Product Data Sheet

Wave Solder Flux 1081-T

Features

- Excellent solderability
- Wide process window
- Cleans to low ionic level

Introduction

Wave Solder Flux 1081-T is a water wash organic solder flux suitable for all conventional tin-lead alloys. 1081-T exhibits excellent solderability with low ionic residues after aqueous cleaning.

Process Recommendations

1081-T was developed for use in various electronic soldering applications where high halide-containing organic fluxes are too corrosive and rosin-based fluxes are too inactive.

The flux residue readily rinses away with warm water 120-140°F.

With reduced solids, 1081-T is especially adaptable to spray application, but can also be applied by foam. If foam fluxing, use the following guidelines for best results:

- Keep foam head, pot level, or wave height consistent through appropriate adjustments. Replace after every forty (40) hours of operation.
- Adjust the specific gravity to the nominal level of ±0.01 with Indium 16-1081T Thinner.
- Add fresh flux to maintain the appropriate level.
- Clean fluxing equipment regularly to remove debris, trapped oil, or water. When foam-fluxing, clean foaming stone in Indium 1681-T Thinner whenever the flux is changed, or as needed.

Physical Properties

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<th>1081-T Result</th>
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<td>Color</td>
<td>Light Amber</td>
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<td>Specific Gravity</td>
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<td>@25°C (77°F)</td>
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<td>@15.5°C (60°F)</td>
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<td>Flash Point (°F TCC)</td>
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<td>Solids Content</td>
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Safety Precautions

All fluxes and thinners with low flash points should be handled with caution. Store in a dry, well-ventilated area away from sparks, flames, and direct heat.

Thinning

Dilution is seldom required. If thinning is needed, it is suggested you use Indium 16-1081-T Thinner.

Packaging

- 5-gallon containers
- 55-gallon drums

Safety

Flammable liquids should always be stored in a dry, well-ventilated environment away from open flames, sparks, or direct heat.

Technical Support

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Material Safety Data Sheets

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