

PRODUCT DATA SHEET

5RMA-RC and 5RA-RC

REACH-Compliant Liquid Fluxes

Introduction

5RMA-RC and **5RA-RC** are heat-stabilized rosin fluxes designed for soldering with preforms or wire. They are formulated for use with a wide range of temperatures and metallizations. Both fluxes are free of materials listed in the REACH SVHC list (Q2, 2015).

5RMA-RC is a no-clean, mildly activated flux. **5RA-RC** is compatible with Pb-free alloys, as well as with high-Pb and SnPb alloys.

Cleaning

5RMA-RC is a no-clean flux. Removal of post reflow flux residue is usually not necessary. If cleaning is desired, commercially available flux residue removers can be used.

Because **5RA-RC** is a fully-activated flux, the post reflow residue must be removed. Solvent-based or semi-aqueous cleaners should be used to remove any flux residues.

Packaging

Standard packaging for **5RMA-RC** and **5RA-RC** is 1 U.S. pint (0.473 liter) and 1 U.S. gallon (3.785 liters).

Storage and Handling

The shelf life of **5RMA-RC** and **5RA-RC** is 3 years when stored at 0–30°C. Flux should be allowed to reach ambient temperature prior to use. Containers should be labeled with date and time of opening.

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Safety Data Sheets

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Recommended Application Notes

- *Flux and Solder Compatibility* (Form No. 97751)
- *Common Elements* (Form No. 98557)
- *Pb-Free Solder FAQs* (Form No. 97758)
- *Practical Suggestions for Preform Design* (Form No. 97763)

	5RMA-RC Flux	5RA-RC Flux
Common Surface Metallizations	Clean copper, gold, palladium, platinum, silver, solder-plate, tin	Beryllium-copper, brass, bronze, cadmium, lead, nickel, oxidized copper, rhodium
Common Alloys to Solder	AuSn, indium alloys, SnAg, Sn63, SAC, and other Pb-free alloys	AuSn, high-lead, indium alloys, SAC and other Pb-free alloys, Sn63
Application	Dipping, spray fluxing, spin coating	Spray fluxing, spin coating, dipping
Activation	Mildly activated	Fully activated
Flash Point	12°C	12°C
Flux Type Classification	ROL1	ROH1
Solid Content	27%	21%
Typical Specific Gravity	0.865	0.857
Visual Appearance	Amber liquid	Amber liquid
Water Resistivity (Ω -cm)	>100,000	<50,000
Cleaning	Not needed	Clean for high reliability

All information is for reference only.

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- Solder preforms
- Solder wire
- Solder research kits



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