

**SAHL** AKKUMULATORFABRIK A/S

## Putting your new battery into operation

## Instruction

- 1. Inspect the battery for possible outer damages.
- 2. Battery and car battery acid must be same room temperature (above 18°C) when filling.
- 3. Fill the car battery acid carefully. Density 1,27-1,28, till the level is 5-10 mm above the lead plates. You may also check "Instructions for car battery acid" regarding precautions when working with car battery acid.
- 4. The chemical reaction starts when the car battery acid is added to the battery. Time for activation will be between 15 to 30 minutes.
- 5. When activation of the lead plates is done after 15 30 minutes, the acid level must be tested. The acid level must be 5 10 mm above the lead plates.

## N.B.!

When the acid level is correct you will NEVER later have to fill acid. You must only fill up with distilled or demineralized water.

- 6. Fix the plastic fuses and wash of possible spill with water.
- If the activation has taken place with battery and acid by a temperature above 15 18°C, the battery is now ready for mounting. The acid density must be above 1,25 and the tension ca. 12,60 Volt for 12 Volt batteries and 6,3 Volt for 6 Volt batteries.
- 8. We recommend to leave the battery after activation if:
  - the temperature of the acid is below 15°C when being filled
  - the density of one or more cells is below 1,25 1,26
  - the tension is below 12,6 Volt
  - you are not starting to use the battery within the next 24 hours
  - the outdoor temperature is below or about freezing point
  - you are only making short drives with frequent starts

## N.B.!

During charge and discharge explosive volatiles occur, for which reason open fire, sparks, cigarettes, and the like are not allowed near the battery.