61 00 ... Safety instructions for handling vehicle battery

Battery acid is highly corrosive:

Do not allow any battery acid to come into contact with the eyes, the skin or clothing. Therefore wear protective clothing, gloves and goggles.

Do not tilt the battery, acid may emerge from the vent opening.

In event of contact with acid:

If acid is splashed into the eyes, rinse them immediately for several minutes with clear water. You must then consult a doctor without delay.

If acid is splashed onto the skin or clothing, neutralize it immediately with a soapy solution and rinse with lots of water.

Seek medical attention immediately if battery acid is accidentally swallowed.

Explosion hazard:

Strictly no flames, sparks, naked light or smoking!

A highly explosive mixture of electrolytic gas is created when batteries are charged. The rooms where charging is carried out must therefore always be well ventilated.

Avoid the formation of sparks when handling cables, wiring and electrical devices.

Turn the ignition lock to the 0 position before disconnecting or connecting the battery.

Do not place tools or any similar object on the battery (danger of short-circuiting and explosion!).