

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

### Product identifier

Product Name 18650 ME1 (2.1Ah)

### Other means of identification

Synonyms None

### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended Use LITHIUM ION BATTERIES

Uses advised against No information available

### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Classification

This chemical is not considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200). This product is an article which is a sealed battery and as such does not require an MSDS per the OSHA hazard communication standard unless ruptured. The hazards indicated are for a ruptured battery.

Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 2
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2
Carcinogenicity	Category 1A

### GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements



## Emergency Overview

## Signal word

Danger

## Hazard Statements

Causes skin irritation  
 Causes serious eye irritation  
 May cause cancer



This product is an article which contains a chemical substance. Safety information is given for exposure to the article as sold. Intended use of the product should not result in exposure to the chemical substance. This is a battery. In case of rupture: the above hazards exist.

Appearance Orange

Physical State Solid

Odor Odorless

## Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Obtain special instructions before use  
 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood  
 Use personal protective equipment as required  
 Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling  
 Wear eye/face protection

## Precautionary Statements - Response

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention  
 Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instructions on this label)

## Eyes

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing  
 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention

## Skin

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water  
 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention  
 Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse

## Precautionary Statements - Storage

Store locked up

## Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

## Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not applicable

## Unknown Toxicity

30% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

## Other information

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

**Interactions with Other Chemicals**

Use of alcoholic beverages may enhance toxic effects.

**3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Chemical Name	CAS No	Weight-%	Trade Secret
Cobalt lithium manganese nickel oxide	182442-95-1	30 - 60	*
Copper	7440-50-8	7 - 13	*
Aluminum foil	7429-90-5	7 - 13	*

\*The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret

**4. FIRST AID MEASURES****First aid measures****General Advice**

First aid is upon rupture of sealed battery.

**Eye Contact**

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Keep eye wide open while rinsing. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists. Do not rub affected area.

**Skin Contact**

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

**Inhalation**

Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.

**Ingestion**

Rinse mouth immediately and drink plenty of water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician.

**Self-protection of the first aider**

Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Use personal protective equipment as required. Wear personal protective clothing (see section 8).

**Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

**Most Important Symptoms and Effects** Burning sensation.

**Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed****Notes to Physician**

Treat symptomatically.

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

### **Unsuitable extinguishing media**

CAUTION: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

### **Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

No information available.

### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Carbon oxides.

### **Explosion Data**

**Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact** No.

**Sensitivity to Static Discharge** No.

### **Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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

#### **Personal Precautions**

Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required.

#### **Other Information**

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

### **Environmental Precautions**

#### **Environmental Precautions**

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

### **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

#### **Methods for Containment**

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

#### **Methods for cleaning up**

Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for safe handling

#### Handling

In case of rupture: Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

#### Storage

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

#### Incompatible Products

Strong acids. Strong oxidizing agents. Strong bases.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control parameters

### Exposure Guidelines

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Cobalt lithium manganese nickel oxide 182442-95-1	TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Co TWA: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Mn TWA: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Mn	(vacated) Ceiling: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Ceiling: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Mn	IDLH: 500 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Mn IDLH: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Ni TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Mn TWA: 0.015 mg/m <sup>3</sup> except Nickel carbonyl Ni STEL: 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Mn
Copper 7440-50-8	TWA: 0.2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> fume TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Cu dust and mist	TWA: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> fume TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> dust and mist (vacated) TWA: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Cu dust, fume, mist	IDLH: 100 mg/m <sup>3</sup> dust, fume and mist TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> dust and mist TWA: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> fume
Aluminum foil 7429-90-5	TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable fraction	TWA: 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> total dust TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable fraction (vacated) TWA: 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> total dust (vacated) TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable fraction (vacated) TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Al Aluminum	TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> total dust TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> respirable dust

ACGIH TLV: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists - Threshold Limit Value OSHA PEL: Occupational Safety and Health Administration - Permissible Exposure Limits Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

### Other Exposure Guidelines

Vacated limits revoked by the Court of Appeals decision in AFL-CIO v. OSHA, 965 F.2d 962 (11th Cir., 1992) See section 15 for national exposure control parameters

### Appropriate engineering controls

#### Engineering Measures

Showers  
Eyewash stations  
Ventilation systems

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

#### Eye/Face Protection

If splashes are likely to occur: Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles). None required for consumer use.

#### Skin and Body Protection

Wear protective gloves and protective clothing. Long sleeved clothing. Impervious gloves.

**Respiratory Protection**

No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

**Hygiene Measures**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

**Physical and Chemical Properties**

<b>Physical State</b>	Solid		
<b>Appearance</b>	Orange	<b>Odor</b>	Odorless
<b>Color</b>	No information available	<b>Odor Threshold</b>	No information available
<b><u>Property</u></b>	<b><u>Values</u></b>	<b><u>Remarks</u></b>	<b><u>Method</u></b>
pH	No data available	None known	
Melting / freezing point	No data available	None known	
Boiling point / boiling range	No data available	None known	
Flash Point	No data available	None known	
Evaporation Rate	No data available	None known	
Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available	None known	
Flammability Limit in Air			
Upper flammability limit	No data available		
Lower flammability limit	No data available		
Vapor pressure	No data available	None known	
Vapor density	No data available	None known	
Specific Gravity	No data available	None known	
Water Solubility	Insoluble in water	None known	
Solubility in other solvents	No data available	None known	
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No data available	None known	
Autoignition temperature	No data available	None known	
Decomposition temperature	No data available	None known	
Kinematic viscosity	No data available	None known	
Dynamic viscosity	No data available	None known	
Explosive properties	No data available		
Oxidizing Properties	No data available		

**Other Information**

Softening Point	No data available
VOC Content (%)	No data available
Particle Size	No data available
Particle Size Distribution	

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### Reactivity

No data available.

### Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

### Hazardous Polymerization

Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

### Conditions to avoid

None known based on information supplied.

### Incompatible materials

Strong acids. Strong oxidizing agents. Strong bases.

### Hazardous Decomposition Products

Carbon oxides.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Information on likely routes of exposure

#### Product Information

Product does not present an acute toxicity hazard based on known or supplied information. In case of rupture:.

#### Inhalation

Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. May cause irritation of respiratory tract.

#### Eye Contact

Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Expected to be an irritant based on components. Irritating to eyes. May cause redness, itching, and pain. May cause temporary eye irritation.

#### Skin Contact

Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Expected to be an irritant based on components. Irritating to skin. Prolonged contact may cause redness and irritation.

#### Ingestion

Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Ingestion may cause irritation to mucous membranes. Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

#### Component Information

### Information on toxicological effects

#### Symptoms

Erythema (skin redness). May cause redness and tearing of the eyes.

### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

**Sensitization** No information available.

**Mutagenic Effects** No information available.

**Carcinogenicity** The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Chemical Name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Cobalt lithium manganese nickel oxide 182442-95-1	A3	Group 1 Group 2B	Known	X

ACGIH (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)

A3 - Animal Carcinogen

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

Group 1 - Carcinogenic to Humans

Group 2B - Possibly Carcinogenic to Humans

NTP (National Toxicology Program)

Known - Known Carcinogen

OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the US Department of Labor)

X - Present

**Reproductive Toxicity** No information available.

**STOT - single exposure** No information available.

**STOT - repeated exposure** No information available.

**Chronic Toxicity** No known effect based on information supplied. Contains a known or suspected carcinogen. May cause adverse effects on the bone marrow and blood-forming system. May cause adverse liver effects.

**Target Organ Effects** Respiratory system. Eyes. Skin. Gastrointestinal tract (GI). Blood. Central Nervous System (CNS). Central Vascular System (CVS). Kidney. Liver. Lungs. Nasal cavities.

**Aspiration Hazard** No information available.

#### Numerical measures of toxicity Product Information

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document

Not applicable



## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Ecotoxicity

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Chemical Name	Toxicity to Algae	Toxicity to Fish	Toxicity to Microorganisms	Daphnia Magna (Water Flea)
Copper 7440-50-8	96h EC50: 0.031 - 0.054 mg/L (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata) 72h EC50: 0.0426 - 0.0535 mg/L (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata)	96h LC50: 0.0068 - 0.0156 mg/L (Pimephales promelas) 96h LC50: = 0.112 mg/L (Poecilia reticulata) 96h LC50: = 0.3 mg/L (Cyprinus carpio) 96h LC50: = 0.8 mg/L (Cyprinus carpio) 96h LC50: = 1.25 mg/L (Lepomis macrochirus) 96h LC50: = 0.052 mg/L (Oncorhynchus mykiss) 96h LC50: = 0.2 mg/L (Pimephales promelas) 96h LC50: < 0.3 mg/L (Pimephales promelas)		48h EC50: = 0.03 mg/L

### Persistence and Degradability

No information available.

### Bioaccumulation

No information available

### Other adverse effects

No information available.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### Waste treatment methods

#### Disposal methods

This material, as supplied, is not a hazardous waste according to Federal regulations (40 CFR 261). This material could become a hazardous waste if it is mixed with or otherwise comes in contact with a hazardous waste, if chemical additions are made to this material, or if the material is processed or otherwise altered. Consult 40 CFR 261 to determine whether the altered material is a hazardous waste. Consult the appropriate state, regional, or local regulations for additional requirements.

#### Contaminated Packaging

Dispose of contents/containers in accordance with local regulations.

#### California Hazardous Waste Codes 141

This product contains one or more substances that are listed with the State of California as a hazardous waste.

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste
Cobalt lithium manganese nickel oxide 182442-95-1	Toxic
Copper 7440-50-8	Toxic
Aluminum foil 7429-90-5	Ignitable powder

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION



**Note:**

The transportation of primary lithium cells and batteries is regulated by the International Civil Aviation Organization, International Air Transport Association, International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code and the US Department of Transportation. The batteries must meet the following criteria for shipment: 1. Air shipments must meet the requirements listed in Special Provision A45 of the International Air Transport Association Dangerous Goods Regulations. 2. Meet the requirements for the US Department of Transportation listed in 49 CFR 173.185. 3. The transport of primary lithium batteries is prohibited aboard passenger aircraft. Refer to the Federal Register December 15, 2004 (Hazardous Materials; Prohibited on the Transportation of Primary Lithium Batteries and Cells Aboard Passenger Aircraft; Final Rule)

Lithium batteries shipped as "Lithium batteries", "Lithium batteries packed with equipment", or "Lithium batteries contained in equipment" may not be classified as "Dangerous Goods" when shipped in accordance with "special provision A45 of IATA-DGR" or "special provision 188 of IMO-IMDG Code"

**DOT**  
**Proper Shipping Name**  
**Hazard Class**

NOT REGULATED  
 NON REGULATED  
 N/A

**TDG**  
 Not regulated

**MEX**  
 Not regulated

**ICAO**  
 Not regulated

**IATA**  
**Proper Shipping Name**  
**Hazard Class**

Not regulated  
 NON REGULATED  
 N/A

**IMDG/IMO**  
**Hazard Class**  
**EmS-No.**

Not regulated  
 N/A  
 F-A, S-I

**RID**  
 Not regulated

**ADR**  
 Not regulated

**ADN**  
 Not regulated

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### International Inventories

TSCA  
 DSL

Complies  
 All components are listed either on the DSL or NDSL.

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory  
 DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

### US Federal Regulations

#### **SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

Chemical Name	CAS No	Weight-%	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Cobalt lithium manganese nickel oxide - 182442-95-1	182442-95-1	30 - 60	1.0 0.1



Copper - 7440-50-8	7440-50-8	7 - 13	1.0
Aluminum foil - 7429-90-5	7429-90-5	7 - 13	1.0

**SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories**

Acute Health Hazard	No
Chronic Health Hazard	No
Fire Hazard	No
Sudden release of pressure hazard	No
Reactive Hazard	No

**CWA (Clean Water Act)**

This product contains the following substances which are regulated pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

Chemical Name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Cobalt lithium manganese nickel oxide 182442-95-1		X		
Copper 7440-50-8		X	X	

**CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302)

Chemical Name	Hazardous Substances RQs	Extremely Hazardous Substances RQs	RQ
Copper 7440-50-8	5000 lb		RQ 5000 lb final RQ RQ 2270 kg final RQ
Aluminum foil 7429-90-5			

**US State Regulations****California Proposition 65**

This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals.

Chemical Name	California Proposition 65
Cobalt lithium manganese nickel oxide - 182442-95-1	Carcinogen

**U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations**

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania	Rhode Island	Illinois
Cobalt lithium manganese nickel oxide 182442-95-1			X	X	X
Carbon 7440-44-0			X		
Copper 7440-50-8	X	X	X	X	X
Aluminum foil 7429-90-5		X		X	

**International Regulations****Mexico****National occupational exposure limits**

Component	Carcinogen Status	Exposure Limits
Cobalt lithium manganese nickel oxide 182442-95-1 ( 30 - 60 )		Mexico: TWA 0.2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Copper 7440-50-8 ( 7 - 13 )		Mexico: TWA= 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Mexico: TWA= 0.2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Mexico: STEL= 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>



Aluminum foil 7429-90-5 ( 7 - 13 )		Mexico: TWA 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
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Mexico - Occupational Exposure Limits - Carcinogens

#### Canada

#### WHMIS Hazard Class

Non-controlled

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

<b>NFPA</b>	<b>Health Hazards</b> 0	<b>Flammability</b> 0	<b>Instability</b> 0	<b>Physical and Chemical Hazards -</b>
<b>HMIS</b>	<b>Health Hazards</b> 0	<b>Flammability</b> 0	<b>Physical Hazard</b> 0	<b>Personal Protection</b>
				X

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