

# i-ALERT<sup>®</sup>2

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### 1. Identification of the product and supplier

Product i-ALERT2 Sensor  
Manufacturer ITT Goulds Pumps, Inc.  
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### 2. Composition and information about the ingredients

The i-ALERT2 sensor contains a Primary Lithium Thionyl Chloride cell.

	Percent of total weight	Chemical Abstracts service #	Chip Classification
Lithium (Li)	3.0~4.1	7439-93-2	 
Thionyl Chloride (SOCl <sub>2</sub> )	39.2~45.5	7719-09-7	  
Aluminum Chloride Anhydrous (AlCl <sub>3</sub> )	1~4.9	7446-70-0	
Carbon (C)	2.8~3.6	1333-86-4	

### 3. Hazards identification

The i-ALERT2 sensor under normal conditions of use is not a physical or health hazard to people. Do not incinerate, crush or expose to temperatures above the declared operating temperature range of the product.

**Risk of fire or explosion:** The Lithium-Thionyl Chloride battery described in this Product Safety Data Sheet is sealed and is not hazardous when used according to the recommendations of the manufacturer.

#### 4. First aid measures

<b>Inhalation</b>	Remove from exposure, rest and keep warm. In severe cases, obtain medical attention.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Wash off skin thoroughly with tap water. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. In severe cases, obtain medical attention.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Irrigate eye thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Wash out mouth thoroughly with water and give plenty of water to drink. Obtain medical attention.
<b>Further treatment</b>	All cases of eye contamination, persistent skin irritation and casualties who have swallowed this substance or been affected by breathing its vapors should be seen by a doctor.

#### 5. Fire-fighting measures

- CO2 extinguishers or copious quantities of water-based foam can be used to cool down burning Li-SOCI<sub>2</sub> cells and batteries, as long as the extent of the fire has not progressed to the point that the Lithium metal they contain is exposed.
- Do not use for this purpose sand, dry powder or soda ash, graphite powder or fire blankets.
- Use only metal (Class D) extinguishers on raw lithium.
- Extinguishing Media: Use water or CO<sub>2</sub> on burning Li-SOCI<sub>2</sub> cells or batteries and class D fire extinguishing agent only on raw lithium.





#### 6. Accidental release measures

- Do not breathe vapors or touch liquid with bare hands.
- If the skin has come into contact with the electrolyte, it should be washed thoroughly with water.
- Earth or sand should be used to absorb the exudation. Seal the leaking battery and earth in a heavy-duty polythene bag and dispose of as Special Waste in accordance with local regulations.

#### 7. Handling and storage

<b>Handling</b>	DO NOT crush or pierce. DO NOT throw into fire.
<b>Storage</b>	Store in a cool (preferably below 30°C / 86°F) place. Temperature above 100°C / 212°F may result in battery leakage and rupture.

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

	Occupational exposure standard	Compound	8hr TWA	15min TWA	SK
		Sulfur dioxide	1 ppm	1 ppm	-
		Hydrogen chloride	1 ppm	5 ppm	-
	<b>Respiratory protection</b>	In all fire situations, use self-contained breathing apparatus			
	<b>Hand protection</b>	In the event of battery leakage wear gloves.			
	<b>Eye Protection</b>	<b>If battery is damaged, safety glasses are recommended.</b>			
	<b>Other</b>	<b>In the event of battery leakage, wear chemical apron.</b>			

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

<b>Appearance</b>	Cubic shape
<b>Odor</b>	If battery IS leaking, gives off a pungent corrosive odor
<b>pH</b>	Not applicable
<b>Flash point</b>	Not applicable unless battery components are exposed
<b>Flammability</b>	Not applicable unless battery components are exposed
<b>Relative density</b>	Not applicable unless battery components are exposed
<b>Solubility (water)</b>	Not applicable unless battery components are exposed
<b>Solubility (other)</b>	Not applicable unless battery components are exposed

## 10. Stability and reactivity

Product is stable under conditions described in Section 7.

<b>Conditions to avoid</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Heat above 100°C / 212°F or incinerate. Deform. Mutilate. Crush. Pierce. Disassemble.</li> </ul>
<b>Materials to avoid If battery is exposed</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Oxidizing agents, alkalis, water.</li> <li>Avoid electrolyte contact with aluminum or zinc</li> </ul>
<b>Hazardous decomposition Products</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hydrogen (H<sub>2</sub>) as well as Lithium oxide (Li<sub>2</sub>O) and Lithium hydroxide (LiOH) dust is produced in case of reaction of lithium metal with water.</li> <li>Chlorine (Cl<sub>2</sub>), Sulfur dioxide (SO<sub>2</sub>) and Disulfur dichloride (S<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>) are produced in case of thermal decomposition of <i>thionyl chloride</i> above 140°C / 284°F.</li> <li>Hydrochloric acid (HCl) and Sulfur dioxide (SO<sub>2</sub>) are produced in case of reaction of <i>Thionyl chloride</i> with water at room temperature.</li> <li>Hydrochloric acid (HCl) fumes, Lithium oxide, (Li<sub>2</sub>O), Lithium hydroxide (LiOH) and Aluminum hydroxide (Al(OH)<sub>3</sub>) dust are produced in case of reaction of Lithium tetrachloroaluminate (LiAlCl<sub>4</sub>) with water.</li> </ul>

## 11. Toxicological information

### Signs & symptoms:

<b>None, unless battery ruptures</b>	In the event of exposure to internal contents, corrosive fumes will be very irritating to skin, eyes and mucous membranes. Overexposure can cause symptoms of non-fibrotic lung injury and membrane irritation.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Lung irritant
<b>Skin contact</b>	Skin irritant
<b>Eye contact</b>	Eye irritant
<b>Ingestion</b>	Tissue damage to throat and gastro-respiratory tract if swallowed.
<b>Medical conditions generally aggravated by exposure</b>	In the event of exposure to internal contents, eczema, skin allergies, lung injuries, asthma and other respiratory disorders may occur.

## 12. Ecological information

<b>Mammalian effects</b>	None known if used/disposed of correctly.
<b>Eco-toxicity</b>	None known if used/disposed of correctly.
<b>Bioaccumulation potential</b>	None known if used/disposed of correctly.
<b>Environmental fate</b>	None known if used/disposed of correctly.

## 13. Disposal consideration

Do not incinerate, or subject product to temperatures in excess of 100°C / 212°F. Such abuse can result in loss of seal, leakage, and/or cell explosion. Dispose of in accordance with appropriate local regulations.

## 14. Transport information

The i-ALERT2 sensor contains a Lithium metal cell that contains less than 1 gram of Lithium. There is only one Lithium Cell in an i-ALERT2 sensor.

Classification (DGR 3.9.2.6): UN 3091, Lithium metal batteries contained in equipment

Packing Instruction: PI 970 - Section II



## 15. Regulation information

Here below are the nature of special risks and the advices of caution.

<b>Risk phrases</b>	Lithium	R14/15 R21 R22 R35 R41 R42/43	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reacts violently with water, liberating extremely flammable gases</li> <li>• Harmful in contact with skin</li> <li>• Harmful if swallowed</li> <li>• Causes burns</li> <li>• Risk of serious damage to eye</li> <li>• May cause sensitization by inhalation and skin contact</li> </ul>
	Thionyl chloride (SOCl <sub>2</sub> )	R14 R22 R35 R37 R41 R42/43	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reacts with water</li> <li>• Harmful if swallowed</li> <li>• Causes burns</li> <li>• Irritating to respiratory system</li> <li>• Risk of serious damage to eye</li> <li>• May cause sensitization by inhalation and skin contact</li> </ul>
	Aluminum chloride anhydrous (AlCl <sub>3</sub> )	R14 R22 R37 R41 R43	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reacts with water.</li> <li>• Harmful if swallowed.</li> <li>• Irritating to respiratory system.</li> <li>• Risk of serious damage to eye.</li> <li>• May cause sensitization by skin contact.</li> </ul>

<b>Safety phrases</b>	<b>Lithium (Li)</b>	S2 S8 S45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Keep out of reach of children</li> <li>• Keep away from moisture</li> <li>• In case of incident, seek medical attention</li> </ul>
	<b>Thionyl Chloride (SOCl<sub>2</sub>)</b>	S2 S8 S24 S26 S36 S37 S45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Keep out of reach of children.</li> <li>• Keep away from moisture.</li> <li>• Avoid contact with skin.</li> <li>• In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water.</li> <li>• Wear suitable protective clothing.</li> <li>• Wear suitable gloves.</li> <li>• In case of incident, seek medical attention.</li> </ul>
	<b>Aluminum Chloride Anhydrous (AlCl<sub>3</sub>)</b>	S2 S8 S22 S24 S26 S36	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Keep out of reach of children.</li> <li>• Keep away from moisture.</li> <li>• Do not breathe dust.</li> <li>• Avoid contact with skin.</li> <li>• In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water.</li> <li>• Wear suitable protective clothing.</li> </ul>
	<b>UK regulatory references</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Classified under CHIP</li> </ul>

- Move to fresh air immediately and avoid any eye and skin contact.
- Use self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective gear and do not inhale harmful gas.

## **16. Other information**

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