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MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

Complies with OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200

Product Name: LIQUID SOLDER FLUX

SECTION 1- PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Solder Flux **Emergency Contact: Chemtrec** Product Type: Product Name: LIQUID SOLDER FLUX Phone: (800) 424-9300

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Common Name: Liquid Solder Flux Chemical Name: Rosin Solder Flux

Family Usage: Soldering Flux for Electrical or

Electronic Applications

Mixture of the substances listed below Description:

with non-hazardous additions.

GHS Class: Highly Flammable liquid and vapour NFPA

This product has to be labeled due to the calculation procedure of international guidelines. Has a narcotizing effect.

Highly flammable. Irritating to eyes. May cause sensitization by skin contact. Vapors may cause drowsiness and dizziness.

Least 0 Slight 1 Moderate 2 High 3 Extreme 4 Gloves, Safety Glasses B



Chronic Health Effects

Information pertaining to particular dangers for man and environment:

Personal Protective Equipment



Chemical

Splash

Goggles



Safety

Glasses



Protective

Gloves



Flammable D2B Toxic

WHMIS Pictograms

GHS Pictograms



Highly flammable liquid and vapour

DOT Pictograms



Flammable Liquid

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SECTION 2 - COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS#	Ingredient Percent	EC Num
Gum rosin	8050-09-7	30 - 60 by weight	
Isopropyl alcohol	67-63-0	30 - 60 by weight	

SECTION 3 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview: DANGER! Flammable. Potential Sensitizer Flux fumes during soldering may cause

irritation and damage of mucous membranes and respiratory system.

Route of Exposure: Eyes. Skin. Inhalation. Ingestion.

Eye: Eye contact with product or vapors may result in irritation, redness, and blurred

vision. Smoke during soldering can cause eye irritation.

Skin: May cause irritation.

May cause skin sensitization, an allergic reaction, which becomes evident on

reexposure to this material.

Inhalation: Inhalation of vapors, fumes or mists of the product may be irritating to the

respiratory system.

May cause respiratory sensitization with asthma-like symptoms in susceptible

individuals.

Ingestion: May be harmful if swallowed. May cause vomiting.

Chronic Health Effects: Prolonged or repeated contact may cause skin irritation.

Repeated or prolonged inhalation may cause toxic effects.

Signs/Symptoms: Overexposure may cause headaches and dizziness.

Target Organs: Eyes. Skin. Respiratory system. Digestive system.

Aggravation of Pre-Existing None generally recognized.

Conditions:

SECTION 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye Contact: Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for 15 to 20 minutes. Get medical

attention, if irritation or symptoms of overexposure persists.

Skin Contact: Immediately wash skin with soap and plenty of water.

Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

Inhalation: If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration or give

oxygen by trained personnel. Seek immediate medical attention.

Ingestion: If swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician or poison control center

immediately. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

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SECTION 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flash Point: 18 °C (64 °F)
Auto Ignition Temperature: 425.0 °C (797 °F)
Lower Flammable/Explosive Limit: 2.0 % by volume
Upper Flammable/Explosive Limit: 12.0 % by volume

Extinguishing Media: Use alcohol resistant foam, carbon dioxide, dry chemical, or water fog or spray

when fighting fires involving this material.

Unsuitable Media: Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread fire.

Protective Equipment: As in any fire, wear Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA), MSHA/NIOSH

(approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

Hazardous Combustion Oxides of carbon, oxides of nitrogen, aliphatic aldehydes, and other organic

Byproducts: substances may be formed during combustion..

NFPA Ratings:

NFPA Health: 1
NFPA Flammability: 3
NFPA Reactivity: 0

SECTION 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personnel Precautions: Evacuate area and keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering the

spill area. Avoid breathing vapor, aerosol or mist. Avoid contact with skin, eyes

and clothing.

Environmental Precautions: Avoid runoff into storm sewers, ditches, and waterways.

Methods for containment: Contain spills with an inert absorbent material such as soil, sand or oil dry.

Methods for cleanup: Remove all sources of ignition. Absorb spill with inert material (e.g., dry sand or earth), then place in a chemical waste container. Provide ventilation. Collect spill

with a non-sparking tool. Place into a suitable container for disposal.

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SECTION 7 - HANDLING and STORAGE

Handling: Use with adequate ventilation. A void breathing vapor and fumes. Use only in

accordance with directions. To reduce potential for static discharge, bond and

ground containers when transferring material.

Storage: Store in a cool, dry, well ventilated area away from sources of heat, combustible

materials, direct sunlight, and incompatible substances. Keep container tightly

closed when not in use.

Special Handling Procedures: DANGER! Rags, steel wool and waste soaked with this product may spontaneously

catch fire if improperly discarded or stored. To avoid a spontaneous combustion fire, immediately after use, place rags, steel wool or waste in a sealed, water-filled,

metal container.

Hygiene Practices: Wash thoroughly after handling. Avoid inhaling vapors, mists, or fumes.

SECTION 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION - EXPOSURE GUIDELINES

Engineering Controls: Use appropriate engineering control such as process enclosures, local exhaust

ventilation, or other engineering controls to control airborne levels below

recommended exposure limits. Where such systems are not effective wear suitable personal protective equipment, which performs satisfactorily and meets OSHA or other recognized standards. Consult with local procedures for selection, training,

inspection and maintenance of the personal protective equipment.

Eye/Face Protection: Tightly fitting safety goggles. Wear a face shield also when splash hazards exist

Hand Protection Description: Wear appropriate protective gloves. Consult glove manufacturer's data for

permeability data.

Nitrile rubber or natural rubber gloves are recommended.

Respiratory Protection: A NIOSH approved air-purifying respirator with an organic vapor cartridge or

canister may be permissible under certain circumstances where airborne concentrations are expected to exceed exposure limits. Protection provided by air purifying respirators is limited. Use a positive pressure air supplied respirator if there is any potential for an uncontrolled release, exposure levels are not known,

or any other circumstances where air purifying respirators may not provide

adequate protection.

Other Protective: Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash

facility and a safety shower.

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SECTION 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION - EXPOSURE GUIDELINES (CONTINUED)

Gum rosin:

Guideline ACGIH: Sensitizer.: Sen

Isopropyl alcohol:

Guideline ACGIH: TLV-STEL: 400 ppm

TLV-STEL: 400 ppm

Guideline OSHA: PEL-TWA: 400 ppm

SECTION 9 - PHYSICAL and CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State Appearance: Liquid.
Color: Amber

O dor: Alcohol-like
Boiling Point: 82 °C (180 °F)
Melting Point: Not determined.

Density: 0.880 g/cm³ @ 20°C (68°F) Vapor Pressure: 33 mmHg @ 20°C (68°F)

Flash Point: 18 °C (64 °F) A uto Ignition Temperature: 425.0 °C (797 °F)

SECTION 10 - STABILITY and REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability: Stable under normal temperatures and pressures.

Hazardous Polymerization: Not reported.

Conditions to Avoid: Keep away from heat, ignition sources and incompatible materials.

Incompatible Materials: Oxidizing agents. Strong acids and alkalis.

Special Decomposition Products: When heated to soldering temperatures, the solvents are evaporated and rosin

may be thermally degraded to liberate aliphatic aldehydes and acids.

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SECTION 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Gum rosin:

RTECS Number: VL0480000

Inhalation: Inhalation. - Rat LC50: 110 mg/m3 [Behavioral - somnolence (general depressed

activity) Cardiac - pulse rate Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration - respiratory

depression] (RTECS)

Ingestion: Oral - Mouse LD50: 2.2 mg/kg [Behavioral - somnolence (general depressed

activity) Cardiac - pulse rate Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration - respiratory

depression]

Oral - Rat LD50: 3.0 mg/kg [Brain and Coverings - other degenerative changes Liver - other changes Biochemical - Metabolism (Intermediary) - other] (RTECS)

Isopropyl alcohol:

RTECS Number: NT8050000

Eye: Eye - Rabbit Standard Draize test: 100 mg

Eye - Rabbit Standard Draize test: 10 mg

Eye - Rabbit Standard Draize test: 100 mg/24H (RTECS)

Skin: Administration onto the skin - Rabbit Standard Draize test: 500 mg

Administration onto the skin - Rabbit LD50: 12800 mg/kg [Details of toxic effects

not reported other than lethal dose value.] (RTECS)

Inhalation: Inhalation. - Rat LC50: 16000 ppm/8H [Details of toxic effects not reported other

than lethal dose value.]

Inhalation. - Mouse LC50: 53000 mg/m3 [Behavioral - general anesthetic Lungs,

Thorax, or Respiration - other changes]

Inhalation. - Rat LC50: 72600 mg/m3 [Behavioral - general anesthetic Lungs,

Thorax, or Respiration - other changes (RTECS)

Ingestion: Oral - Rat LD50: 5045 mg/kg [Behavioral - altered sleep time (including change

in righting reflex) Behavioral - somnolence (general depressed activity)]
Oral - Mouse LD50: 3600 mg/kg [Behavioral - altered sleep time (including change in righting reflex) Behavioral - somnolence (general depressed activity)]

Oral - Mouse LD50: 3600 mg/kg [Behavioral - general anesthetic]
Oral - Rat LD50: 5000 mg/kg [Behavioral - general anesthetic] (RTECS)

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SECTION 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity: No ecotoxicity data was found for the product.

Environmental Fate: No environmental information found for this product.

SECTION 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal: Consult with the US EPA Guidelines listed in 40 CFR Part 261.3 for the

classifications of hazardous waste prior to disposal. Furthermore, consult with your

state and local waste requirements or guidelines, if applicable, to ensure compliance. Arrange disposal in accordance to the EPA and/or state and local

guidelines.

SECTION 14 - TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Shipping Name: Isopropanol, mixture

DOT UN Number: UN1219

DOT Hazard Class: 3
DOT Packing Group: II

Label: 3 Flammable Liquids

Description: Soldering Flux

IATA Shipping Name: Isopropanol, mixture

IATA UN Number: UN1219

IATA Hazard Class: 3
IATA Packing Group: II

IMDG UN NUmber: UN1219

IMDG Shipping Name : Isopropanol, mixture

IMDG Hazard Class: 3
IMDG Packing Group: II

RID UN Number: UN1219

RID Shipping Name: Isopropanol, mixture

RID Hazard Class: 3
RID Packing Group: II

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SECTION 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION

Canada Reg. Status: This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the

Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all of the information

required by the Controlled Products Regulations.

Canada WHMIS: Controlled - Class: B2 Flammable Liquid

Controlled - Class: D2B Toxic

Gum rosin:

TSCA Inventory Status: Listed
Canada DSL: Listed

Isopropyl alcohol:

TSCA Inventory Status: Listed
Canada DSL: Listed

WHMIS Pictograms





SECTION 16 - ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

GC Electronics believes that the information contained herein is accurate and reliable as of the date of this material safety data sheet, but no representation guarantee or warranty, express or implied, is made as to the accuracy, reliability or completeness of the information. Persons receiving information are encouraged to make their own determination as to the information's suitability and completeness for their particular application. NO INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN CONSTITUTES A PRODUCT WARRANTY OF ANY KIND, WHETHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED; AND ALL IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANT ABILITY AND OF FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE ARE HEREBY DISCLAIMED BY GC ELECTRONICS.

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