



## **Tusk Tec-Core Battery Safety Information**

\*This battery contains sulfuric acid. Before attempting to fill or charge your new battery, carefully read all safety information below. Only adults 18 years or older should attempt to fill or charge a battery.

Keep out of reach of children!

**\*Always refer to safety instructions in your vehicle's owner's manual.**

### **Personal safety**

\*In preparation to fill the battery with the provided electrolyte (sulfuric acid), always refer to the filling instructions included with your specific battery and follow these safety instructions as well:

1. ALWAYS wear safety glasses, rubber gloves, and protective clothing when dealing with batteries and battery acid.

2. Fill the battery in a well-ventilated, well lit area, on a flat, clean surface.

3. Avoid heat, sparks, and open flame.

4. If sulfuric acid is swallowed, inhaled, contacts skin or eyes, take immediate action.

a. Eye contact - Begin flushing the affected area with water and get medical attention.

b. Inhalation – Move to fresh air. Get medical attention if signs/symptoms develop.

c. Skin contact – Flush with water for 15 minutes. Immediately remove contaminated clothing and shoes.

d. Ingestion – If electrolyte (sulfuric acid) is ingested in large quantities, Do Not induce vomiting. Get medical attention immediately.

### **Handling and storage**

1. Handle batteries cautiously. Always wear protective clothing when filling or handling.

2. Do not tip to avoid spills.

3. Do not allow conductive material to touch the battery terminals (short circuit may occur and cause battery failure or fire).

4. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling a battery.

5. Store in a cool/low-temperature, well-ventilated area away from heat and ignition sources.

6. Batteries should be stored under roof for protection against adverse weather conditions.

**\*Battery requires trickle charging to 100% before first use.**