SAFETY DATA SHEET



1. Identification

Product identifier Electrical Solder (Rosin Core) - 0.6 oz / 17 g

Other means of identification

Product code WC059 / RCS060

Recommended use Soldering

Recommended restrictions Uses other than the recommended use.

Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information

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2. Hazard identification

Physical hazards Not classified.

Health hazards Not classified.

Environmental hazards Hazardous to the aquatic environment, acute Category 3

hazard

Label elements

E-mail

Hazard symbol None.
Signal word None.

Hazard statement Harmful to aquatic life.

Precautionary statement

Prevention Avoid release to the environment.

Response Not assigned.
Storage Not assigned.

Disposal Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international

regulations.

Supplemental information Molten material will produce thermal burns.

Other hazards May form combustible dust concentrations in air. Repeated or prolonged inhalation of rosin

fumes from rosin cored solders can cause allergic reaction (symptoms include wheezing and

asthma).

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	%
Tin		7440-31-5	97 - 99
Rosin		8050-09-7	1 - 3
Copper		7440-50-8	0.1 - 1

Composition comments All concentrations are in percent by weight.

4. First-aid measures

Inhalation In case of inhala

In case of inhalation of dust or fumes: Move to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms develop or

persist

Skin contact Wash off with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists. If burned

by contact with molten material, cool as quickly as possible with cold water. Do not peel material

from skin. Get medical attention for thermal burn.

Eye contact

Do not rub eyes. Rinse with water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Ingestion

Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

Most important

symptoms/effects, acute and

delayed

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Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

damage.

General information

Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media

Special powder against metal fires. Dry sand.

Apply extinguishing media carefully to avoid creating airborne dust. Avoid high pressure media

which could cause the formation of a potentially explosible dust-air mixture.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

Do not use water or halogenated extinguishing media. Hot molten material will react violently with water resulting in spattering and furning.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Explosion hazard: Avoid generating dust; fine dust dispersed in air in sufficient concentrations and in the presence of an ignition source is a potential dust explosion hazard. Contact with acids will release flammable hydrogen gas. During fire, hazardous combustion products are released that may include: Fumes of metal oxides.

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

Fire fighting equipment/instructions

In case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk.

Specific methods
General fire hazards

Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials. Solid metal is not flammable; however, finely divided metallic dust or powder may form an

explosive mixture with air.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures Keep unnecessary personnel away. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Use only non-sparking tools. Dust deposits should not be allowed to accumulate on surfaces, as these may form an explosive mixture if they are released into the atmosphere in sufficient concentration. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Avoid inhalation of dust. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Eliminate all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks, or flames in immediate area). Take precautionary measures against static discharge. Use only non-sparking tools.

Pick up mechanically. Collect dust using a vacuum cleaner equipped with HEPA filter. Avoid dispersal of dust in the air (i.e., clearing dust surfaces with compressed air). Minimise dust generation and accumulation. Recover and recycle, if practical.

For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment. Inform appropriate managerial or supervisory personnel of all environmental releases. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

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7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Minimise dust generation and accumulation. Avoid significant deposits of material, especially on horizontal surfaces, which may become airborne and form combustible dust clouds and may contribute to secondary explosions. Routine housekeeping should be instituted to ensure that dusts do not accumulate on surfaces. Dry powders can build static electricity charges when subjected to the friction of transfer and mixing operations. Provide adequate precautions, such as electrical grounding and bonding, or inert atmospheres. Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking. Combustible dust clouds may be created where operations produce fine material (dust). Handling and processing operations should be conducted in accordance with 'best practices' (e.g. NFPA-654). Explosion-proof general and local exhaust ventilation. Avoid breathing dust. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid prolonged exposure. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Avoid release to the environment. Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Store away from incompatible materials (see section 10 of the SDS).

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Occupational exposure limits	Occu	pational	exposure	limits
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Components	Туре	Value	Form
Copper (CAS 7440-50-8)	TWA	1 mg/m3	Dust and mist.
		0.2 mg/m3	Fume.
Rosin (CAS 8050-09-7)	TWA	0.001 mg/m3	Inhalable fraction.
Tin (CAS 7440-31-5)	TWA	2 mg/m3	Inhalable fraction.
Canada. Alberta OELs (Occupation	onal Health & Safety Code, Scl	hedule 1, Table 2), as amended	
Components	Туре	Value	Form
Copper (CAS 7440-50-8)	TWA	1 mg/m3	Dust and mist.
		0.2 mg/m3	Fume.
Tin (CAS 7440-31-5)	TWA	2 mg/m3	
Canada. British Columbia OELs. Regulation 296/97, as amended)	(Occupational Exposure Limit	s for Chemical Substances, Oc	cupational Health and Safe
Components	Туре	Value	Form
Copper (CAS 7440-50-8)	TWA	1 mg/m3	Dust and mist.
,		0.2 mg/m3	Fume.
Tin (CAS 7440-31-5)	TWA	2 mg/m3	
Canada. Manitoba OELs (Reg. 21	7/2006, The Workplace Safety	And Health Act), as amended	
Components	Туре	Value	Form
Copper (CAS 7440-50-8)	TWA	1 mg/m3	Dust and mist.
		0.2 mg/m3	Fume.
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Canada. New Brunswick OELs: T		Based on the 1991 and 1997 AG	CGIH TLVs and BEIs
Publication (New Brunswick Reg Components	ulation 91-191) Type	Value	Form
Copper (CAS 7440-50-8)	TWA	1 mg/m3	Dust and mist.
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Tin (CAS 7440-31-5)	TWA	2 mg/m3	
Canada. Ontario OELs. (Control o	of Exposure to Biological or C	hemical Agents), as amended	
Components	Туре	Value	Form
Copper (CAS 7440-50-8)	TWA	1 mg/m3	Dust and mist.
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Components Type Value Form

 Copper (CAS 7440-50-8)
 TWA
 1 mg/m3
 Dust and mist.

 0.2 mg/m3
 Fume.

Tin (CAS 7440-31-5) TWA 2 mg/m3

Canada. Saskatchewan OELs (Occupational Health and Safety Regulations, 1996, Table 21), as amended Components

Type

Value

Form

Copper (CAS 7440-50-8) 15 minute 3 mg/m3 Dust and mist.

0.6 mg/m3 Fume.

8 hour 1 mg/m3 Dust and mist.

0.2 mg/m3

Fume.

Tin (CAS 7440-31-5) 15 minute 4 mg/m3

8 hour 2 mg/m3

Biological limit values No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

Appropriate engineering controls

Explosion-proof general and local exhaust ventilation. Good general ventilation should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below

recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level. It is recommended that all dust control equipment such as local exhaust ventilation and material transport systems involved in handling of this product contain explosion relief vents or an explosion suppression system or an oxygen-deficient environment. Ensure that dust-handling systems (such as exhaust ducts, dust collectors, vessels, and processing equipment) are designed in a manner to prevent the escape of dust into the work

area (i.e., there is no leakage from the equipment).

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

Skin protection

Hand protection Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves. When material is heated, wear gloves to protect

against thermal burns. Suitable gloves can be recommended by the glove supplier.

Other Wear suitable protective clothing.

Respiratory protection If engineering controls do not maintain airborne concentrations below recommended exposure

limits (where applicable) or to an acceptable level (in countries where exposure limits have not been established), an approved respirator must be worn. Selection and use of respiratory protective equipment should be in accordance with CSA Standard Z94.4. Appropriate respirator

selection should be made by a qualified professional.

Thermal hazards Heat resistant/insulated gloves and clothing are recommended when working with molten

material.

General hygiene considerations When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such

as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely

wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical state Solid.

Form Solid wire with internal flux core.

Colour Grey to silver.

Odour None.

Melting point/freezing point 227 °C (440.6 °F) Boiling point or initial boiling 2507 °C (4544.6 °F)

point and boiling range

Flammability

Solid metal is not flammable; however, finely divided metallic dust or powder may form an

explosive mixture with air.

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

Explosive limit - lower (%) Property has not been measured.

Explosive limit - upper

(%)

Property has not been measured.

Flash point Property has not been measured.

Auto-ignition temperature Property has not been measured.

Decomposition temperature Not applicable as the product is not unstable.

pH Not applicable (material is insoluble in water).

Kinematic viscosity Not applicable, material is a solid.

Solubility

Solubility (water) Insoluble in water.

Partition coefficient

(n-octanol/water) (log value)

Not applicable, product is a mixture.

Vapour pressure Not applicable, material is a solid.

Density and/or relative density

Relative densityProperty has not been measured.Vapour densityNot applicable, material is a solid.

Particle characteristics

Particle size Property has not been measured.

Other information

Explosive properties Not explosive.

Oxidising properties Not oxidising.

10. Stability and reactivity

ReactivityThe product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

Chemical stability Material is stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

Contact with strong acids will release highly flammable hydrogen gas.

Conditions to avoid Contact with incompatible materials. Minimise dust generation and accumulation. Avoid molten

metal contact with water.

Incompatible materials Acids. Chlorine. Strong oxidising agents.

Hazardous decomposition

products

Toxic metal oxides are emitted when heated above the melting point.

11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation Elevated temperatures or mechanical action may form dust and fumes which may be irritating to

the respiratory tract. Inhalation of powder or fumes may cause metal fume fever.

Skin contact Dust or powder may irritate the skin. Contact with molten material may cause thermal burns.

Eye contact Elevated temperatures or mechanical action may form dust and fumes which may be irritating to

the eyes.

Ingestion Dust: May cause discomfort if swallowed.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Dusts may irritate the respiratory tract, skin and eyes. Heating above the melting point releases metallic oxides which may cause metal fume fever by inhalation. The symptoms are shivering, fever, malaise and muscular pain. Typical metal fume fever begins four to twelve hours after sufficient exposure to freshly formed fumes. The first symptoms are a metallic taste, dryness and irritation of the throat. Cough and shortness of breath may occur along with headache, fatigue, nausea, vomiting, muscle and joint pain, fever and chills. The syndrome runs its course in 24-48 hours. Contact with hot material can cause thermal burns which may result in

permanent damage.

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity Not expected to be acutely toxic.

Components Species Test Results

Rosin (CAS 8050-09-7)

<u>Acute</u>

Dermal

LD50 Rat > 2000 mg/kg

Oral

LD50 Rat 2800 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation.

Serious eye damage/eye

irritation

Fumes released during thermal processing may cause eye irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

ACGIH sensitisation

(CAS 8050-09-7)

Dermai sensitisation

Respiratory sensitisation

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Rosin (CAS 8050-09-7) Respiratory sensitisation

Canada - Quebec OELs: Dermal sensitization

Rosin (CAS 8050-09-7) Sensitizer through skin contact

Canada - Quebec OELs: Respiratory sensitization

Rosin (CAS 8050-09-7) Respiratory tract sensitization

Respiratory sensitisation Not classified.

Skin sensitisation Not classified.

Germ cell mutagenicityNo data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are

mutagenic or genotoxic.

Carcinogenicity Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.

Reproductive toxicityThis product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.

Specific target organ toxicity -

single exposure

Not classified.

Specific target organ toxicity -

repeated exposure

Not classified.

Aspiration hazard Not relevant, due to the form of the product.

Chronic effects Repeated or prolonged inhalation of rosin fumes from rosin cored solders can cause allergic

reaction (symptoms include wheezing and asthma). Overexposure to Tin can result in benign

pneumoconiosis (stannous). This form of pneumoconiosis produces progressive x-ray

changes of the lungs as long as exposure exists, but there is no distinctive fibrosis, no evidence of disability and no special complicating factors. Long-term exposure to copper compounds may

cause anemia.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity Harmful to aquatic life.

Components Species Test Results

Rosin (CAS 8050-09-7)

Acute

EC50 Activated sludge > 10000 mg/l, 3 Hours

Aquatic

Acute

Algae EL50 Raphidocelis subcapitata > 1000 mg/l, 72 Hours

NOELR Raphidocelis subcapitata 1000 mg/l, 72 Hours

Crustacea EL50 Daphnia magna 911 mg/l, 48 Hours

Fish LL50 Danio rerio > 1 - 10 mg/l, 96 Hours

Persistence and degradability
No data is available on the degradability of this product.

Bioaccumulative potentialNo data available on bioaccumulation.

Partition coefficient n-octanol / water (log Kow)

Rosin (CAS 8050-09-7) 3 - 6.2

Mobility in soil The product is insoluble in water. Not expected to be mobile in soil.

Other adverse effects No data available for this product.

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal instructions Recover and reclaim or recycle, if practical. Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers

at licensed waste disposal site. Do not allow this material to drain into sewers/water supplies. Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with chemical or used container. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

Local disposal regulations Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

Hazardous waste code

The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the

waste disposal company.

Waste from residues / unused

products

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some

product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner.

Contaminated packaging Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container

is emptied. Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or

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disposal.

14. Transport information

TDG

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IATA

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IMDG

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

Transport in bulk according to

Not applicable.

Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and

the IBC Code

15. Regulatory information

Canadian regulations This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the HPR and the SDS

contains all the information required by the HPR.

Canada Controlled Drugs and Substances Act, Schedule I

Not regulated.

Canada Controlled Drugs and Substances Act, Schedule II

Not regulated.

Canada Controlled Drugs and Substances Act, Schedule III

Not regulated.

Canada Controlled Drugs and Substances Act, Schedule IV

Not regulated.

Canada Controlled Drugs and Substances Act, Schedule V

Not regulated.

Canada Controlled Drugs and Substances Act, Schedule VI

Not regulated.

Canada Controlled Drugs and Substances Act, Schedule VII

Not regulated.

Canada Controlled Drugs and Substances Act, Schedule VIII

Inventory name

Not regulated.

Export Control List (CEPA 1999, Schedule 3)

Not listed.

Greenhouse Gases

Not listed.

Precursor Control Regulations

Not regulated.

International regulations

Stockholm Convention

Not listed.

Rotterdam Convention

Not listed.

Kyoto Protocol

Not listed.

Montreal Protocol

Not listed.

Basel Convention

Not listed.

Country(s) or region

International Inventories

odunity (3) of region	inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)
Australia	Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AICIS)	Yes
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	Yes
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	Yes
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	Yes
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
Japan	Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)	No
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	Yes
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	Yes
Philippines	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)	Yes
Taiwan	Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory (TCSI)	Yes

^{*}A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s) A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory

16. Other information

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On inventory (yes/no)*

Yes

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