Product Safety Data Sheet (PSDS)

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SECTION I - PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

Representative Product Image/ Packaging

The battery products referenced in this PSDS document are consumer products. Under OSHA regulations, batteries are considered "articles" and are not subject to the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard MSDS/SDS requirements which apply for "hazardous chemicals in the workplace." Additionally, batteries are considered "articles" under the Global Harmonized System and are exempted from the GHS labeling and SDS classification criteria. This PSDS document is provided as service in response to requests for information on battery use, safety and regulatory compliance.

Identity: Primary Zinc Air Button Cell Batteries , 0% Mercury **Description: Consumer Product** **Duracell® Sub-Brand**: Easy Tab® ,		
Size	**Nominal Voltage**	**Freshness Guarantee**
10	1.4V	4 years
13	1.4V	4 years
312	1.4V	4 years
675	1.4V	4 years
Other no mercury zinc air designations covered by the PSDS: DA146G (8.4 V medical battery)		
Consumer Relations 1-800-551-2355 (9:00 AM – 5:00 PM EST)		

SECTION II - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

CAUTION: Do not recharge or dispose of batteries in fire. Do not carry batteries loose in your pocket or purse. Keep batteries away from children. If swallowed, consult a physician at once. For information on treatment, call the NATIONAL BUTTON BATTERY INGESTION HOTLINE collect, day or night, at (202) 625-3333.

SECTION III - COMPOSITION AND INGREDIENTS

The chemicals and metals in this product are contained in a sealed can. Exposure to the contents will not occur unless the battery leaks, is exposed to high temperatures or is mechanically, physically, or electrically abused. Hazardous Ingredients as defined by OSHA, 29 CFR 1910.1200. and/or WHMIS under the HPA:

Chemical Name	CAS No.	Composition Range	LD50/LC50	Exposure Limits
Manganese Dioxide	1313-13-9	0-14%	LD50 oral rat>3478 mg/kg	5 mg/m3 Ceiling OSHA PEL 0.2 mg/m3 TWA ACGIH TLV
Zinc	7440-66-6	18-46%		None established for zinc metal
Potassium Hydroxide	1310-58-3	1-4%	LD50 oral rat 273 mg/kg	2 mg/m3 Ceiling ACGIH TLV
Lead	7439-92-1	0.01-0.06%		0.05 mg/m3 TWA OSHA PEL* 0.05 mg/m3 TWA ACGIH TLV

* Refer to the OSHA Lead Standard 29CFR 1910.1025 for additional information on exposure limits and controls.

SECTION IV – FIRST AID INFORMATION

Damaged battery will release concentrated potassium hydroxide, which is caustic.

Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting. Do not give ipecac. Seek medical attention immediately. **CALL NATIONAL BATTERY INGESTION HOTLINE at (202)-625-3333 collect, day or night.** Batteries lodged in the esophagus should be removed immediately since leakage, caustic burns and perforation can occur as soon as two hours after ingestion. If mouth area irritation or burning has occurred, rinse the mouth and surrounding area with water for at least 15 minutes. Do not give ipecac.

Eye Contact: If battery is leaking and material contacts the eye, flush the eye with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Seek immediate medical attention.

Skin Contact: If battery is leaking and material contacts the skin, flush affected areas with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing immediately. Seek immediate medical attention.

Inhalation: If battery is leaking, contents may be irritating to respiratory tract. Move to fresh air. If irritation persists, seek medical attention.

SECTION V - FIRE FIGHTING INFORMATION

Hazardous Combustion Products: Batteries may burst and release hazardous decomposition products when exposed to a fire situation.

Extinguishing Media: Use any extinguishing media that is appropriate for the surrounding area.

Protection of Firefighters:

Specific Hazards Arising from the Material: Batteries may burst and release hazardous decomposition products when exposed to a fire situation.

Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters: Firefighters should wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing.

SECTION VI - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Notify safety personnel of large spills. Caustic potassium hydroxide may be released from leaking or ruptured batteries. Clean-up personnel should wear appropriate clothing to avoid eye and skin contact and inhalation of vapors and fumes. Ventilate area. Carefully collect batteries and place in an appropriate container for disposal.

SECTION VII – HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions To Be Taken in Handling: Avoid mechanical or electrical abuse. DO NOT short circuit or install incorrectly. Batteries may rupture or vent if disassembled, crushed, recharged or exposed to high temperatures. Install batteries in accordance with equipment instructions.

Precautions To Be Taken in Storage: Store batteries in a dry place at normal room temperature. Do not refrigerate – this will not make them last longer.

SECTION VIII - EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

NOT APPLICABLE – Finished consumer product

SECTION IX - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance (color, physical form, shape): Finished consumer product – small, sealed, round, button battery.

Volatile Organic Compound (VOC): Not applicable - Product not regulated for VOC Content at State or Federal level

SECTION X - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Finished consumer product – stable under normal conditions of use. Contents are incompatible with strong oxidizing agents. Do not heat, crush, disassemble, short circuit or recharge.

SECTION XI - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

This battery product is a finished consumer product. It is classified as an “article” and exempt under the federal OSHA Hazard Communication standard.

Chronic Effects: No chronic health effects reported.

Target Organs: No target organs reported.

Carcinogenicity: This finished consumer product is not carcinogenic.

SECTION XII - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

No eco-toxicity data are available. This product is not expected to present an environmental hazard.

SECTION XIII - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal Method: Dispose of in compliance with federal, state/provincial and local regulations.
Non-Household Setting (US Federal): Zinc air hearing aid batteries covered by this PSDS, in their original form (finished consumer product), when disposed of as waste, are considered **non-hazardous** waste according to Federal RCRA regulation (40 CFR 261).
Non-Household Setting (California): None
Household Use: Zinc air batteries can be safely disposed of with normal household waste. Do not accumulate large quantities of used batteries for disposal as accumulation could cause batteries to short-circuit. Do not incinerate.

SECTION XIV - TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Zinc Air battery products, covered by this PSDS, in their original form, are considered "dry cell" batteries and are not regulated for transportation as "DANGEROUS GOODS." However, special regulatory provisions apply that require batteries to be packaged in a manner that prevents the generation of a dangerous quantity of heat and short circuits. Product shipped in its original unopened Duracell packaging is compliant with the packaging special provisions.

Ground Transport (US DOT): 49 CFR172.102 Special Provision 130

Air Transport (IATA): Special Provision A123

Marine/Water Transport (IMDG/ICAO): Provisions 295 and 304

For Transportation Emergencies, call:

CHEMTREC Emergency Response Hotline
1-800-424-9300 (US and Canada)

SECTION XV - REGULATORY INFORMATION

United States:

OSHA: The finished zinc air battery product is considered an article and not covered by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200

CPSIA 2008: Batteries are exempt. See CPSC Exemption Letter posted on P&G web site.

EPA Mercury Containing and Rechargeable Battery Management Act of 1996: Compliant

EPA TSCA: All intentionally-added components of this product are listed on the US TSCA Inventory.

EPA SARA 313/302/304/311/312 chemicals: Manganese compounds 0-14%; Zinc 18-46%; Lead below deminimus concentration.

California: This product has been evaluated and does not require warning labeling under California Proposition 65.

***State Right-to-Know and CERCLA*:** The following ingredients present in the finished product are listed on state right-to-know lists or state worker exposure lists:

Ingredient	CAS #	Level	CERCLA RQ	State				
				IL	MA	NJ	PA	RI
Manganese Dioxide	1313-13-9	0-14%	None	Y	Y	N	Y	Y
Zinc	7440-66-6	18-46%	1000 lbs	Y	Y	Y	Y	N
Potassium Hydroxide	1310-58-3	1-4%	1000 lbs	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Lead	7439-92-1	0.01-0.06%	10 lbs.	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

Canada:
All ingredients are CEPA approved for import to Canada by Procter & Gamble. This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Canadian Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and this MSDS contains all information required by the Controlled Products Regulations.

SECTION XVI - OTHER INFORMATION

P&G Hazard Rating:	Health:	0	4=EXTREME
	Flammability:	0	3=HIGH
	Reactivity:	0	2=MODERATE
			1=SLIGHT
			0=NOT SIGNIFICANT

Hazard Ratings are supplied for use only in connection with occupational safety and health.

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