# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

Product identifier

**Product Name** NI-MH battery

Other means of identification

Synonyms None

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended Use** Nickel Metal Hydride (NiMH) Battery

Uses advised against No information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

**Supplier Name** Xianju Dingfeng Crafts Factory

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Phone: +860576-89372039 **Supplier Phone Number** 

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**Supplier Email** df@china-dingfeng.com

**Emergency telephone number** 

## 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.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category1
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1 Sub-category B
Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)	Category 2

#### GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

## **Emergency Overview**

Signal word Warning

**Hazard Statements** 

Harmful if swallowed

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure



#### **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

#### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention

#### **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**

#### Other information

No information available

#### **Interactions with Other Chemicals**

No information available

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No	Weight-%
Potassium hydroxide	1310-58-3	6.1
Water	7732-18-5	9.8
Polypropylene	9003-07-0	5.9
Iron	7439-89-6	35.9
Cobalt(II) oxide	1307-96-6	3.7
Copper	7440-50-8	8.8
Nickel	7440-02-0	29.8

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### First aid measures

**General Advice** First aid is upon rupture of sealed battery.

**Eye Contact** Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water, also under the

eyelids. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

**Skin Contact** Wash skin with soap and water. In the case of skin

irritation or allergic reactions see a physician.

Inhalation Remove to fresh air. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

Ingestion Do NOT induce vomiting. Drink plenty of water. If

symptoms persist, call a physician.

Self-protection of the first aider Use personal protective equipment as required.

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

**Most Important Symptoms and** 

No information available.

**Effects** 

## 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.

**Uniform Fire Code** Sensitizer: Solid

Highly Toxic: Solid

#### **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 eyes.

**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.

## 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 In case of rupture: Soak up with inert absorbent material. Pick up and

transfer to properly labeled containers.

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

## Precautions for safe handling

Handling 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 container tightly closed.

**Incompatible Products** Acids. Bases. Oxidizing agent.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### <u>Control parameters</u> Exposure Guidelines

**Chemical Name ACGIH TLV OSHA PEL** NIOSH IDLH TWA: 0.02 mg/m<sup>3</sup> Co Cobalt(II) oxide 1307-96-6 Potassium TWA: 2 mg/m3 (vacated) Ceiling: 2 mg/m3 Ceiling: 2 mg/m3 hydroxide 1310-58-3 TWA: 1.5 mg/m<sup>3</sup> TWA: 1 mg/m<sup>3</sup> IDLH: 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup> Nickel TWA: 0.015 mg/m<sup>3</sup> 7440-02-0 (vacated) TWA: 1 mg/m<sup>3</sup> TWA: 0.2 mg/m3 fume TWA: 0.1 mg/m<sup>3</sup> fume IDLH: 100 mg/m<sup>3</sup> dust, fume and Copper 7440-50-8 TWA: 1 TWA: 1 mg/m<sup>3</sup> dust and mist mist (vacated) TWA: 0.1 mg/m<sup>3</sup> Cu mg/ mg/m<sup>3</sup> Cu dust TWA: 1 mg/m<sup>3</sup> dust and mist and mist dust, fume, mist TWA: 0.1 mg/m<sup>3</sup> fume

ACGIH TLV: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists - Threshold Limit Value OSHA PEL:

Occupational Safety and Health

Administration - Permissible Exposure Limits NIOSH IDLH 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** No special protective equipment required.

Skin and Body Protection No special protective equipment required.

**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.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

#### **Physical and Chemical Properties**

Physical State Solid contain liquid

AppearanceSilverOdorOdorless

Color No information available Odor Threshold No information available

Property	Values	Remarks/
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	No data available	None known
Solubility in other solvents	No data available	None known
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	0.0001	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	0.0001	None known
Explosive properties	No data available	None known
Oxidizing Properties	No data available	None known

#### **Other Information**

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

Excessive heat.

## **Incompatible materials**

Acids. Bases. Oxidizing agent.

#### **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Carbon oxides.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

## Information on likely routes of exposure

#### **Product Information**

InhalationSpecific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.Eye ContactSpecific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.Skin ContactSpecific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.IngestionSpecific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

**Component Information** 

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Iron	= 984 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	-
7439-89-6			
Nickel	> 9000 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	-
7440-02-0			
Potassium hydroxide	= 214 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	-
1310-58-3			

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#### Information on toxicological effects

**Symptoms** No information available.

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

Sensitization May cause sensitization of susceptible persons.

**Mutagenic Effects** Contains a known or suspected mutagen.

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

carcinogen.

Chemical Name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Nickel 7440-02-0		Group 2B	Reasonably Anticipated	X
Cobalt(II) oxide 1307-96-6	A3	Group 2B		X

ACGIH (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)

A1 - Known Human Carcinogen

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

**Chronic Toxicity** Contains a known or suspected carcinogen.

Target Organ Effects Skin.

**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

ATEmix (oral)

ATEmix (inhalation-gas)

ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist)

ATEmix (inhalation-vapor)

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

This product contains a chemical which is listed as a severe marine pollutant according to DOT

Chemical Name	Toxicity to Algae	Toxicity to Fish	Toxicity to Microorganisms	Daphnia Magna (Water Flea)
Iron 7439-89-6		96h LC50: = 13.6 mg/L (Morone saxatilis)		
Nickel 7440-02-0	72h EC50: = 0.18 mg/L (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata) 96h EC50: 0.174 - 0.311 mg/L (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata)	96h LC50: > 100 mg/L (Brachydanio rerio) 96h LC50: = 1.3 mg/L (Cyprinus carpio) 96h LC50: = 10.4 mg/L (Cyprinus carpio)		48h EC50: > 100 mg/L 48h EC50: = 1 mg/L
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: =		48h EC50: = 0.03 mg/L

	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)	
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	96h LC50: = 80 mg/L (Gambusia affinis)	

The environmental impact of this product has not been fully investigated.

#### **Persistence and Degradability**

No information available.

#### **Bioaccumulation**

Chemical Name	Log Pow
Potassium hydroxide	0.83
1310-58-3	

#### Other adverse effects

No information available.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

**Disposal methods** Should not be released into the environment.

**Contaminated Packaging** Dispose of in accordance with federal, state and local regulations.

**US EPA Waste Number** Dispose of contents/containers in accordance with local regulations.

Chemical Name	RCRA	RCRA - Basis for Listing	RCRA - D Series Wastes	RCRA - U Series Wastes
Nickel 7440-02-0	(hazardous constituent - no waste number)	Included in waste streams: F006, F039		

#### California Hazardous Waste Codes 181

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 oxide 1307-96-6	Toxic	
Potassium hydroxide	Toxic	
1310-58-3	Corrosive	
Copper 7440-50-8	Toxic	

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT **NOT REGULATED** 

Proper Shipping Name NON REGULATED

**Hazard Class** N/A

**Marine Pollutant** This product contains a chemical which is listed as a severe marine pollutant according to DOT

Not regulated **TDG** MEX Not regulated CAO Not regulated Not regulated IATA **Proper Shipping Name** Not regulated

**Hazard Class** N/A

IMDG/IMO Not regulated

**Hazard Class** N/A

**RID** Not regulated <u>ADR</u> Not regulated **AND** Not regulated

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### **International Inventories**

**TSCA** Complies

DSL 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(II) oxide	1307-96-6	3.7	0.1
Nickel	7440-02-0	29.8	0.1
Copper	7440-50-8	8.8	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
Nickel		X	X	
7440-02-0				
Copper		X	X	
7440-50-8				
Potassium hydroxide	1000 lb			X
1310-58-3				

## **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
Nickel	100 lb		RQ 100 lb final RQ
7440-02-0			RQ 45.4 kg final RQ
Copper	5000 lb		RQ 5000 lb final RQ
7440-50-8			RQ 2270 kg final RQ
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	1000 lb		RQ 1000 lb final RQ RQ 454 kg final RQ

## **US State Regulations**

#### **California Proposition 65**

This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals.

Chemical Name	California Proposition 65
Nickel - 7440-02-0	Carcinogen
Cobalt(II) oxide - 1307-96-6	Carcinogen

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania	Rhode Island	Illinois
Cobalt(II) oxide			X	X	Х
Nickel 7440-02-0	Х	X	Х	Х	Х
Copper 7440-50-8	X	X	Х	Х	Х
Potassium hydroxide 1310-58-3	Х	X	X	X	

#### International Regulations

#### Mexico

National occupational exposure limits

Component	Carcinogen Status	Exposure Limits
Nickel		Mexico: TWA 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
7440-02-0(29.8%)		
Copper		Mexico: TWA= 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
7440-50-8(8.8%)		Mexico: TWA= 0.2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
		Mexico: STEL= 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

Mexico - Occupational Exposure Limits - Carcinogens

#### Canada

**WHMIS Hazard Class** 

Non-controlled

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

**NFPA** Flammability 0 Instability 0 Health Hazards 1 Physical and

**Chemical Hazards** - Personal

Protection X

MIS Flammability 0 Physical Hazard 0 Health Hazards 0

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