

Notice and Request

Transportation Handling of Lithium Metal and Lithium Ion Cells and Batteries

In response to recommendations issued by the United Nations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods (Version 15, 2007), the 2009-2010 ICAO Technical Instructions for the Safe Transport of Dangerous Goods by Air and the 50th Edition (2009) of the IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations (DGR) incorporated a number of revisions to requirements for the transport of lithium batteries.

In addition, new transportation regulations on lithium metal and lithium ion cells and batteries in the International Maritime Dangerous Goods (IMDG) Code of the International Maritime Organization (IMO) are expected to be enforced on January 1, 2010.

Batteries and cells used in Mitutoyo products are subject to these revised regulations. Mitutoyo America Corporation requests that distributors and customers review and consider these regulations carefully when transporting relevant products by air and sea transportation.

Compliance with these regulations is the responsibility of the cargo owner. Before transporting Mitutoyo products using lithium batteries/cells, please contact your carrier for confirmation and take appropriate action.

If you have any question on this matter, please contact:
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[List of Mitutoyo Products Containing Lithium Batteries](#) 

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