

Product: CFx medical grade battery  
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Applicable Product Numbers: D-00160

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### ARTICLE INFORMATION SHEET (AIS)

This Article Information Sheet (AIS) is provided as a courtesy in response to a customer request. A Safety Data Sheet (SDS) has not been prepared for these product(s) because they are articles. This AIS provides relevant battery information to consumers, OEMs and other users requesting a GHS-compliant SDS. Articles, such as batteries, are exempt from GHS SDS classification criteria. The GHS criteria is not designed or intended to be used to classify the physical, health and environmental hazards of an article.

#### SECTION 1: COMPANY INFORMATION

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#### SECTION 2: ARTICLE INFORMATION

This product is exempt from hazard classification according to OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

Description	CFx medical grade battery
Recommended Use	Implantable power source
Applicable Product Numbers	D-100160
Article Construction	
Electrodes – Cathode	Carbon monofluoride, CAS 51311-17-2; Carbon black, CAS 1333-86-4; PTFE, CAS 9002-84-0; Sodium Lauryl Sulfate, CAS 151-21-3
Anode	Lithium, CAS 7439-93-2
Electrolyte	Lithium tetrafluoroborate, CAS 14283-07-9; Propylene Carbonate, CAS 108-32-7; dimethoxyethane, CAS 110-71-4
Can, current collector	Stainless Steel
Separator	Polypropylene/polyethylene

**SECTION 3: HEALTH AND SAFETY**

Normal conditions of Use	Exposure to contents inside the sealed battery will not occur unless the battery leaks, is exposed to high temperatures, or is mechanically abused.
First Aid – Eye Contact	If exposed to internal components of the battery, flush with running water for at least 15 minutes and then seek medical attention.
First Aid – Skin Contact	If exposed to internal components of the battery, flush with running water for at least 15 minutes and then seek medical attention.
First Aid – Inhalation	Contents of leaking battery may be irritating to respiratory passages. Move to fresh air and seek medical attention if irritation persists.
First Aid – Ingestion	Do not induce vomiting. Seek immediate medical attention. If mouth irritation or burning has occurred, rinse mouth and surrounding area with tepid water for at least 15 minutes. Call the National Battery Ingestion Hotline (202) 625-3333 collect, day or night.
Precautionary Statements	Battery can leak or explode if heated, disassembled, shorted, recharged, exposed to fire or high temperature or inserted incorrectly. Do not pierce or burn, even after use. Store in a well ventilated place. Keep cool. Store in original container.

**SECTION 4: FIRE HAZARDS AND FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

Fire Hazard	Batteries may rupture or leak if involved in a fire.
Extinguishing Media	Use any extinguishing media appropriate for the surrounding area. For incipient (beginning) fires, carbon dioxide extinguishers or copious amounts of water are effective in cooling burning lithium metal batteries. If fire progresses to where lithium metal is exposed (deep red flames), use a Class D extinguisher suitable for lithium metal. Do not use Halon, Dry Powder or Soda Ash Extinguishers.
Fires Involving Large Quantities of Batteries	Large quantities of batteries involved in a fire will rupture and release irritating fumes from thermal degradation. Use a Class “D” fire extinguisher or other smothering agent such as Lith-X, or dry sand. If using water, use enough to smother the fire. Using an insufficient amount of water will make the fire worse. Cooling exterior of batteries will help prevent rupturing. Burning batteries generate toxic and corrosive lithium hydroxide fumes. Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Detailed information on fighting a lithium metal battery fire can be found in US DOT Emergency Response Guide 138 (Substances–Water–Reactive).

**SECTION 5: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Handling	Avoid mechanical and electrical abuse. Do not short circuit or install incorrectly. Batteries may rupture or vent if disassembled, crushed, recharged or exposed to high temperatures. Do not directly heat or solder. Install batteries in accordance with equipment instructions.
Storage	Store batteries in a dry place at normal room temperature. Refrigeration does not make them last longer. Do not place near heating equipment or direct sunlight for a long time.
Spills of Large Quantities of loose batteries	Notify spill response personnel of large spills. Irritating and flammable vapors may be released from leaking or ruptured batteries. Spread batteries apart to stop shorting. Eliminate all ignition sources. If batteries are leaking, evacuate area and allow vapors to dissipate. Clean-up personnel should wear appropriate personal protective equipment to avoid eye and skin contact and inhalation of vapors or fumes. Increase ventilation. Carefully collect batteries and place in appropriate container for disposal. Remove any spilled liquid with absorbent material and contain for disposal.

**SECTION 6: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Collection and Proper Disposal	Dispose of used (or excess) batteries in compliance with federal, state/provincial and local regulations. Do not accumulate large quantities of used batteries for disposal as accumulations could cause batteries to short-circuit. Do not incinerate.
USA EPA RCRA (40 CFR 261)	"Charged" lithium metal batteries meet the criteria (D003 - Reactivity) of a hazardous waste as defined under the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) 40 CFR 261.23. If recycled, lithium metal batteries are classified as Universal Waste.
USA DOT (49 CFR 173.185 (d))	Lithium cells or batteries shipped for disposal or recycling. A lithium cell or battery, including a lithium cell or battery contained in equipment, that is transported by motor vehicle to a permitted storage facility or disposal site, or for purposes of recycling, is excepted from the testing and record keeping requirements of paragraph (a) and the specification packaging requirements of paragraph (b)(3) of this section, when packed in a strong outer packaging conforming to the requirements of §§173.24 and 173.24a. A lithium cell or battery that meets the size, packaging, and hazard communication conditions in paragraph (c)(1)-(3) of this section is excepted from subparts C through H of part 172 of this subchapter.
California Universal Waste Rule (Cal. Code Regs. Title 22, Div. 4.5, Ch. 23)	California prohibits disposal of batteries as trash (including household trash).

**SECTION 7: TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION**

<b>Regulatory Status</b>	EaglePicher Technologies, LLC lithium metal batteries are delivered in accordance with current DOT and/or IATA/ICAO regulations. Lithium metal batteries can be shipped by air in accordance with ICAO or IATA. Persons who prepare or offer lithium batteries for transport are required by regulation to be trained to the extent of their responsibility. The information in this section is provided for informational purposes only. The transportation of lithium metal batteries is regulated by ICAO, IATA, IMO, ADR and US DOT.		
<b>Total Lithium Content (grams)</b>	<b>See below for each product number:</b>		
	<b>Part No.</b>	<b>Total Lithium Content (mg)</b>	<b>Total Cell/Battery Weight (grams)</b>
	D-00160	426	13.4

<b>DOT (US)</b>	<b>UN Number</b>	<b>Proper Shipping Name</b>	<b>Hazard Class</b>
	UN3090	Lithium metal batteries	9
	UN3091	Lithium metal batteries packed with or contained in equipment	9

**USA DOT Special Provisions:** 49 CFR 172.102(c) SP 181, 422, A54, A101 (one or more may apply).

**Special Provisions Conformance:** Special regulatory provisions require batteries to be packaged in a manner that prevents the generation of a dangerous quantity of heat and short circuits.

**USA DOT Exceptions for Lithium Cells or Batteries Shipped for Disposal or Recycling:** 40 CFR 173.185(d)

**Air Transport (IATA/ICAO) Packing Instructions (62<sup>nd</sup> edition):**

- PI 968 – Lithium metal batteries (shipped alone)
- PI 969 – Lithium metal batteries packed with equipment
- PI 970 – Lithium metal batteries contained in equipment

**Marine/Water Transport (IMDG 38<sup>th</sup> Amendment) Special Provision:** SP188, PI903

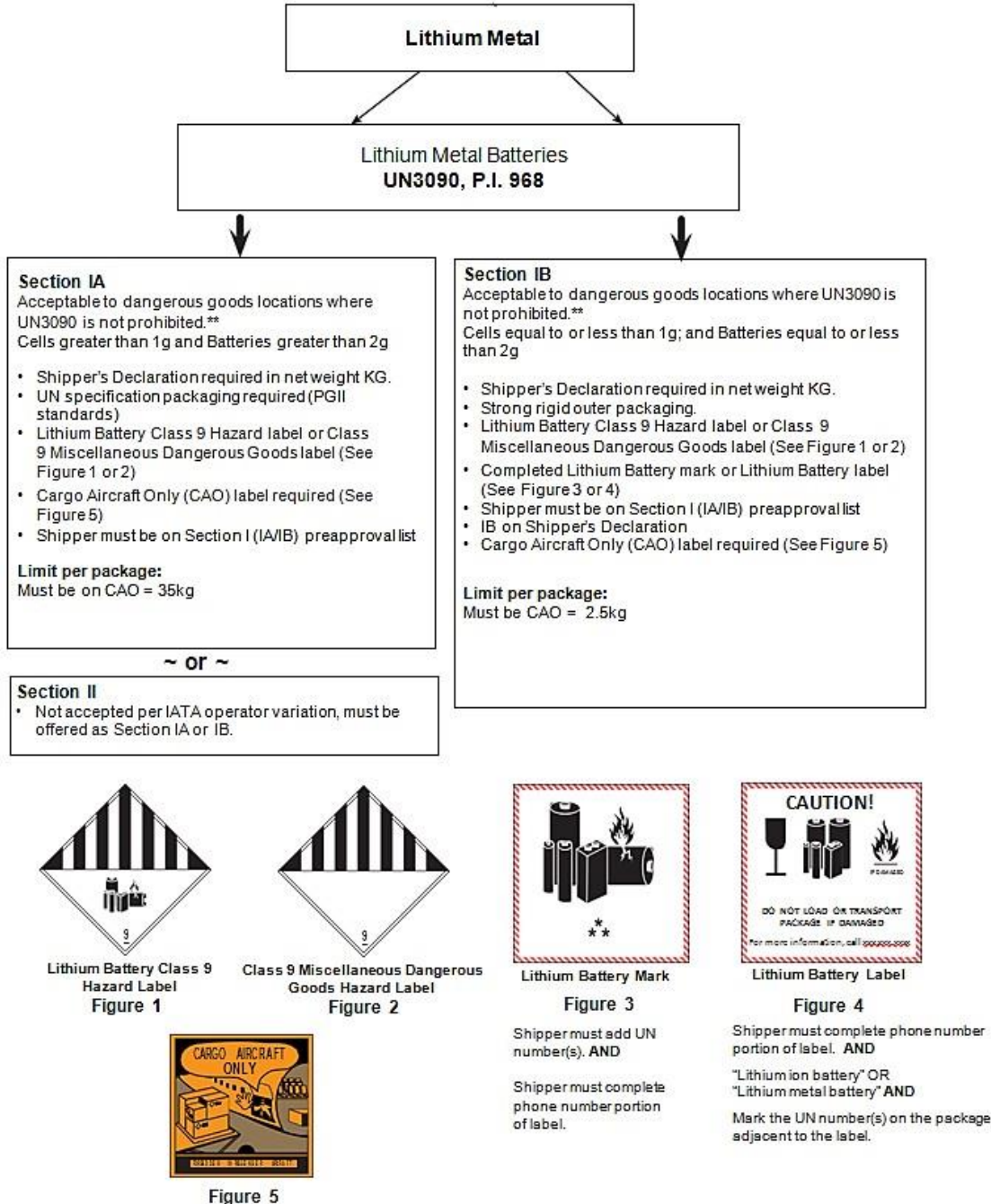
**ADR.RID Special Provision:** 188

Lithium batteries are regarded as dangerous goods based on the above stated regulations when delivered via air, sea, road and train.

- A) Each cell or battery is of a type proven to meet the requirements of each test in the UN Manual of Tests and Criteria, Part III, subsection 38-3
- B) Cells and batteries are separated so as to prevent short circuits and are packaged in strong packages, except when installed in equipment.
- C) The package and shipping documents are marked indicating that it contains lithium Batteries and proper labels attached.

**Emergency Transportation Hotline: CHEMTREC 24-Hour Emergency Response Hotline**

Within the United States call +703-527-3887  
Outside the United States, call +1 703-527-3887 (Collect)



**SECTION 8: REGULATORY DEFINITIONS AND REQUIREMENTS - ARTICLES**

USA OSHA	29 CFR 1910.1200(b)(6)(v)
USA TSCA	40 CFR 704.3; 710.2(3)(c); and [19 CFR 12.1209a]
EU REACH	Title 1 - Chapter 2 - Article 3(3)
GHS	Section 1.3.2.1

<b>Globally Harmonized System (GHS)</b>	GHS SDS requirements and classification criteria do not apply to articles or products (such as batteries) that have a fixed shape, which are not intended to release a chemical. The article exemption is found in Section 1.3.2.1.1 of the GHS and reads: <i>The GHS applies to pure substances and their dilute solutions and to mixtures. "Articles" as defined by the Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1900.1200) of the OSHA of the USA, or by similar definition, are outside the scope of the system."</i>
<b>Joint Article Management Promotion Consortium JAMP</b>	An international standard that came into effect in March 2012 concerning declaration for electrical and electronic products. IEC 6274 replaces the defunct Joint Industry Guide – Material Declaration for Electro-technical Products (JIG-101-Ed 4.1 (May 21, 2012))
<b>IEC 62474 Ed. 1.0 B:2012 Material Declaration for Products of and for the Electro-technical Industry</b>	An international standard that came into effect in March 2012 concerning declaration for electrical and electronic products. IEC 6274 replaces the defunct Joint Industry Guide – Material Declaration for Electro-technical Products (JIG-101-Ed 4.1 (May 21, 2012))
<b>IEC 62474 Database – Publicly available online (<a href="http://std.iec.ch/iec62474">http://std.iec.ch/iec62474</a>). Maintained by TC11: Environmental Standardization for electrical and electronic products and systems.</b>	The general principle for a substance to be included in the database as a declarable substance is: 1) existing national laws or regulations in an IEC member country that are relevant to Electro-technical products and that prohibit or restrict substances, or that have a labeling, communication, reporting or notification requirement, and 2) applying IEC 62474 criteria results in identification of declarable substance.
<b>ANSI Z 400.1/Z19.1 (2010)</b>	2.1 Scope: Applies to preparation of SDS for hazardous chemicals used under occupational conditions. Does not address how the standard may be applied to articles. It presents basic information on how to develop and write a SDS. Additional information is provided to help comply with state and federal environmental and safety laws and regulations. Elements of the standard may be acceptable for International use.

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