

Crowcon Technical Note

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Notice regarding shipment of Lithium Batteries

This technical note summarises changes to shipping of lithium batteries with effect from 1st April 2016.

From 1st April 2016, all airfreight shipments of spare lithium batteries must ship in accordance with IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations 57th Edition Addendum No.4. Single shipments may not exceed 10kg in weight.

At this time, lithium batteries which are shipped inside product are not affected. For example, the battery shipped inside a new T4.

The following part numbers are affected:

C011303	Gasman battery tray assembly (inc. battery and tray)
SS0710	Gas-Pro spare battery
S013034	Tetra Rechargeable lithium ion battery assembly (cUL/UL version)
S013035	Tetra Rechargeable lithium ion battery assembly (CSA version)
S013036	Tetra Rechargeable lithium ion battery assembly (ATEX version)
S012047	T3 Battery tray assembly
S012342	Replacement T4 Battery
C01006	LIBRA lithium ion battery pack for TRP+/IR initially fitted with lead acid batteries ATEX/IECEX variants
C01013	LIBRA lithium ion battery pack for TRP+/IR initially fitted with lead acid batteries UL variant
C011202	Spare LIBRA lithium ion battery pack for TRP+/IR ATEX/IECEX variants
C011198	Spare LIBRA lithium ion battery pack for TRP+/IR UL variant
E01918	Disposable CR2 lithium battery (minimum order quantity 5) <i>It is possible that further restrictions on the CR2 Lithium batteries will apply from next year. We will keep you informed of this.</i>

This will mean an increase in shipping fees for airfreight shipments containing lithium batteries as spares, as they now need to be packed and shipped in accordance with the IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations.

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A hazardous packing charge will apply as well as the relevant airfreight charge – please contact Crowcon Customer Support at sales@crowcon.com or +44 1235 557777 for these charges.

Road shipments to the UK and Europe (road service areas only) are not affected as these are shipped under ADR special provision 188. For details of Europe road service areas, please contact Crowcon Customer Support as above.