

## Risk Assessment Form (3)

Must be completed before experimentation.

Student's Name(s) Maya Arengo

Title of Project Controlling the Pathways to the Synthesis of a New Lithium Manganate

**To be completed by the Student Researcher(s) in collaboration with Designated Supervisor/Qualified Scientist:**  
(All questions must be answered; additional page(s) may be attached.)

1. List all hazardous chemicals, activities, or devices that will be used; identify microorganisms exempt from pre-approval (see Potentially Hazardous Biological Agent rules).

- Furnace
- $\text{Li}_2\text{O}$
- $\text{LiCl}$

2. Identify and assess the risks involved in this project.

- Breathing in the gas from the  $\text{Li}_2\text{O}$  and  $\text{LiCl}$
- Being burned on your hand when reaching into the furnace (minor burn)

3. Describe the safety precautions and procedures that will be used to reduce the risks.

- Keeping the  $\text{Li}_2\text{O}$  and  $\text{LiCl}$  in a  $200^\circ\text{C}$  furnace when not in use
- Turn on the fume hood when using  $\text{Li}_2\text{O}$  and  $\text{LiCl}$
- Using tongs when removing something from the furnace

4. Describe the disposal procedures that will be used (when applicable).

- Dispose of quartz glass in a separate container just for glass

5. List the source(s) of safety information.

SDS sheets, instruction manuals, campus safety office

**To be completed and signed by the Designated Supervisor (or Qualified Scientist, when applicable):**

I agree with the risk assessment and safety precautions and procedures described above. I certify that I have reviewed the Research Plan/Project Summary and will provide direct supervision.

JACK SIMONSON

Designated Supervisor's Printed Name

Signature

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