

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION 1 – PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION							
Product Description	Cylindrical Lithium Manganese Dioxide Cells and Batteries (Perchlorate Style)						
Product Identification							
Manufacturer	Ultralife Corporation	24 Hour	ChemTrec				
Name/Address	2000 Technology Parkway	Emergency	800-424-9300 (US)				
	Newark, NY 14513	Contact	703-527-3887 (International)				
			800-862-115 (Australia)				
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# **Section 2 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

NOTE: This Ultralife battery product meets the definition of an article. Under the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals (GHS), "Articles" as defined in the Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200) of the Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the United States of America, or by similar definition, are outside the scope of the system. [Rev. 2 (2007) Part 1.3.2.1.1]

The materials contained in this product may only represent a hazard if the integrity of the cell or battery is compromised; physically or electrically abused.

#### **GHS Classification**

Skin irritation (Category 2)

Skin sensation (Category 1)

Eye irritation (Category 2)

Single target organ toxicity, single exposure (Category 3)

Carcinogen (Category 1B)

## GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal word – DANGER

Hazard statements

H315 Causes skin irritation

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction

H319 Causes serious eye irritation

H335 May cause respiratory irritation

H350 May cause cancer

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Precautionary statements

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

P312 Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

P302 + P350 IF ON SKIN: gently wash with plenty of soap and water.

P301 + P330 + P331 IF SWALLOWED: rinse mouth, DO NOT induce vomiting.

P304 + P340 IF INHALED: Move person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.

P362 + P352 Take off contaminated clothing and wash before re-use.

P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/national regulations.

### WHMIS Classification

D2A Very toxic material causing other toxic effects

Carcinogen

D2B Toxic material causing other toxic effects

Moderate skin irritant

Skin sensitizer

Moderate respiratory irritant

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Moderate eye irritant

#### **OSHA Classification**

Hazardous

#### **HMIS Classification**

- Health Hazard:
- Chronic Hazards: 0

Flammability:

Physical Hazards: 0

#### Additional Notes:

- Do not open or disassemble.
- Do not expose to fire or open flame.
- Do not mix with batteries of varying sizes, chemistries or types.
- Do not puncture, deform, incinerate or heat above 85°C (185°F).

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SECTION 3 - COMPOSITION – INGREDIENTS INFORMATION							
Under normal use conditions, cells and batteries do not emit hazardous or regulated substances.							
Component CAS Number EINECS Number % by Wt.							
Manganese Dioxide, MnO <sub>2</sub>	1313-13-9	215-202-6	40-45				
Lithium Metal, Li	7439-93-2	231-102-5	3-4				
Propylene Carbonate, C <sub>4</sub> H <sub>6</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	108-32-7	203-572-1	4-5				
Ethylene Glycol Dimethyl Ether (1,2-Dimethoxyethane), C <sub>4</sub> H <sub>10</sub> O <sub>2</sub>	110-71-4	203-794-9	3-4				
Tetrahydrofuran, C₄H₀O	109-99-9	203-726-8	5-9				
Lithium Perchlorate, LiCIO4	7791-03-9	232-237-2	1				

Depending on product configuration, components used to assemble battery packs (e.g. housings, electronic components and wiring) may contain additional hazardous materials, such as lead solder.

SECTION 4 -	SECTION 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES					
Inhalation	Avoid inhaling any vented gases.					
	Remove to fresh air immediately.					
	If breathing is difficult, seek emergency medical attention.					
Ingestion	Consult a physician or local poison control center immediately					
Skin Contact	• Exposure to materials from a ruptured or otherwise damaged cell or battery may					
	cause skin irritation.					
	• Flush immediately with water and wash affected area with soap and water.					
Eye Contact	• Exposure to materials from a ruptured or otherwise damaged cell or battery may					
	cause eye irritation.					
	• Flush immediately with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes; consult a					
	physician immediately.					

SECTION 5 -	SECTION 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES					
Extinguishing	Copious amounts of cold water or water-based foam may be used to cool burning					
Media	cells or batteries. Do not use warm or hot water.					
	• A carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ) extinguisher is also effective.					
	• For fires involving exposed, raw lithium metal (characterized by deep red flames),					
	use only metal (Class D) fire extinguishers.					
	Do not use Halon type extinguishing material.					
Special Fire	Use a positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) if cells or					
Fighting	batteries are involved in a fire.					
Procedures	Full fire fighting protective clothing is necessary.					
	During water application, caution is advised as burning pieces of flammable					
	particles may be ejected from the fire.					

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Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazard

• Cells or batteries that are damaged, opened or exposed to excessive heat/fire may flame or leak potentially hazardous organic vapors.

# **SECTION 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

- In the event a cell or battery is crushed; releasing its contents, rubber gloves must be used to handle all battery components.
- Avoid inhalation of any vapors that may be emitted.
- Damaged batteries that are not hot or burning should be placed in a sealed plastic bag or container.

SECTION 7 - H	IANDLING AND STORAGE
Precautions for	• Batteries are not designed to be recharged. Charging a primary cell or battery
Safe Handling	may result in electrolyte leakage and/or cause the cell or battery to flame.
	Never disassemble a battery or bypass any safety device.
	• More than a momentary short circuit will cause temporary battery voltage
	loss until the battery is subjected to a charge. Batteries with fuses will no
	longer be functional after being shorted.
	Extended short-circuiting creates high temperatures in the cell.
	• High temperatures can cause burns in skin or cause the cell to flame.
	• Avoid reversing battery polarity within the battery assembly. To do so may
	cause cell to flame or to leak.
	Note: Contains a perchlorate material – special handling may apply
	Go to: www.dtsc.ca.gov/hazardouswaste
Conditions for	• Batteries should be separated from other materials and stored in a
Safe Storage	non-combustible, well ventilated structure with sufficient clearance between
and	walls and battery stacks. Do not place batteries near heating equipment,
Incompatibility	nor expose to direct sunlight for long periods.
	• Do not store batteries above 60°C (140°F) or below -40°C (-40°F). Store
	batteries in a cool (below 25°C (77°F)), dry area that is subject to little
	temperature change. Elevated temperatures can result in reduced battery
	service life. Battery exposure to temperatures in excess of 130°C (266ºF)
	will result in the battery venting flammable liquid and gases.
	• Do not store batteries in a manner that allows terminals to short circuit.

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SECTION 8 - E	SECTION 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION					
Engineering Controls and Work Practices	<ul> <li>Under conditions of normal use, batteries do not emit hazardous or regulated substances.</li> <li>No engineering controls are required for handling batteries that have not been damaged.</li> </ul>					
Personal Protective Equipment	<ul> <li>Personal protective equipment for damaged batteries should include chemical resistant gloves and safety glasses.</li> <li>In the event of a fire, SCBA should be worn along with thermally protective outer garments.</li> </ul>					

SECTION 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES							
Appearance	Cylindrical Cell pr Pack	UEL/LEL	Not Applicable				
Odor	None	Vapor Pressure	Not Applicable				
Odor Threshold	Not Applicable	Vapor Density	Not Applicable				
рН	Not Applicable	Relative Density	Not Available				
Melting Point	Not Available	Solubility	Not Applicable				
Boiling Point	Not Available	Partition Coefficient	Not Applicable				
Flash Point	Not Applicable	Auto-ignition Temperature	Not Available				
Evaporation Rate	Not Applicable	Decomposition Temperature	Not Available				
Flammability	Not Applicable	Viscosity	Not Applicable				

SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY				
Stability:	Stable			
Hazardous Polymerization:	Will Not Occur			
Conditions to Avoid:	Prolonged overcharging and/or overheating.			
	It is not recommended that this product be stored above 60°C (140°F).			
Hazardous Decomposition:	Carbon Monoxide (CO), and Hydrogen Fluoride (HF)			
Reactivity:	Damaged non-discharged batteries contain elemental Lithium that is			
	water reactive. This reaction gives off heat and hydrogen gas			

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# SECTION 11 – TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

- No toxicological impacts are expected under normal use conditions.
- The electrolytes contained in this cell or battery can irritate eyes with any contact.
- Prolonged contact of electrolytes with lung tissue, skin or mucous membranes may cause irritation.
- Detailed information regarding sensitization, carcinogenicity, mutagenicity or reproductive toxicity related to internal cell or battery components has not been included in this document.

### **Carcinogen References**

- 1. National Toxicology Program (NTP): Yes
- 2. IARC Monographs: No
- 3. OSHA: No

# SECTION 12 – ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

- No ecological impacts expected under normal use conditions.
- Information on the ecological impact of internal cell or battery components has not been included in this document.

# **SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Do not dispose in fire. Battery disposal regulations vary on national, state/provincial and local bases. **Disposal must be conducted in accordance with the applicable regulations.** 

These batteries contain recyclable materials and recycling is encouraged over disposal.

# **SECTION 14 - TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION**

Ultralife's lithium metal primary cells and batteries and lithium-ion cells and batteries are classified and regulated as Class 9 dangerous goods (also known as "hazardous materials" in the United States) by the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO), International Air Transport Association (IATA), International Maritime Organization (IMO) and many government agencies such as the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT). These organizations and agencies publish regulations that contain detailed packaging, marking, labeling, documentation, and training requirements that must be followed when offering (shipping) Ultralife's cells and batteries for transportation. However, small cells and batteries are not subject to certain provisions of the regulations (e.g. Class 9 labeling and UN specification packaging) if they meet specific requirements. The regulations are based on the UN Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods Model Regulations and the UN Manual of Tests and Criteria. These regulations also apply to shipments of cells and batteries that are packed with or contained in equipment. Failure to comply with these regulations can result in substantial civil or criminal penalties.

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The dangerous goods regulations require that each cell and battery design be subject to tests contained in Section 38.3 of the UN Manual of Tests and Criteria prior to being offered for transport.

Approved, production level cells and batteries manufactured and assembled by Ultralife have been tested to Section 38.3 of the UN Manual of Tests and Criteria and passed T1 through T8. Batteries or battery packs constructed by other parties using Ultralife's cells must be subjected to the tests contained in Section 38.3 of the UN Manual of Tests and Criteria.

#### Important Note Regarding Prototype Cells and Batteries

Ultralife Corporation is permitted to ship prototype cells and batteries as Class 9 hazardous materials/dangerous goods in accordance with the requirements contained in a competent authority approval; provided by the US Department of Transportation. Recipients of these shipments are prohibited from reshipping unless they have received a similar approval from the governing Competent Authority.

SECTION 14 - TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION (continued)							
Air, Sea and Surface Classification				on	UN 3090, Lithium n	netal bat	tteries
			UN 3091, Lithium n	netal bat	tteries, contained in equipment		
	UN 3091, Lithium metal batteries, packed with equipment						
IATA Packaging Guidance							
UN3090	Lithium	Metal E	Batterie	es:			
	PI968	Sectior	n IA (	Cells with	a lithium metal conte	nt in exc	cess of 1 gram and
				batteries	with a lithium metal c	ontent ir	n excess of 2 grams.
		Sectio	n IB (	Cells with	a lithium metal conte	nt not m	ore than 1 gram and
				batteries	with a lithium metal c	ontent n	ot more than 2 grams.
		Sectior	n II (	Cells with	a lithium metal conte	nt not m	ore than 1 gram and
				batteries	with a lithium metal c	ontent n	ot more than 2 grams.
UN3091	Lithium I	Metal Ba	atteries	s containe	ed in Equipment:		-
			n a lithium metal conte	ent in ex	cess of 1 gram and		
batteries with a lithium metal co					ontent ir	n excess of 2 grams.	
		Sectior			a lithium metal conte		-
			with a lithium metal c	ontent n	ot more than 2 grams		
	Lithium	Metal B			with equipment:		5
			a lithium metal conte	nt in exc	cess of 1 gram and		
					-		
	batteries with a lithium metal content in excess of 2 grams. Section II Cells with a lithium metal content not more than 1 gram and						
batteries with a lithium metal content not more than 2 grams.							
Hazard C	lass		9		nel Code	E	
Stowage Location   A   Marine Pollutant   No							

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SECTIO	ON 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION					
	Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)					
	CERCLA SECTION 304 Hazardous Substances					
	EPCRA SECTION 302 Extremely Hazardous Substance	NA				
US	EPCRA SECTION 313 Toxic Release Inventory					
	EPCRA SECTION 312	NA				
	Components Listed on US Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	Yes				
	California Prop 65 Classification	None				
EU	Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) 1907/2006	Article				
	European RoHS 3 Directive 2015/863/EU	NA				
	European WEEE Directive 2012/19/EU					
	Note: Applies to cells and batteries incorporated into electrical and electronic	See Note				
	equipment, when that equipment becomes waste.					

# **SECTION 16 - OTHER INFORMATION**

If returning product to any division of Ultralife, consult the relevant regulations regarding handling, packaging, labeling and transportation.

## **Disclaimer**

The information contained herein is furnished without warranty of any kind. Users should consider this data only as a supplement to other information gathered by them and must make independent determinations of the suitability and completeness of information from all sources to assure proper use and disposal of these materials and the safety and health of employees and customers.

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