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SODER-WICK FINE- BRAID®

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Product Information: 800-TECH-401
Customer Service: 800-645-5244

Emergency: (Chemtrec) 800-424-9300
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Product Identification**SODER-WICK FINE-BRAID®**

Product Code: Series 50, 80, 90

Product Ingredient Information

	CAS#	WL % Range
Copper	7440-50-8	90.0-98.0
Rosin	8050-09-7	2.0-10.0

Hazard Identification

Emergency Overview: Shiny, braided copper wire. This product is nonflammable.

Potential Health Effects:

Eyes: No effect expected under normal conditions of use. Vapors released from other materials used in the desoldering process may cause eye irritation.

Skin: Prolonged contact may cause skin irritation.

Ingestion: Harmful if swallowed. Metal contact may be irritating to mouth, throat and stomach tissues.

Inhalation: No effects expected under normal conditions of use. Vapors from other materials used in the desoldering process may cause irritation of the mouth, nose and throat.

Pre-Existing Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure: None known.

First Aid

Eyes: Usually not required. If eye irritation occurs immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. Have eyes examined and tested by medical personnel if irritation develops or persists.

Skin: Usually not required. If skin irritation occurs wash skin with soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists. Wash clothing separately before reuse.

Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting. Get immediate medical attention.

Inhalation: If user is overcome by fumes during the desoldering process, remove victim to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

Fire and Explosion Information

Flash Point: Nonflammable

LEL/UEL: Not applicable

Extinguishing Media: Water fog, CO₂, dry chemical, foam are compatible for extinguishing fires involving other materials when Soder-Wick is present.

Fire Fighting Instructions: As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus (pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

Accidental Release Measures

Small Spills: Pick up spilled braid. If soiled or dirty store in a closed container for delivery to a metals recycling center. Do not dispose of by placing in trash.

Handling and Storage Information

Avoid prolonged or repeated contact with eyes, skin. Wash hands before eating. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing vapors given off by the desoldering process. Store in a cool dry place. Keep container closed when not in use. **KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.**

Exposure Information/Personnel Protection**Exposure Guidelines:**

CHEMICAL NAME	ACGIH TWA	OSHA PEL	ACGIH STEL
Copper	0.2 mg/m ³	0.1 mg/m ³	NA
Rosin	10.000 mg/m ³	10.000 mg/m ³	10.000 mg/m ³

Work/Hygienic Practices: Good general ventilation should be sufficient to control airborne levels of desoldering process vapors. Local exhaust ventilation may be necessary to control any air contaminants to within their TLVs during the use of this product. This material or the desoldering process does not have established exposure limits. Wear a positive pressure air-supplied respirator in situations where there may be a potential for airborne exposure. Wear safety glasses with side shields or goggles when using this product.

NFPA and HMIS Codes:

	NFPA	HMIS
Health	1	1
Flammability	0	0
Reactivity	1	1
Personal Protection	-	A

Toxicological Information

Inhalation: Inhalation of dust and fumes during desoldering can irritate the respiratory tract. Long-term acute overexposure to fumes during desoldering can lead to lead poisoning.

Ingestion: Can cause allergic reaction in some individuals.

Skin: Can cause allergic reaction in some individuals.

Eye: Contact with rosin dust and desoldering fumes can irritate the eyes.

Cancer Information: No ingredients listed as human carcinogens by NTP or IARC

SODER-WICK FINE-BRAID®**Physical and Chemical Properties****Physical State:** Rosin coated braided copper wire**Odor:** Sharp, metallic odor.**pH:** NA**Vapor Pressure:** (mm Hg: 100 @ 317 °F)**Air 1)****Vapor Density:** >1**(Air 1)****Color:** Copper metallic**Solubility in Water:** Insoluble**Specific Gravity:** (Water =1) 8.92**Evaporation Rate:** >1**(Butyl acetate=1)****Viscosity:** NA**Percent Volatile:** NA**Boiling Point:** 604 °F @ 100mm Hg**Melting Point:** 1083 °F**Stability and Chemical Properties****Stability -** This product is stable.**Conditions to Avoid:** None known**Incompatibility:** Do not mix with powdered alkali and alkaline earth metals or strong oxidizing agents.**Products of Decomposition:** Vaporized copper at extremely high temperatures.**Hazardous Polymerization:** Will not occur**Conditions to Avoid:** NA**Disposal Considerations**

Dispose of in accordance with all federal, state and local regulations. .

Transportation Information

Proper

Shipping Name

Air: Wire Not regulated (National Motor Freight Classification Ref. No. 30940)**Ground:** Wire Not regulated (National Motor Freight Classification Ref. No. 30940)**Regulatory Information** (All ingredients of this product are listed on the TSCA Inventory.)**SECTION 313 SUPPLIER NOTIFICATION**

This product contains the following toxic chemicals subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Act of 1986 (40 CFR 372).

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Copper	7440-50-8	90.0-98.0

This information should be included on all MSDSs copied and distributed for this material.

TOXIC SUBSTANCES CONTROL ACT (TSCA).**Other Information**

Product should be used only with adequate ventilation to quickly disperse vapors produced during the desoldering process. Mechanical ventilation should be used when large volumes of such fumes are produced. If such ventilation is not available personnel should wear NIOSH approved organic vapor respirators equipped with particulate dust filters specified for use during welding or soldering.

Environmental Impact Information

Avoid runoff into storm sewers and ditches which lead to waterways. Water runoff of desoldering process residues may cause environmental damage.

REPORTINGUS regulations require reporting spills of this material that could reach any surface waters. The toll free number for the US Coast Guard National Response Center is:
1-800-424-8802**Environmental Impact Data**
(percent by weight)

CFC	0.0%	VOC	0.0%
HCFC	0.0%	HFC	0.0%
Cl. Solv.	0.0%	ODP	0.00

For more information call:
1-800-645-5244

To the best of our knowledge, the information contained herein is accurate. However, all materials may present unknown hazards and should be used with caution. In particular, improper use of our products and their inappropriate combination with other products and substances may produce harmful results which cannot be anticipated. Final determination of the suitability of any material is the sole responsibility of the user. Although certain hazards are described herein, we cannot guarantee that these are the only hazards that may exist.