## Battery Shipments Authorized for US Ground Transport Packaging Authorization §173.185, Class 9

#### **Customer Defined Shipment Specifications**

Watt-hour rating is > 60 Wh/cell or > 300 Wh/battery

#### **Packaging Requirements**

- Cells and batteries protected to prevent short circuits, movement, and accidental activation
- Inner packagings that completely enclose the cell or battery
- Completed packagings must meet Packing Group II standards; except:
  - Lithium batteries that weigh 12 kg (26.5 pounds) or more and have a strong, impactresistant outer casing may be packed in strong outer packagings; protective enclosures; or on pallets or other handling devices instead of UN performance packaging
- For non-bulk, a maximum net mass per package of 400 kg (882 pounds) or less and a maximum capacity of 450 L (119 gallons) or less as a receptacle for a solid
- For large packaging, packages that exceed 400 kg net mass but have a volume of not more than 3 cubic meters (m³), certain large, rigid packagings are authorized for a single battery, including for a battery contained in equipment

### **Marking and Labeling Requirements**



UN3480, LITHIUM ION BATTERIES	UNID, Proper Shipping Name		
un	Appropriate UN Certification marking		
**************************************	Class 9 Miscellaneous Dangerous Goods label		



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- 1. Include Bill of Lading or other document with the following information:
  - Contains all of the information required as per 49 CFR, Subpart C of Part 172
- Emergency response information required as per 49 CFR, Subpart G of Part 172 (The document can be any form, provided it contains all of the information required by the regulations)

Street			City, State, Zip Code				
City, State, Zip Code				24 hr Emergency Contact Name: XXXXX 24 hr Emergency Contact Number: xxx-xxx-xxxx			
Route			<u> </u>			Vehicle Number	
No. of Units & Container Type	нм	BASIC DESCRIPTION UN or NA Number, Proper Shipping Name, Hazard Class,	Packing Group	TOTAL OUANTIT (Weight, Volume, Gallons, etc.)	WFIGHT (Subject to Correction)	RATE	CHARGES (For Carrier Use Only)
1 box	х	UN3480, Lithium Ion Batteries, 9 ERG CODE 147		70 lb.			

