

# Ni-MH Battery Pack SAFETY DATA SHEET

SDS0090US-EN  
ACCORDING TO US CFR 1910.1200

## SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

- 1.1 Product identifier**  
 Product Name Ni-MH Battery Pack.  
 Trade Name SOLO760-XXX, SOLO770-XXX, TRUTEST (XXX denotes customer variant).  
 CAS No. Article.  
 EINECS No. Article.
- 1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**  
 Identified Use(s) Battery product.  
 Uses Advised Against None known.
- 1.3 Details of the supplier of the Safety Data Sheet**  
 Company Identification SDi, LLC, 3535 State Highway 66, Parkway 100 Building 6, Neptune, NJ 07753, USA.  
 Telephone (732) 751 9266  
 Fax (732) 751 9241  
 E-mail sales@sdifire.com
- 1.4 Emergency telephone number**  
 Info Trac 1-800-535-5053
- 1.5 Details of the Manufacturer**  
 Company Identification Detectortesters (No Climb Products Ltd), Edison House, 163 Dixons Hill Road, Welham Green, Hertfordshire. AL9 7JE. United Kingdom.  
 Telephone +44 (0) 1707 282760  
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 E-mail SDS@detectortesters.com

## SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

- 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**  
 US CFR 1910.1200 Not classified as dangerous for supply/use.
- 2.2 Label elements**  
 Hazard Pictogram(s) None.  
 Signal Word(s) None.  
 Hazard Statement(s) None.  
 Precautionary Statement(s) None.
- 2.3 Other hazards** None.
- 2.4 Additional Information** Under normal conditions of battery use, internal components will not present a health or environmental hazard.  
 In the extreme or adverse conditions (high over-charge, reverse charge, external short circuit), some electrolyte leakage can occur by the safety vent.

## SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### 3.1 Mixtures

#### 3.1.1 SOLO760, SOLO770

Hazardous Ingredient(s)	CAS No.	%W/W
Nickel dihydroxide	12054-48-7	<30
Potassium hydroxide	1310-58-3	<20
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	<20

#### 3.1.2 TRUTEST

Hazardous Ingredient(s)	CAS No.	%W/W
Metal hydride alloy	None	15 - 40
Nickel dihydroxide	12054-48-7	15 - 30
Potassium hydroxide	1310-58-3	3 - 15
Cobalt dihydroxide	21041-93-0	2.5 - 7

### 3.2 Additional Information

For full text of H/P statements see section 16.

## SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES



### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

Inhalation	Unlikely route of exposure. Electrolyte leakage: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
Skin Contact	No measures required. Electrolyte leakage: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.
Eye Contact	Unlikely route of exposure. Electrolyte leakage: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.
Ingestion	Unlikely route of exposure. Electrolyte leakage: Make victim drink water. Do not induce vomiting. Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.

**4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**      None anticipated.  
Electrolyte leakage: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

**4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**      Unlikely to be required but if necessary treat symptomatically.

## SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Non-flammable.

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable Extinguishing media	Extinguish preferably with dry chemical, sand or carbon dioxide.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Water, Water spray.

**5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**      Heating may cause pressure rise with risk of bursting. Hazardous decomposition product(s): Nickel and cobalt compounds.

**5.3 Advice for fire-fighters**      Fire fighters should wear complete protective clothing including self-contained breathing apparatus.

## SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**      Ensure adequate ventilation. Stop leak if safe to do so.  
Avoid inhalation of vapours. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Use personal protective equipment as required.

**6.2 Environmental precautions**      Avoid release to the environment.

**6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**      Collect mechanically and dispose of according to Section 13.  
Electrolyte leakage: Neutralize with: weak acid such as vinegar or citric acid before proper disposal. In the event of accumulated electrolyte contain and neutralize spill.

**6.4 Reference to other sections**      See Also Section 8.

## SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

**7.1 Precautions for safe handling**      Do not obstruct safety vent by soldering or welding tabs on the positive top.

**7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**      Store in a cool/low-temperature, well-ventilated (dry) place away from heat and ignition sources.

Storage temperature	Ambient.
Storage life	Stable under normal conditions.

Incompatible materials      None known.

**7.3 Specific end use(s)**      Battery product.

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1 Control parameters

#### 8.1.1 Occupational Exposure Limits

Under normal conditions of battery use, internal components will not present a health or environmental hazard.

SUBSTANCE	CAS No.	LTEL (8 hr TWA ppm)	LTEL (8 hr TWA mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	STEL (ppm)	STEL (mg/m <sup>3</sup> )	Note
Nickel dihydroxide	12054-48-7	-	0.05	-	-	A1
Potassium hydroxide	1310-58-3	-	-	-	2	NIOSH
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	-	-	-	2	NIOSH
		-	2	-	-	OSHA
Cobalt dihydroxide	21041-93-0	-	0.02	-	-	2B

NIOSH = National Institute of Occupational Safety & Health

OSHA = Occupational Safety and Health Administration

A1: Confirmed Human Carcinogen: The agent is carcinogenic to humans based on the weight of evidence from epidemiological studies.

2B: carcinogen designations, C: ceiling limit

### 8.2 Exposure controls

#### 8.2.1 Appropriate engineering controls

Provide adequate ventilation.

#### 8.2.2 Personal protection equipment

Eye/ face protection



Not normally required.

Electrolyte leakage: Wear eye protection with side protection (EN166).

Skin protection (Hand protection/ Other)



Not normally required.

Electrolyte leakage: Wear impervious gloves (EN374).

Respiratory protection



No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required.

Electrolyte leakage: Wear suitable respiratory protective equipment.

Thermal hazards

Not applicable.

#### 8.2.3 Environmental Exposure Controls

Avoid release to the environment.

## SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Solid.
Colour.	Not applicable.
Odour	Odourless.
Odour threshold	Not applicable.
pH	Not available.
Melting point/freezing point	391.73°F(199.85°C)(Nickel dihydroxide).
Initial boiling point and boiling range	Not available.
Flash Point	Not applicable.
Evaporation rate	Not applicable.
Flammability (solid, gas)	Non-flammable.
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	Not applicable.
Vapour pressure	Not applicable.
Vapour density	Not applicable.
Relative density	237.2lb/ft <sup>3</sup> @ 69.8°F (3.8g/cm <sup>3</sup> ) (Nickel dihydroxide).
Solubility(ies)	Slightly soluble in: Water (Nickel dihydroxide).
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	Not applicable.
Auto-ignition temperature	Not applicable.
Decomposition Temperature	Not applicable.
Dynamic viscosity	Not applicable.

	Kinematic Viscosity	Not applicable.
	Explosive properties	Not explosive.
	Oxidising properties	Not oxidising.
<b>9.2</b>	<b>Other information</b>	None.

## SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

<b>10.1</b>	<b>Reactivity</b>	Stable under normal conditions.
<b>10.2</b>	<b>Chemical stability</b>	Stable under normal conditions.
<b>10.3</b>	<b>Possibility of hazardous reactions</b>	No hazardous reactions known if used for its intended purpose.
<b>10.4</b>	<b>Conditions to avoid</b>	Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Protect from moisture.
<b>10.5</b>	<b>Incompatible materials</b>	None known.
<b>10.6</b>	<b>Hazardous decomposition product(s)</b>	No hazardous decomposition products known.

## SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

This material is unlikely to present a significant health hazard under normal conditions of handling and use.

<b>11.1</b>	<b>Information on toxicological effects</b>	
<b>11.1.1</b>	<b>Article</b>	
	<b>Acute toxicity</b>	Low acute toxicity.
	<b>Irritation</b>	Non-irritant.
	<b>Corrosivity</b>	Not classified.
	<b>Sensitisation</b>	It is not a skin sensitiser.
	<b>Repeated dose toxicity</b>	None anticipated.
	<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	No evidence of carcinogenicity.
	<b>Mutagenicity</b>	There is no evidence of mutagenic potential.
	<b>Toxicity for reproduction</b>	None anticipated.
<b>11.2</b>	<b>Other information</b>	Contains: Nickel dihydroxide. Harmful if swallowed or if inhaled. Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

## SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

<b>12.1</b>	<b>Toxicity</b>	Under normal conditions of battery use, internal components will not present a health or environmental hazard. Contains: Nickel dihydroxide. Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
<b>12.2</b>	<b>Persistence and degradability</b>	Not applicable.
<b>12.3</b>	<b>Bioaccumulative potential</b>	Not applicable.
<b>12.4</b>	<b>Mobility in soil</b>	Not applicable.
<b>12.6</b>	<b>Other adverse effects</b>	None.

## SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

<b>13.1</b>	<b>Waste treatment methods</b>	Recover or recycle if possible. To be disposed of as hazardous waste.
<b>13.2</b>	<b>Additional Information</b>	Disposal should be in accordance with local, state or national legislation.

## SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

<b>14.1</b>	<b>UN number</b>	UN 3496
<b>14.2</b>	<b>UN proper shipping name</b>	Batteries, Nickel-metal hydride.
<b>14.3</b>	<b>Transport hazard class(es)</b>	
	<b>TDG</b>	Not applicable under Special Provision: 97
	<b>IMDG</b>	Not applicable under Special Provision: SP117 & SP963
	<b>IATA</b>	Not applicable under Special Provision: A199
	<b>DOT</b>	Not applicable under Special Provision: 130, 49CFR 172.102
<b>14.4</b>	<b>Packing group</b>	Not applicable.
<b>14.5</b>	<b>Environmental hazards</b>	Not applicable.
<b>14.6</b>	<b>Special precautions for user</b>	Not applicable.
<b>14.7</b>	<b>Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code</b>	Not applicable.
<b>14.8</b>	<b>Additional Information</b>	None.

## SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

<b>15.1.1</b> OSHA		
Toxic and hazardous substances (29 CFR 1910; Subpart Z)		Listed.: Sodium hydroxide (CAS No.: 1310-73-2)
National emission standards for hazardous air pollutants (40 CFR 61.01)		All chemicals are not listed.
Title III Consolidated List of Lists		Listed.: Nickel dihydroxide (CAS No.: 12054-48-7), Potassium hydroxide (CAS No.: 1310-58-3), Sodium hydroxide (CAS No.: 1310-73-2)
OSPAR List of Chemicals for Priority Action		All chemicals are not listed
State Right to Know Lists		New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Minnesota Listed.: Nickel dihydroxide (CAS No.: 12054-48-7), Potassium hydroxide (CAS No.: 1310-58-3), Sodium hydroxide (CAS No.: 1310-73-2)
TSCA (Toxic Substance Control Act)		All chemicals listed.
Proposition 65 (California)		Listed.: Nickel dihydroxide (CAS.: 12054-48-7)
CAA 602 - Ozone Depleting Substances (ODS)		All chemicals are not listed.

## SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

The following sections contain revisions or new statements: 14.

NFPA		HMIS	
Health	0	Health	0
Fire	1	Fire	1
Instability	0	Instability	0

### LEGEND

LTEL	Long Term Exposure Limit
STEL	Short Term Exposure Limit
OSPAR	Oslo and Paris Convention
CAA	Clean Air Act
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
NIOSH	National Institute of Occupational Safety & Health

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