

CHEMTRONICS®

Technical Data Sheet

TDS # 132

Flux-Off® Aqueous

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Flux-Off® Aqueous is ideally formulated for flux removal in ultrasonic and in-line cleaning systems. It is an excellent cleaner for the removal of all rosin and no clean flux types from electronic subassemblies, printed circuit boards and all other electronic components. This concentrated formula can also be diluted 1:10 with deionized water for handling all cleaning applications. Flux-Off® Aqueous will effectively remove other contaminants such as dirt, grease, handling soils and molding compounds.

- For use with ultrasonic and in-line cleaning systems
- Quickly removes all rosin and no clean flux types
- Removes encrusted, hard, baked fluxes
- Powerful cleaner leaves no residue
- Contains no CFCs or HCFCs
- Nonabrasive
- Nonflammable
- Noncorrosive

TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

Flux-Off® Aqueous removes flux residues and cleans:

- Chip Carriers
- Heat Sinks
- Metal Housings and Chassis
- Motors and Generators
- Printed Circuit Boards
- Surface Mount Device Pads

TYPICAL PRODUCT DATA AND PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Boiling Point	212°F (Initial)
Vapor Density (air = 1 @ 77°F)	>1
Solubility in Water @ 77°F/1 atm	100%
Specific Gravity (water = 1 @ 77°F)	1.03
Flash Point (TCC)	None
Evaporation Rate (butyl acetate=1)	>1
Appearance	Clear, Amber Liquid
Odor	Characteristic
Surface Tension (dynes/cm @ 73°F)	28.0
pH	12.5
Shelflife	2 years after opening

COMPATIBILITY

Flux-Off® Aqueous is generally compatible with most materials used in printed circuit board fabrication. With any cleaning agent compatibility must be determined on a non-critical area prior to use.

<u>Material</u>	<u>Compatibility</u>
ABS Resin	Excellent
Buna-N	Fair
Butyl	Excellent
EPDM	Excellent
Graphite	Excellent
HDPE	Excellent
Kynar™	Excellent
LDPE	Excellent
Lexan™	Excellent
Neoprene	Good
Noryl®	Good
Nylon 101	Good
Cross-Linked PE	Good
Polyacrylate	Fair
Polypropylene	Good
Polystyrene	Good
PVC	Fair
Silicone Rubber	Good
Teflon™	Excellent
Viton™	Good

USAGE INSTRUCTIONS:

For industrial use only.
 Read MSDS carefully prior to use.
 Dilute 1:10 with deionized water for general cleaning. Can be used in hot or cold immersion, ultrasonic or aqueous cleaning systems. For immersion systems, soak as necessary. For ultrasonic cleaning, add Flux-Off® Aqueous to the ultrasonic cleaning tank, allow about two minutes for the mixture to degas, and immerse the part to be cleaned in the ultrasonic cleaner. After cleaning, rinse parts in de-ionized water and dry where required.

AVAILABILITY

ES132 1 Gallon Liquid

TECHNICAL & APPLICATION ASSISTANCE

Chemtronics® provides a technical hotline to answer your technical and application related questions. The toll free number is:

1-800-TECH-401.

NOTE:

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