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DKP6

No Clean Lead Free Solder Paste

Description

DKP6 is a halide & halogen free, no clean solder paste formulated for lead free surface mount assemblies requiring excellent, defect free soldering of even the most difficult to solder components and board finishes, including OSP, ENIG, Ag, Sn and HASL. DKP6 leave clear, minimal, halogen free post reflow residue, and has been tested to industry standards including J-STD-004B and J-STD-005A. DKP6 residues can be considered safe to remain on an assembly when no-clean technology is appropriate to the assembly end use. Available in Type 3, 4 and 5 powder size, DKP6 offers excellent print definitions for fine and ultra-fine pitch printing and offers extended open times in excess of three days.

Benefits	Cleaning
• No clean: ROL0 (J-STD-004B)	Residues can be easily removed using DKL's range of cleaners.
Halogen & Halide Free	Storage Conditions
Slump free / No solder balling	DKP6 can be stored at room temperature, however storage in a refrigerator will prolong life.
Suitable for air / nitrogen	Shelf Life
Clear probe testable residue	When refrigerated and stored at < 10°C, DKP6 has a shelf life of 12 months for unopened cartridges and tubs, and 6
Long stencil life	months for unopened syringes.
 Excellent soldering / 72 hour tack life 	

Availability

DKP6 is manufactured in the UK.

Alloy	Metals	Particle Size	Packaging
SAC305	88.5%	25-45 μm, 20-38 μm, 15-25 μm	1000 g, 500 g Cartridges, 1000 g, 500 g, 250 g Tubs

Other alloys, metal percentages, and stock units available. Contact sales for more information.



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Test Data

Typical properties for P4000, 88.5%, 20-38 (T4)

Flux Classification J-STD-004B	ROLO
Slump J-STD-005A	Pass <0.2 mm
Metal Content J-STD-005A	88.5%
Tack Test J-STD-005A	>3 days
Solder Ball Test J-STD-005A	Pass
Quantitative Halide J-STD-004B	No Halogen
Surface Insulation Resistance J-STD-004B	Pass >100MΩ
Copper Corrosion 10 day J-STD-004B	Pass
Copper Mirror Corrosion J-STD-004B	Pass



J-STD-005A 150°C, 15 minutes – no slump to 0.2mm.







7 day continuous Surface Insulation Resistance test, testing cycles every 20 minutes at 5V. Showing no dendrite formation and far exceeding J-STD-004B requirements of greater than 100 M Ω .



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Halogen Free

DKP6 flux medium passes the ion chromatography test for fluorides, chlorides and bromides in accordance with J-STD-004 revision B. This revision demands a reflow pre-treatment of the solder paste flux in accordance with IPC TM650 2.3.34. Older revisions of J-STD-004 do not test for covalent halogens and can lead to confusion by allowing halogen containing fluxes to be classified as ROL0. DKP6 is a true halogen free type ROL0.



Ion chromatogram of DKP6 reflowed flux residue in accordance to J-STD-004B, TM 650 2.2.34, showing trace background levels of chloride (<0.05%) with no evidence of added halide or halide bearing materials, demonstrating halide and halogen free.



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Printing

Ensure the paste is at room temperature before opening. For tubs, stir and apply sufficient paste to the stencil to allow for an even roll whilst printing. DKP6 is suitable for printing speeds between 20-100 mm/sec.

Typical Reflow Information

SAC305

Parameter	Typical Settings
Initial Ramp Rate	$1-3^{\circ}$ C per second to 190° C
Soak Temperature	190-200°C
Soak Duration	60 120 seconds
	238-250°C (20-35°C above melting point)
Time Above Liquidous	45-75 seconds
Ramp Down Rate	4-6°C per second
Total Profile Duration	4-5 minutes







Commitment to Care

Lead free soldering represents a clear commitment to care for the long-term health of our planet and its inhabitants, by eliminating the use of toxic materials which can leech into the water supply. DKP6 Solder Paste is formulated without the use of toxic metals such as Lead, Antimony or Nickel. DKL offers a commitment to care for users of Microprint Solder Pastes and DKL's insistence on ethical product development allows you to fulfil your commitment to the environment and manufacturing performance whilst offering you peace of mind.

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