexafluorophosphate (1-)	Not available	Not classified
623-53-0	Not available	-	1~3	Ethyl methyl carbonate	Not available	Not classified
1333-86-4	215-609-9	-	0.1~1	Carbon black	Not available	Not classified

#### **Further Information**

Because of the cell structure the dangerous ingredients will not be available if used properly. During charge process a lithium graphite intercalation phase is formed.

Nominal Voltage: 10.8 V Rated Capacity: 1.3 Ah Wh rating: 14 Wh

## **SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES**

## 4.1 Description of first aid measures

#### Following eye contact:

-Rinse eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and seek medical attention.

## Following skin contact:

- -Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.
- -Immediately rinse contact area with plenty of clean water.
- -Provide first aid to contacted area to prevent infection.
- -Get medical attention.

#### **Following inhalation:**

- -In case of inhalation of organic electrolyte mist, move from exposure to fresh air.
- -If necessary, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

## **Following ingestion:**

- -In case of ingestion of electrolyte don't induce vomiting
- -If patient is conscious and alert give 2~4 cups of milk or water.
- -Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
- -Get medical attention immediately.

#### **Further Information:**

- -The following first aid measures are required only in case of exposure to interior battery components after damage of the external battery casing.
- -Undamaged, closed cells do not represent a danger to the health.

## 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Acute effects: Not available **Delayed effects:** Not available

#### 4.3 Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

- Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved and take precautions to protect themselves.

## **SECTION 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

## 5.1 Extinguishing media

- When the scale of the fire is small, use a HFC (hydrofluorocarbon) clean-agent fire extinguisher or alcohol resistant foam fire extinguishers. (In case of battery overheating, wear protective gear and immerse heated battery in water)
- In case of large fire, use large amount of water to extinguish.

## 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

- Flammable gas leaks before ignition and then the product ignites.

#### **5.3** Advice for firefighters

- The ignited battery has a high temperature, so there is a risk of additional ignition even if the fire is extinguished at early stage. Sprinkle a large amount of water until the battery temperature drops to normal temperature.
- If the battery is ignited in multi-stacked condition, multi-stack should be disassembled and then extinguished so that heat is not transferred between batteries.
- In the event of a battery fire, cool it by spraying water directly on the battery.
- When handling an overheated battery, wear heat-resistant protective equipment.

#### SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

## 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment, and emergency procedures

## For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment: Use personal protective equipment, see Section 8

#### **Emergency procedures:**

- In case of cell damage, possible release of dangerous substances and a flammable gas mixture.
- Eliminate all ignition sources.
- Please note that materials and conditions to avoid.
- Battery may emit electrolyte if charging or discharging rates exceed manufacturer's recommendations or if pack has been breached.
- Move battery to well ventilated area to prevent gas accumulation.

## For emergency responders

- Eliminate all ignition sources.
- Please note that materials and conditions to avoid.
- Move battery to well ventilated area to prevent gas accumulation.

## **6.2 Environmental precautions:**

- Avoid release to the environment.
- Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements, or confined areas.

## 6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For containment: Not available

## For cleaning up:

- Cover with Dry earth, DRY sand or other non-combustible material and put on the plastic sheet to minimize spreading or contact with rain.
- Move battery to well ventilated area to prevent gas accumulation.
- Dispose in accordance with applicable local, state, and federal regulations.
- Other information: Not available

## **6.4 Reference to other sections** - See also Sections 8 and 13 of the Safety Data Sheet.

## **SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

## 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

- In case of cell damage, possible release of dangerous substances and a flammable gas mixture.
- The battery stores electrical energy and is capable of rapid energy discharge.
- Battery cell contents are under pressure.
- Handle battery carefully to avoid puncturing case or electrically shorting terminals.

## 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical measures and storage conditions: Not available

Packaging materials: Not available

Requirements for storage rooms and vessels:

- Storage at room temperature (approx. 20°C) at approx. 40% of the nominal capacity
- Keep in closed original container.

## 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Recommendations: Not available

Industrial sector specific solutions: Not available

## SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/ PERSONAL PROTECTION

# 8.1 Control parameters Occupational Exposure limits

Name	ACGIH regulation	Biological exposure index	OSHA regulation	NIOSH regulation	EU regulation
Copper	$TWA = 0.2 \text{ mg/m}^3$ (fume)	Not available	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
Iron	Not applicable	Not available	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
Lithium manganese oxide	TWA = 10 mg/m³ (Magnesium oxide CAS.no 1309-48-4)	Not available	TWA = 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Magnesium oxide fume - Total Particulate CAS.no 1309- 48-4)	TWA = 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Magnesium oxide fume - Total Particulate CAS.no 1309-48-4)	Not applicable
Graphite	$TWA = 2mg/m^3$	Not available	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
Lithium nickelate	Not applicable	Not available	TWA = 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (Nickel, metal and insoluble compounds (as Ni), Nickel, soluble compounds (as Ni), CAS.no744002-0)	TWA = Ca 0.015 mg/ m³ (Nickel, metal and insoluble compounds (as Ni), Nickel, soluble compounds (as Ni), CAS.no 744002-0)	Not applicable
Aluminum	TWA = 1 mg/m³ (Respirable particulate matter)	Not available	TWA = 15 mg/m³ (Aluminum Metal (As Al) Total dust) TWA = 5 mg/m³ (Aluminum Metal (As Al) Respirable fraction)	TWA = 1 mg/m³ (Aluminum Metal (As Al), Respirable fraction)	Not applicable

dimethyl carbonate	Not applicable	Not available	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
cobalt lithium dioxide	TWA = 0.2 mg/m³ (Cobalt and cobalt compounds, CAS.no 7440-48-4)	Not available	TWA = 0.1 mg/m³ (Cobalt metal, dust, and fume (as Co), CAS.no744048-4)	TWA = 0.05 mg/m³ (Cobalt metal, dust, and fume (as Co), CAS.no744048- 4)	Not applicable
Polyethylene	Not applicable	Not available	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
Nickel	TWA = 1.5 mg/m³ (Inhalable particulate matter)	Not available	TWA = 1 mg/m³ (Metal and insoluble compounds (as Ni)) TWA = 1 mg/m³ (Soluble compounds (as Ni))	Ca TWA = 0.015 mg/ m³ (Metal and insoluble compounds (as Ni)) Ca TWA = 0.015 mg/ m³ (Soluble compounds (as Ni))	Not applicable
1,3-Dioxolan-2-one	Not applicable	Not available	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
lithium hexafluorophosphate (1-)	Not applicable	Not available	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
Ethyl methyl carbonate	Not applicable	Not available	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
Carbon black	TWA = 3mg/m³ (Inhalable particulate matter)	Not available	$TWA = 3.5 \text{ mg/m}^3$	TWA = 3.5 mg/m³ Ca TWA = 0.1 mg PAHs/ m³ [Carbon black in presence of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs)]	Not applicable

## 8.2 Exposure controls

## **8.2.1** Appropriate engineering controls:

# Substance/mixture related measures to prevent exposure during identified uses:

- Avoid charging batteries in areas where hydrogen gas accumulates.
- Use local exhaust ventilation to maintain concentrations of hydrogen below the Lower Explosive collect and transport flammable gases in ventilation systems.
- Ensure proper ventilation is present and electrolyte mist and vapours.

#### Structural measures to prevent exposure:

- Avoid charging batteries in areas where hydrogen gas accumulates.
- Use local exhaust ventilation to maintain concentrations of hydrogen below the Lower Explosive collect and transport flammable gases in ventilation systems.
- Ensure proper ventilation is present and electrolyte mist and vapours.

#### Organizational measures to prevent exposure: Not available

## Technical measures to prevent exposure:

- Ensure proper ventilation is present and electrolyte mist and vapours.

## 8.2.2 Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment:

#### Eye and face protection:

- Wear ANSI approved safety glasses with side shield during normal use.
- Wear NIOSH approved face shield with safety glasses and H.V protection during intentional disassembly.

## **Skin protection**

## Hand protection:

- Wear nitrile butyl rubber, neoprene, or PVC glove during battery component disassembly.
- Discard contaminated work clothing after one workday.

## Other skin protection:

- Wear protective clothing during battery component disassembly.
- Discard contaminated work clothing after one workday.

## **Respiratory protection:**

- None required during normal use.
- Wear NIOSH or European Standard EN 149 approved full or half face piece (with goggles) respiratory protective equipment when necessary.
- In lack of oxygen (< 19.5%), wear the supplied-air respirator or self-contained oxygen breathing apparatus.
- In case exposed to particulate material, the respiratory protective equipment as follow is recommended; facepiece filtering respirator or air-purifying respirator, high-efficiency particulate air (HEPA) filter media or respirator equipped with powered fan, filter media of use (dust, mist, fume)

#### 8.2.3 Environmental exposure controls

Substance/mixture related measures to prevent exposure: Not available

Instruction measures to prevent exposure: Not available Organizational measures to prevent exposure: Not available Technical measures to prevent exposure: Not available

#### SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

# 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**Appearance** Solid **Description:** Color: Not available Odor: Odorless **Odor Threshold:** Not available PH: Not available **Melting point/freezing point:** Not available **Initial boiling point and boiling range:** Not available Flash point: Not available **Evaporation rate:** Not available Flammability (solid, gas): Not available **Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits:** Not available Vapor pressure: Not available Solubility (ies): Insoluble Vapor density: Not available Relative density: Not available Partition coefficient or n-octanol/water: Not available **Auto ignition temperature:** Not available **Decomposition temperature:** Not available Viscosity: Not available **Explosive properties** Not available **Oxidizing properties:** Not available Molecular weight:

9.2 Other information:

Not available

## SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### 10.1 Reactivity

- Stable at ambient temperature.

#### 10.2 Chemical stability

- There is no hazard when the measures for handling and storage are followed.
- Stable under normal temperatures and pressures.

#### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

- Will not occur under normal conditions.
- In case of cell damage, possible release of dangerous substances and a flammable gas mixture.
- Containers may explode when heated.
- Fire may produce irritating and/or toxic gases.
- Some liquids produce vapors that may cause dizziness or suffocation.
- Inhalation of material may be harmful.

#### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

- Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking.
- Friction, heat, sparks, or flames
- Dusts or shavings from borings, turnings, cuttings, etc.
- Do not exceed manufacturer's recommendation for charging or use battery for an application for which it was not specifically designed.
- Do not electrically short.

## 10.5 Incompatible materials

- Avoid contact with acids and oxidizers.
- Keep away from any possible contact with water, because of violent reaction and possible flash fire.
- Handle under inert gas. Protect from moisture.
- Combustibles, reducing agents

#### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

- None under normal conditions.
- Corrosive and/or toxic fume
- Material may produce irritating and highly toxic gases from decomposition by heat and combustion during burning.
- Irritating and/or toxic gases

## SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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## 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

**Oral:** ATEmix = 2,295 mg/kg bw

- -Copper: Rat LD<sub>50</sub> > 2,500 mg/kg (Cupric oxide; read across) (OECD TG 423, GLP)
- -Fe: Rat  $LD_{50} = 98,600 \text{ mg/kg}$  (Reduced iron, OECD TG 401)
- -Graphite: Rat LD<sub>50</sub> > 2,000 mg/kg (female) (OECD Guideline 401)
- -Aluminum: Rat  $LD_{50} > 15,900 \text{ mg/kg}$  (OECD TG 401) (Fumed alumina; read across)
- -Dimethyl carbonate: Rat LD<sub>50</sub> > 5,000 mg/kg (male/female) (OECD Guideline 401)
- Polyethylene: Rat  $LD_{50} > 2,000 \text{ mg/kg}$

- -Nickel; Raney nickel: Rat LD<sub>50</sub> > 9,000 mg/kg (male/female) (OECD Guideline 401, GLP)
- -1,3-Dioxolan-2-one: Rat  $LD_{50} = 10,400 \text{ mg/kg}$  (male) (OECD Guideline 401)
- -Lithium hexafluorophosphate (1-): Rat  $LD_{50} = 50 \sim 300$  mg/kg (Female) (OECD Guideline 423, GLP)
- -Carbon black: Rat LD<sub>50</sub> > 8,000 mg/kg (OECD TG 401)

#### Dermal:

- Copper: Rat LD<sub>50</sub> > 2,000 mg/kg (OECD TG 402, GLP)
- Dimethyl carbonate: Rabbit LD<sub>50</sub> > 2,000 mg/kg (male/female)
- 1,3-Dioxolan-2-one: Rat LD<sub>50</sub> > 2,000 mg/kg (male/female) (OECD Guideline 402)

#### Inhalation:

- Fe: Rat  $LC_{50} > 100 \text{ mg/m}^3/6\text{hr}$
- Graphite: Rat  $LD_{50} > 2 \text{ mg/L/4hr}$  (male/female) (OECD Guideline 403)
- Aluminum: Rat LC<sub>50</sub> > 0.888 mg/L/4hr (analytical) (OECD TG 403)
- Dimethyl carbonate: Rat LD<sub>50</sub> > 5.36 mg/L/4hr (male/female) (OECD Guideline 403)
- 1,3-Dioxolan-2-one: Rat  $LD_{50} = mg/kg$  Rat  $LC0 = 730 \text{ mg/m}^3/8\text{hr}$
- Carbon black: Rat  $LC_{50} > 0.005 \text{ mg/L/4hr}$

#### Skin corrosion/irritation:

- Copper: In test on skin irritation with rabbits, skin irritations were not observed. (OECD TG 404, GLP)
- Fe: In test on skin irritation with rabbits, skin irritations were not observed. (Read across; Fe3O4) (OECD TG 404, GLP)
- Graphite: In the skin irritation test using rabbits, the test material was not irritating. (OECD Guideline 404, GLP)
- Aluminum: Aluminum oxide caused slight erythema in 2/12 rabbits. The observed effects do not lead to a classification. Aluminum oxide is, therefore, not considered to be a primary skin irritant. (OECD TG 404) (Read across, aluminum oxide)
- Dimethyl carbonate: In the skin irritation test using rabbits, the test material was not irritating. (OECD Guideline 404)
- Polyethylene: No irritation was observed at the other two treated sites and no corrosive effects were noted during the study using rabbits. The primary irritation index was calculated as 0.2 and polyethylene was classified as a mild irritant.
- Nickel; Raney nickel: Industrial nickel dust causes nickel dermatitis.
- 1,3-Dioxolan-2-one: In the skin irritation test using rabbits, the test material was not classified. (OECD Guideline 404, GLP)
- Lithium hexafluorophosphate (1-): In the skin irritation test using human, the test material was corrosive. (EU Method B.40, GLP)
- Ethyl methyl carbonate: In the skin irritation test using rabbits, the test material was not irritating. (GLP)
- Carbon black: In test on skin irritation with rabbits, skin irritations were not observed. (OECD TG 404)

#### Serious eye damage/irritation:

- Copper: In test on skin irritation with rabbits, skin irritations were not observed. (OECD TG 405, GLP)
- Fe: In test on eyes irritation with rabbits, eyes irritations were not observed. (Read across.

Fe3O4) (OECD TG 405, GLP)

- Graphite: In the eye irritation test using rabbit, the test material was not irritating. (OECD Guideline 405, GLP)
- Aluminum: An eye irritation study of the aluminum oxide was performed in rabbits. No eye irritation/ corrosion effects were observed. (Read across, aluminum oxide)
- Dimethyl carbonate: In the eye irritation test using rabbit, the test material was not irritating. (GLP)
- -Polyethylene: Mild irritants were observed in eye irritation test with rabbits. (Score 11.7/110)
- 1,3-Dioxolan-2-one: In the eye irritation test using rabbit, the test material was moderately irritating. (OECD Guideline 405, GLP)
- Lithium hexafluorophosphate (1-): In the eye irritation test using fertilized brown leghorn chicken eggs, the test material was severely irritating. (GLP)
- Ethyl methyl carbonate: In the eye irritation test using rabbit, the test material was not irritating. (GLP)
- Carbon black: In test on eyes irritation with rabbits, eyes irritations were snot observed. (OECD TG 405)

#### **Respiratory sensitization:**

- Aluminum: Al2O3 was the least inflammatory material tested and led to only weak effects on the mouse lung. (Read across, Aluminum oxide)
- Carbon black: In respiratory sensitization test with mice, it did not induce respiratory sensitization.

Skin sensitization: Category 1

- Copper: In maximization test on skin sensitization with guinea pig, skin sensitization was not observed. (OECD TG 406, GLP)
- Fe: In the test using guinea pigs, the test substance was not considered to be a dermal sensitizer in guinea pigs. (Read across; FeO, Fe2O3)

- Graphite: In the skin sensitization test using mice, the test material was not skin sensitization. (OECD Guideline 429, GLP)
- Aluminum: In test with guinea pigs, it can be concluded that aluminum oxide has no sensitization potential under the experimental conditions. (Read across, Aluminum oxide)
- Dimethyl carbonate: In the skin sensitization test using guinea pig, this material was not skin sensitizing. (OECD Guideline 406, GLP)
- Polyethylene: No reactions were observed in skin sensitization test with guinea pigs.
- Nickel; Raney nickel: Nickel hypersensitivity dermatitis may be initiated by contact with nickel on the skin.
- 1,3-Dioxolan-2-one: In the skin sensitization test using guinea pig, this material was not classified.

(OECD Guideline 406, GLP)

- Lithium hexafluorophosphate (1-): In the skin sensitization test using mice, the test material was not skin sensitization. (OECD Guideline 429, GLP)
- Ethyl methyl carbonate: In the skin sensitization test using guinea pig, this material was not skin sensitizing. (OECD Guideline 406, GLP)
- Carbon black: In skin sensitization test with guinea pig, it did not induce skin sensitization. (OECD TG 406, GLP)

## **Carcinogenicity:**

#### IARC

- Lithium nickelate: Group 1
- Cobalt and cobalt compounds: Group 2B
- Polyethylene: Group 3Nickel: Group 2BCarbon black: Group 2B

#### **NTP**

- Iron: Present - Nickel: R
- Carbon Black: Present

#### **OSHA**

- Nickel: Present
- Carbon black: Present

#### **ACGIH**

- Aluminum: A4
- Cobalt and cobalt compounds: A3
- Nickel: A5
- Carbon black: A3

#### **KOREA-ISHL**

- Cobalt lithium dioxide: 2
- Nickel: 1A
- Carbon black: 2

## $\mathbf{EU}$

- Lithium nickelate: Carc 1A
- Nickel: Carc. 2
- Copper: In carcinogenicity study with rat, tumor was not observed.
- Polyethylene: Fifty rats were implanted with polyethylene. In the polyethylene group, 23 developed tumors (two of these were unrelated to the implants).

#### **Mutagenicity:**

- Copper: Negative reactions were observed in both in vitro (Ames test) and in vivo (DNA damage and/or repair; unscheduled DNA synthesis, micronucleus assay). (GLP)
- Fe: In mammalian cell gene mutation assay electrolytic iron, positive carbonyl iron exhibited a cytotoxic and mutagenic response (OECD TG 476)
- Graphite: Negative reactions were observed in vitro (Bacterial Reverse Mutation Assay (OECD Guideline 471, GLP)).
- Aluminum: Negative reactions were observed in vitro (mammalian cell gene mutation assay with mouse lymphoma L5178Y cells (OECD TG 476, GLP)) and in vivo (micronucleus assay with rats (OECD TG 474, GLP)). (Aluminum hydroxide, aluminum chloride, aluminum oxide; read across)
- Dimethyl carbonate: Negative reactions were observed in both in vitro (Mammalian Chromosome
- Aberration Test (OECD Guideline 473, GLP)) and in vivo (Mammalian Spermatogonia Chromosome Aberration Test (OECD Guideline 483))
- Polyethylene: Negative reactions were observed in Ames test using Salmonella typhimurium and Escherichia coli.

- 1,3-Dioxolan-2-one: Negative reactions were observed in vitro (mammalian cell gene mutation assay (OECD Guideline 476, GLP)).
- Lithium hexafluorophosphate (1-): Negative reactions were observed in both in vivo (Mammalian Erythrocyte Micronucleus test (OECD Guideline 474)) and in vitro (Bacterial Reverse Mutation Assay (OECD Guideline 471, GLP)).
- Ethyl methyl carbonate: Negative reactions were observed in vitro (Mammalian Chromosome Aberration Test (OECD Guideline 473, GLP)).
- Carbon black: Negative reactions were observed in both in vitro (Bacterial gene mutation test (OECD TG 471, GLP), Chromosomal aberrations test (OECD TG 476)) and in vivo (DNA damage and/or repair test).

#### Reproductive toxicity:

- Copper: In reproductive toxicity with rats, there were no effects considered (up to 1500 ppm). (OECD TG 416, GLP)
- Graphite:
- Aluminum: No reproduction, breeding and early post-natal developmental toxicity was observed in rats at 1000 mg/kg bw for males and females. (OECD TG 422, GLP) (Aluminum chloride; read across)
- Lithium hexafluorophosphate (1-): In the two-generation reproductive toxicity with rats, no effects observed on reproductive toxicity. (male/female) (OECD Guideline 416, GLP) (OECD Guideline 414) (Information on major hydrolysis product of the registered substance (released rapidly on contact with water/moisture))
- Carbon black: No adverse effects on the reproductive function are expected. (OECD TG 414)

## **Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure):**

- Copper: All animals showed expected gains in bodyweight over the study period and there were no abnormalities noted at necropsy. (OECD TG 423, GLP)
- Fe: If inhaled, iron is a local irritant to the lung and gastrointestinal tract.
- Aluminum: In test using rats, Clinical signs of depression, labored respiration, piloerection, and hunched appearance was noted at the highest dose 15900 mg/kg. Macroscopic examination at the end of the observation period did not reveal any aluminum-related changes of the internal organs of the aluminum treated animals compared to the control group. (OECD TG 401) (Fumed alumina; read across)
- Polyethylene: No test substance-related toxic effects were observed in an acute oral toxicity study with rats.
- Nickel; Raney nickel: In the acute oral toxicity using rat, there were no effects on clinical signs, systemic toxicity. (OECD Guideline 401, GLP)
- Lithium hexafluorophosphate (1-): Clinical signs observed during the study period were lethargy, hunched posture, uncoordinated movements, piloerection at 300 mg/kg, hunched posture, piloerection at 50 mg/kg. The surviving animals had recovered from the symptoms by Day 3. (OECD Guideline 423, GLP)
- Carbon black: No effect on endothelins or blood pressure was observed after exposure to carbon black. There were also no effects on body temperature and activity of the animals.

## Specific target organ toxicity (repeat exposure):

- Copper: In test with rats for 92 days, there were no mortalities or signs of clinical toxicity observed in any of the test species during the duration of the study. Ophthalmoscopic examinations revealed no abnormalities at any dose level tested. At gross pathology, significant decreases in heart and kidney weight were noted in the high dose males in the thymus and kidneys of high dose females. (GLP)
- Fe: Rats were exposed to metallic iron as carbonyl iron via their feed (2.5%) for 2, 4, 6, or 9 weeks. This resulted in a strong increase of non-heme iron in the liver and clear lipid peroxidation in the liver and the mucosa of the duodenum. No evidence for DNA breakage were found. What follows is the original abstract of the publication. (Carbonyl iron)
- Aluminum: On occasion workers chronically exposed to aluminum-containing dusts or fumes have developed severe pulmonary reactions including fibrosis, emphysema, and pneumothorax.
- Polyethylene: No significant adverse effects were observed in sub chronic (90-day) oral toxicity study with rats and dogs.
- Nickel; Raney nickel: In nickel plating industry, exposure to nickel containing vapors has been reported to be associated with asthma.
- Lithium hexafluorophosphate (1-): According to expert review of fluoride intake and effects on human health, fluoride intake in drinking water at levels close to or above 4 mg/l is associated with dental fluorosis and perhaps also bone fluorosis and/or weakening.; Damage to dental enamel recorded: especially notable in young animals, which also showed atrophy of respiratory organs/tissues with local oedema of bronchial mucosa. Older animals showed peribranchial hyperplasia. Animals around 1 year in age showed cavity formation in their bones. (Information on major hydrolysis product of the registered substance (released rapidly on contact with water/moisture)) (OECD Guideline 412)
- Carbon black: Mice were continuously fed various types of carbon black in massive quantities (10% in diet) for 12 to 18 months. This led to no detectable changes from the normal in the organs and tissues of the mice fed.

#### **Aspiration Hazard:** Not available

## **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

\* This is a product that fulfills a certain function in solid state with specific shape without discharging any chemical substance in its use and has no obligation to write (M)SDS. Since this document contains the precautions for safe handling related to its materials or chemical substances consisting of this product, please note that this overall information is irrelevant to this product.

#### 12.1 Ecological toxicity

- Acute toxicity: ATEmix = 0.13mg/ $\ell$ 

#### Fish

- Fe: 96hr-LC<sub>50</sub> (Brachy danio rerio) > 10000 mg/L (OECD TG 203, GLP)
- Graphite: 96hr-LC<sub>50</sub> > 100 mg/L
- Aluminum: 96hr-LC<sub>50</sub> > 218.64 mg/L (GLP) (Read across; aluminum chloride hexahydrate), 28d-NOEC (*Pimephales promelas*) = 4.7 mg/L (Read across; aluminum sulphate)
- Cobalt lithium dioxide: 96hr-LC<sub>50</sub> = 54.1 mg/L (Read across; cobalt (II) chloride hexahydrate), 34d-NOEC (*Pimephales promelas*) = 0.21 mg/L
- 1,3-Dioxolan-2-one: 96hr-LC<sub>50</sub> > 100 mg/L (OECD Guideline 203, GLP)
- Lithium hexafluorophosphate (1-):  $96\text{hr-LC}_{50} = 51 \sim 193 \text{ mg/L}$  Information on major hydrolysis product of the registered substance (released rapidly on contact with water/moisture); 21d-NOEC=4 mg F-/L
- Ethyl methyl carbonate: 96hr-LC<sub>50</sub> > 100 mg/L (OECD Guideline 203, GLP)
- Carbon black:  $96hr-LC_0 = 1000 \text{ mg/L}$  (OECD TG 203, GLP)

#### Crustacean

- Fe:  $48\text{hr-EC}_{50}$  (Daphnia magna) > 100 mg/L (OECD TG 202, GLP)
- Graphite:  $48hr-EC_{50} > 100 \text{ mg/L}$
- Aluminum: 48hr-LC<sub>50</sub> = 0.071 mg/L (Read across; CAS 13473-90-0), 8d-NOEC (*Ceriodaphnia dubia*) = 4.9 mg/L (Read across; CAS 7784-13-6): 48hr-EC<sub>50</sub> = 2.618 mg/L (GLP) (Read across; cobalt (II) chloride hexahydrate), 42d-NOEC (*Neanthes arenaceodentata*) = 0.713 mg/L (ASTM Method E1562, GLP)
- 1,3-Dioxolan-2-one:  $48\text{hr-EC}_{50} > 100 \text{ mg/L}$  (OECD Guideline 202, GLP)
- Lithium hexafluorophosphate (1-):  $48\text{hr-LC}_{50} > 100 \text{ mg/L}$  (OECD Guideline 202, GLP); 21d-NOEC (*Daphnia magna*) = 10 mg/L (Information on major hydrolysis product of the registered substance (released rapidly on contact with water/moisture)) (OECD guideline 202, GLP)
- Ethyl methyl carbonate: 48hr-EC $_{50} > 100$  mg/L (OECD Guideline 202, GLP)
- Carbon black: 24hr-EC<sub>50</sub> > 5600 mg/L (OECD TG 202, GLP)

#### Algae

- Graphite: 72hr-EC<sub>50</sub> (Selenastrum capricornutum) > 100 mg/L
- Aluminum: 72hr-EC<sub>50</sub> = 0.0169 mg/L (OECD TG 201), (Read across; CAS 13473-90-0)
- Cobalt lithium dioxide: 96hr-EC<sub>50</sub> = 71.314 mg/L (Read across; cobalt (II) chloride hexahydrate), 96hr-NOEC (*Dunaliella tertiolecta*) = 4.672 mg/L
- 1,3-Dioxolan-2-one: 72hr-EC<sub>50</sub> > 100 mg/L (OECD Guideline 201, GLP), 72hr-NOEC (*Selenastrum capricornutum*) = 100mg/L (OECD Guideline 201, GLP)
- Lithium hexafluorophosphate (1-): 96hr-EC<sub>50</sub> > 100 mg/L; 96h-NOEC = 22 mg/L (OECD Guideline 201, GLP)
- Ethyl methyl carbonate: 72hr-EC<sub>50</sub> > 62 mg/L (OECD Guideline 201, GLP), 72hr-NOEC (*Scenedesmus subspicatus*) = 50 mg/L (OECD Guideline 201, GLP)
- Carbon black: 72hr-EC<sub>50</sub> > 10000 mg/L, 72hr-NOEC > 10,000mg/l (OECD TG 201, GLP)

## 12.2 Persistence and degradability

#### **Persistence**

- Graphite: Low persistency (log Kow is less than 4 estimated.) (Log Kow = 0.78)
- Aluminum: Low persistency (log Kow is less than 4 estimated.) (Log Kow = 0.33) (estimated)
- 1,3-Dioxolan-2-one: Low persistency (log Kow is less than 4 estimated.) (Log Kow = 0.11) (20 °C, pH> 5.33 < 5.79) (EU Method A.8, GLP)
- Lithium hexafluorophosphate (1-): Low persistency (log Kow is less than 4 estimated.) (Log Kow = 0.354) (20 °C, pH > 6.5 < 7.5) (OECD Guideline 107, GLP)
- Ethyl methyl carbonate: Low persistency (log Kow is less than 4 estimated.) (Log Kow = 0.972) (40 °C, pH 6.8)

Degradability: Not available

#### 12.3 Bio accumulative potential

#### **Bioaccumulation**

- Copper: Bioaccumulation is expected to be low according to the BCF < 500 (BCF =  $0.02 \sim 20$ )
- Graphite: Bioaccumulation is expected to be low according to the BCF < 500 (BCF = 2.433)
- Aluminum: Bioaccumulation is expected to be low according to the BCF < 500 (BCF = 3.162) (estimated)
- Dimethyl carbonate: Bioaccumulation is expected to be low according to the BCF < 500 (BCF = 3.2)
- Cobalt lithium dioxide: Bioaccumulation is expected to be low according to the BCF < 500 (BCF = 23) (Read across; 57CoCl)
- Nickel; Raney nickel: Bioaccumulation is expected to be low according to the BCF < 500 (BCF = 70)
- 1,3-Dioxolan-2-one: Bioaccumulation is expected to be low according to the BCF < 500 (BCF = 3.162) (estimated)
- Lithium hexafluorophosphate (1-): Bioaccumulation is expected to be low according to the BCF < 500 (BCF < 31)
- Ethyl methyl carbonate: Bioaccumulation is expected to be low according to the BCF < 500 (BCF =
- 3.162) (estimated)

## Biodegradation

- Dimethyl carbonate: As well-biodegraded, it is expected to have low accumulation potential in living organisms (= 86% biodegradation was observed after 28 days) (OECD Guideline 301 C, GLP)
- Polyethylene: As not well-biodegraded, it is expected to have high accumulation potential in living organisms (= 0% biodegradation was observed after 28 days)
- 1,3-Dioxolan-2-one: As well-biodegraded, it is expected to have low accumulation potential in living organisms (70% ~ 80% biodegradation was observed after 10 days) (OECD Guideline 301 A, GLP)
- Lithium hexafluorophosphate (1-): As well-biodegraded, it is expected to have low accumulation potential in living organisms (= 86% biodegradation was observed after 28 days) (OECD Guideline 301 C, GLP)
- Ethyl methyl carbonate: As well-biodegraded, it is expected to have low accumulation potential in living organisms (= 98% biodegradation was observed after 28 days)
- Carbon black: carbon black is an inorganic substance and will not biodegraded by microorganisms.

#### 12.4 Mobility in soil

- Nickel; Raney nickel: Low potency of mobility to soil. (Koc = 2.86)
- 1,3-Dioxolan-2-one: Low potency of mobility to soil. (Koc = 3.219) (estimated)
- Ethyl methyl carbonate: Low potency of mobility to soil. (Koc = 1.58) (40 °C) (OECD Guideline 121, GLP

#### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment: Not available

12.6 Other adverse effects: Not available

## SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

## 13.1 Waste treatment methods Product/Packaging disposal

- Consider the required attentions in accordance with waste treatment management regulation.

Waste codes/Waste designation according to LoW (2015): 16-06-05

## Waste treatment-relevant information

- Waste must be disposed of in accordance with federal, state, and local environmental control regulations.

**Sewage disposal-relevant information:** Not available **Other disposal recommendations:** Not available

## SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

\* If those lithium-ion batteries are packed with or contained in an equipment, then it is the responsibility of the shipper to ensure that the consignment are packed in compliance to the latest edition of the IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations section II of either Packing Instruction 966 or 967 in order for that consignment to be declared as NOT RESTRICTED (non-hazardous/non-Dangerous). If those lithium-ion batteries are packed with or contained in an equipment, UN No. is UN3481.

**14.1 UN Number:** 3480

14.2 UN Proper shipping name: LITHIUM-ION BATTERIES

14.3 Transport Hazard class: 9

14.4 Packing group: II

14.5 Special provisions: 188, 230, 38414.6 Packing instructions: P90314.7 Environmental hazards: No

14.8 Special precautions for user in case of fire: F-A

In case of leakage: S-I

14.9 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code: Not Available

14.10 IATA Transport: PI 965-Section IB

#### 14.11 Package labels



## **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

15.1 Safety, health, and environmental regulation/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

**EU** regulations

Authorizations and/or restrictions on use:

Authorizations: Not regulated

**Restrictions on use:** 

- Nickel: Regulated

Other EU regulations: Not regulated Foreign Regulatory Information

**External information:** 

U.S.A management information (OSHA Regulation): Not regulated

U.S.A management information (CERCLA Regulation):

Copper: 5,000 lb.Nickel: 100 lb.

U.S.A management information (EPCRA 302 Regulation): Not regulated U.S.A management information (EPCRA 304 Regulation): Not regulated

**U.S.A management information (EPCRA 313 Regulation):** 

- Aluminum (metal): Regulated

Copper: RegulatedNickel: Regulated

Substance of Rotterdam Protocol: Not regulated

**Substance of Stockholm Protocol:** 

- lithium hexafluorophosphate (1-): Regulated **Substance of Montreal Protocol:** Not regulated

## 15.2 Chemical safety assessment:

- No chemical safety assessment has been carried out for this product by the supplier.

## **SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION EU**

Product safety data sheet for PA0001N0006A/PA0001N0007A/PA001N0008A prepared in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2015/830 (REACH), Annex II, and OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200

## 16.1 Indication of changes

Date Updated: 28 Jan 2021

Version: Rev. 00

#### 16.2 Abbreviations and acronyms

**ACGIH** = American Conference of Government Industrial Hygienists

CLP = Classification Labelling Packaging Regulation; Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

**CAS No.** = Chemical Abstracts Service number

**DMEL** = Derived Minimal Effect Levels

**DNEL** = Derived No Effect Level

**EC Number** = EINECS and ELINCS Number (see also EINECS and ELINCS)

**EU** = European Union

**IARC** = International Agency for Research on Cancer

**ISHL** = Industrial Safety & Health Law

**NIOSH** = National Institute for Occupational Safety & Health

**NTP** = National Toxicology Program

**OSHA** = European Agency for Safety and Health at work

**PBT** = Persistent, Bio accumulative and Toxic substance

**PNEC(s)** = Predicted No Effect Concentration (s)

**REACH** = Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals Regulation (EC) No 453/2010

**STP** = Sewage Treatment Plant

**SVHC** = Substances of Very High Concern

**vPvB** = Very Persistent and Very Bio accumulative

**UN** = United Nations

**MARPOL** = International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (IMO)

**IBC** = Intermediate Bulk Container

**CERCLA** = Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation & Liability Act (US)

**EPCRA** = Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act (US)

**EINECS** = European Inventory of Existing Commercial chemical Substances

**ELINCS** = European List of Notified Chemical Substances

## 16.3 Key literature reference and sources for data:

U.S. National library of Medicine (NLM) Hazardous Substances Data Bank (HSDB)

LookChem; http://www.lookchem.com/

IUCLID: http://ecb.jrc.ec.europa.eu/IUCLID-DataSheets/7631905.pdf

CHRIP (Chemical Risk Information Platform)

EPISUITE v4.11; http://www.epa.gov/opt/exposure/pubs/episuitedl.html

The Chemical Database -The Department of Chemistry at the University of Akron; http://ull.chemistry.uakron.edu/erd/

ECOTOX: http://cfpub.epa.gov/ecotox/

International Chemical Safety Cards (ICSC): http://www.nihs.go.jp/ICSC/

National Chemical Information System (http://ncis.nier.go.kr)

Korea Dangerous Material Inventory Management System (http://hazmat.nema.go.kr)

REACH information on registered substances; https://echa.europa.eu/information-onchemicals/registered-substances

EU CLP; https://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals/cl-inventory-database

NIOSH Pocket Guide; http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/npg/npgdcas.html

IARC Monographs on the Evaluation of Carcinogenic Risks to Humans; http://monographs.iarc.fr

National Toxicology Program; http://ntp.niehs.nih.gov/results/dbsearch/

TOMES-LOLI®; http://www.rightanswerknowledge.com/loginRA.asp

UN Recommendations on the transport of dangerous goods 17th

American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists TLVs and BEIs.

## 16.4 Classification and procedure used to derive the classification for mixtures according to

Regulation (EC) 1272/2008(CLP): Not classified

16.5 Relevant H-statements: Not applicable

#### 16.6 Training advice:

- Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

#### 16.7 Further information:

Data of sections 4 to 8, as well as 10 to 12, do not necessarily refer to the use and the regular handling of the product (in this sense consult package leaflet and expert information), but to release of major amounts in case of accidents and irregularities. The information describes exclusively the safety requirements for the product (s) and is based on the present level of our knowledge. This data does not constitute a guarantee for the characteristics of the product(s) as defined by the legal warranty regulations. "(n.a. = not applicable; n.d. = not determined)" The data for the hazardous ingredients were taken respectively from the last version of the sub-contractor's safety data sheet.