

1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Trade name: NF372-TB Soldering Flux and NF372-TB Flux Pen®

Article number: C3-00-NF372TB

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer/Supplier:

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CHEMTREC 24-Hour Emergency Response Telephone Number : (800) 424-9300
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2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008



GHS02 Flame

Flam. Liq. 2 H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapor.



GHS07

Eye Irrit. 2A H319 Causes serious eye irritation.
STOT SE 3 H335-H336 May cause respiratory irritation. May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

The product is classified and labeled according to the CLP regulation.

Hazard pictograms



GHS02 GHS07

Signal word Danger

Hazard statements

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Precautionary statements

Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking.

Wear protective gloves / eye protection.

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

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

Hazard description:**WHMIS Symbols****Classification system:****NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)**

Health = 1
Fire = 3
Reactivity = 0

HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)

HEALTH	1
FIRE	3
REACTIVITY	0

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Fire = 3
Reactivity = 0

2.3 Other hazards**Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.

3: COMPOSITION OF MIXTURE

Description: Mixture of the substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

CAS No.	Description		% Range
CAS: 67-63-0 EINECS: 200-661-7	Isopropanol	Flam. Liq. 2, H225 Eye Irrit. 2A, H319; STOT SE 3, H336	85-100%
	Aliphatic hydrocarbon solvent	Asp. Tox. 1, H304 Skin Irrit. 2, H315 Aquatic Chronic 4, H413	5-<10%
	Rosin	Skin Sens. 1, H317	1.0-3.0%
	Organic Acid	Eye Irrit. 2A, H319	1.0-3.0%

4: FIRST AID MEASURES**4.1 Description of first aid measures**

General information: Follow general first aid procedures.

After inhalation:

In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.

Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.

After skin contact: Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

After eye contact: Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.

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After swallowing: Seek immediate medical advice.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed Headache

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

If swallowed or in case of vomiting, danger of entering the lungs.

5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing agents:

CO₂, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents: Water with full jet

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Nitrogen oxides (NO_x)

In case of fire, the following can be released:

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Protective equipment: Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.

6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

Ensure adequate ventilation

6.2 Environmental precautions: Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Do not flush with water or aqueous cleansing agents

6.4 Reference to other sections

See Section 7 for information on safe handling.

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Keep receptacles tightly sealed.

Prevent formation of aerosols.

Information about protection against explosions and fires:

Keep ignition sources away - Do not smoke.

Protect against electrostatic charges.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage:

Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles: Store in a cool location.

Information about storage in one common storage facility: Not required.

Further information about storage conditions:

Keep receptacle tightly sealed.

Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed receptacles.

7.3 Specific end use(s) No further relevant information available.

8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Additional information about design of technical systems: No further data; see item 7.

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8.1 Control parameters

Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:

The following constituent is the only constituent of the product which has a PEL, TLV or other recommended exposure limit. At this time, the other constituents have no known exposure limits.

67-63-0 Isopropanol

PEL	Long-term value: 980 mg/m ³ , 400 ppm
REL	Short-term value: 1225 mg/m ³ , 500 ppm Long-term value: 980 mg/m ³ , 400 ppm
TLV	Short-term value: 984 mg/m ³ , 400 ppm Long-term value: 492 mg/m ³ , 200 ppm BEI

Additional information:

PEL = Permissible Exposure Limit (OSHA)
TLV= Threshold Limit Value (ACGIH)
OSHA= Occupational Safety and Health Administration
ACGIH= American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

8.2 Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment:

General protective and hygienic measures:

The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing.
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

Breathing equipment:

Not necessary if room is well-ventilated.
Use suitable respiratory protective device in case of insufficient ventilation.

Protection of hands:



Protective gloves

Material of gloves:

Nitrile rubber, NBR
Natural rubber, NR

Penetration time of glove material:

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

Eye protection:

Safety glasses



Face Shield with Safety Glasses when refilling.

9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

General Information

Appearance:

Form: Liquid
Color: Yellow
Odor: Alcohol-like

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pH-value:	Not determined.
Change in condition	
Melting point/Melting range:	Undetermined.
Boiling point/Boiling range:	82 °C (180 °F)
Flash point:	18 °C (64 °F)
Ignition temperature:	338 °C (640 °F)
Auto igniting:	Product is not selfigniting.
Danger of explosion:	Product is not explosive. However, formation of explosive air/vapor mixtures are possible.
Explosion limits:	
Lower:	2.0 Vol %
Upper:	12.0 Vol %
Vapor pressure at 20 °C (68 °F):	43 hPa (32 mm Hg)
Density at 20 °C (68 °F):	0.81 g/cm ³ (6.759 lbs/gal)
Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:	Partly soluble.
Solvent content:	
Organic solvents:	87.9 %

10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1 Reactivity No further relevant information available.

10.2 Chemical stability

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: No decomposition if used according to specifications.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions No dangerous reactions known.

10.4 Conditions to avoid No further relevant information available.

10.5 Incompatible materials: No further relevant information available.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products: No dangerous decomposition products known.

11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:

67-63-0 Isopropanol

Oral	LD50	5045 mg/kg (rat)
Dermal	LD50	12800 mg/kg (rabbit)
Inhalative	LC50/4 h	30 mg/l (rat)

Aliphatic hydrocarbon solvent

Oral	LD50	> 5000 mg/kg (rat)
Dermal	LD50	> 2000 mg/kg (rabbit)
Inhalative	LC50/4 h	> 5.2 mg/l (rat)

Primary irritant effect:

on the skin: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

on the eye:

Causes serious eye irritation.

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Sensitization: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Additional toxicological information:

Carcinogenic categories

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

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NTP (National Toxicology Program)

None of the ingredients is listed.

OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)

None of the ingredients is listed.

12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1 Toxicity

Aquatic toxicity: No further relevant information available.

Additional ecological information:

General notes:

Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable.
vPvB: Not applicable.

13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Recommendation:

Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

Uncleaned packagings:

Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

14.1 UN-Number

DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA UN1219

14.2 UN proper shipping name

DOT Isopropanol mixture
ADR 1219 Isopropanol mixture
IMDG, IATA ISOPROPANOL (ISOPROPYL ALCOHOL) mixture

14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

DOT



Class

3 Flammable liquids

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Label

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ADR, IMDG, IATA



Class	3 Flammable liquids
Label	3
14.4 Packing group	
DOT, IMDG, IATA	II
Marine pollutant:	No
14.6 Special precautions for user	Not applicable.
Danger code (Kemler):	33
EMS Number:	F-E,S-D
Stowage Category	B
14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code	Not applicable.

Transport/Additional information:

DOT

Quantity limitations

On passenger aircraft/rail: 5 L
On cargo aircraft only: 60 L

ADR

Excepted quantities (EQ)

Code: E2
Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml
Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 500 ml

IMDG

Limited quantities (LQ)
Excepted quantities (EQ)

1L
Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml
Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 500 ml

UN "Model Regulation":

UN 1219 ISOPROPANOL MIXTURE, 3, II

15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

USA The following information relates to product regulation specific to the USA.

SARA (Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act)

Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):

None of the ingredient is listed.

Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):

67-63-0 | Isopropanol

TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act): Kester certifies that all components listed below for the subject finished product are on the TSCA Inventory of Chemical Substances and are not subject to any chemical specific regulation under TSCA Section 12(b) export notification requirements delineated at 40 CFR part 707, subpart D.

All ingredients are listed or exempt from listing.

California Proposition 65

Chemicals known to cause cancer:

None of the ingredients is listed.

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US

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Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity:

None of the ingredients is listed.

Carcinogenic categories
EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)

None of the ingredients is listed.

NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

None of the ingredients is listed.

CANADA:

Workplace Hazardous Materials Identification (WHMIS):

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Canadian Controlled Products Regulation (CPR) and the Safety Data Sheet (SDS) contains all of the information required by the CPR.

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15.2 Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

16: OTHER INFORMATION

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

Department issuing Safety Data Sheet (SDS): Product Compliance / EHS Department

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Abbreviations and acronyms:

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

WHMIS: Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (Canada)

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LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent
PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative
NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety
OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health
TLV: Threshold Limit Value
PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit
REL: Recommended Exposure Limit
Flam. Liq. 2: Flammable liquids, Hazard Category 2
Skin Irrit. 2: Skin corrosion/irritation, Hazard Category 2
Eye Irrit. 2A: Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Hazard Category 2A
Skin Sens. 1: Sensitisation - Skin, Hazard Category 1
STOT SE 3: Specific target organ toxicity - Single exposure, Hazard Category 3
Asp. Tox. 1: Aspiration hazard, Hazard Category 1
Aquatic Chronic 4: Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Chronic Hazard, Category 4
*** Data compared to the previous version altered.**