

## 1. Product Identification




Product Code	QF525 Flux	
Trade Name	None	
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## 2. Composition and information on Components

Hazardous Components		Content	EC No	CAS	Hazard	Risk
Propan-2-OL		<60%	200-661-7	67-63-0	F: Highly Flammable	R11
Stoddard Solvent		<20%	232-489-3	8052-41-3	X <sub>n</sub> :Harmful	R65
Rosin Remainder		<10	232-475-7	8050-09-7	Xi Irritant Not classified	R42/43

## 3. Hazard Identification

Main Hazards	Highly Flammable Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin
Health Effects Inhalation - Ingestion	Inhalation of the fumes or ingestion may cause headache, nausea, muscular pain. Irritation of the eyes and nose may result from contact with soldering fumes.
Chronic (Prolonged effects)	Anaemia, insomnia, weakness, constipation, nausea and abdominal pain due to ingestion. Skin rash, damage of mucous membrane due to skin exposure and inhalation.

## 4. First Aid Measures

First Aid - Eyes	Immediately flush the eyes with water for at least 15 minutes, holding the eye open. Obtain medical attention urgently.
First Aid - Skin	Wash thoroughly with soap and water and remove all contaminated clothing as washing proceeds. Apply suitable lotion to prevent dryness. Seek medical attention.
First Aid - Inhalation	Remove person to fresh air and keep subject warm and at rest. Seek medical attention.
First Aid - Ingestion	Wash out mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting. Keep subject warm and at rest. Seek medical attention.

## 5. Fire Fighting Measures

<b>Extinguishing media</b>	Use Carbon Dioxide, Dry chemical, Alcohol resistant foam. Beware of the possibility of re-ignition.
<b>Special Hazards</b>	Dangerous when exposed to heat of flame. Containers may explode in heat of fire. Vapours can travel a considerable distance to source of ignition to cause flash-back.
<b>Protective Equipment for Fire Fighting</b>	Wear full protective clothing and use breathing apparatus.

## 6. Accidental Release Measures

<b>Personal Precautions</b>	Wear appropriate protective clothing. Eliminate sources of ignition. Vapour is heavier than air and will collect in basements or depressions etc.. Avoid breathing vapour.
<b>Environmental Precautions</b>	Try to prevent the product entering drains or water courses.
<b>Spillages</b>	Small spillages can be flushed with large volumes of water. Larger spillages should be collected for disposal. Beware of vapour collecting to form explosive concentrations. Allow to evaporate if it is safe to do so or contain using absorbent material such as earth, sand or other inert material.

## 7. Handling and Storage

<b>Handling</b>	Use in well ventilated area. Avoid breathing in vapour, mist or resultant soldering fumes. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Keep container tightly closed. Larger containers (20l) are heavy. Take care when lifting and pouring.
<b>Storage</b>	Storage area should be well ventilated, cool and dry. Store in original containers. Re package only if container becomes damaged. Store away from sources of heat or ignition.

## 8. Exposure Controls - Personal Protection

Occupational Exposure Limits	TLV	OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV
Propan-2-OL	400ppm	400ppm	400ppm
Stoddard Solvent	100ppm	100ppm	100ppm
Rosin	0.15mg/m <sup>3</sup>	0.15mg/m <sup>3</sup>	0.15mg/m <sup>3</sup>
<b>Engineering Control Measures</b>	Ensure work area is well ventilated and equipment exhausted. If pouring is needed then this should be arranged so as not to expose the operator to unnecessary vapour levels.		
<b>Respiratory Protection</b>	Respiratory protection if there is a risk of exposure to high vapour levels.		
<b>Hand protection</b>	Nitrile rubber gloves or PVC gloves should be used when handling or pouring		
<b>Eye Protection</b>	Close fitting Chemical goggles should be worn when handling or pouring.		
<b>Skin Protection</b>	Normal work wear but rubber apron if there is a danger of splashing or spillage.		
<b>Foot Protection</b>	Wear protective boots or toe caps when handling drums.		

## 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

<b>Appearance</b>	Nearly clear liquid with straw tint	
<b>Odour</b>	Ethereal Odour	
<b>Boiling point</b>	82 Deg C @ 760mm Hg	
<b>Melting point</b>	n/a	
<b>Flash Point</b>	12 Deg C	
<b>Auto Ignition Temperature</b>	350 Deg C	
<b>Flammability limits in air</b>	Lower : 2.5 %	
	Upper : 12 %	
<b>Explosion Limits</b>	Lower : 2.5 %	
	Upper : 12 %	
<b>Vapour pressure</b>	33.0 mm Hg at 50 Deg C	
<b>Vapour Density</b>	2.07	(Air = 1)
<b>Evaporation Rate</b>	<2.3	(BuAc = 1)
<b>Specific Gravity</b>	0.844 +/- 0.006	(H <sub>2</sub> O = 1 @ 25 Deg C)
<b>Solubility</b>	Partially soluble in water	

## 10. Stability and Reactivity

<b>Stability</b>	Stable under normal conditions
<b>Conditions to avoid</b>	High temperature - sources of ignition
<b>Materials to avoid</b>	Strong oxidising agents
<b>Hazardous Decomposition Products</b>	May release toxic vapours / gases such as Carbon Monoxide, Carbon Dioxide

## 11. Toxicological Information

<b>Basis of Assessment</b>	Information given is based on product data
<b>Acute Toxicity - Oral</b>	LD50 > 2000 mg/kg
<b>Acute Toxicity - Dermal</b>	LD50 > 2000 mg/kg
<b>Acute Toxicity - Inhalation</b>	LD50 > 5mg/L
<b>Eye Irritation</b>	Slight irritant
<b>Skin Irritation</b>	Slight Irritant
<b>Respiratory Irritation</b>	Irritant in animal studies
<b>Skin sensitisation</b>	May cause skin sensitisation
<b>(Sub) Chronic Toxicity</b>	Repeated exposure causes liver damage
<b>Human effects</b>	Repeated exposure can lead to allergic contact dermatitis. High exposure can cause drowsiness and dizziness. Can cause liver damage. There may be other health risks but these will vary from person to person.

## 12. Ecological Information

<b>Mobility</b>	The product will readily dissolve in water
<b>Degradability</b>	The product is readily Biodegradable
<b>Bio-accumulation</b>	Not expected to accumulate
<b>Ecotoxicity</b>	Poses a significant risk of oxygen depletion in aquatic systems

## 13. Disposal

<b>Product</b>	Incineration recommended. Material is classified as special waste under the COPA regulations 1980 and must be disposed of in accordance with those regulations.
<b>Containers</b>	Leave labels in tact until containers have been thoroughly cleaned. Empty containers may contain hazardous residues and vapours. Dispose of containers with care.

# Safety Data Sheet



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## 14. Transport Information

UN Number, Shipping name and Class	1993	Flammable Liquid NOS
Proper Shipping Name	Contains Isopropanol	
UN Class / Packing Group	3 / II	
Packing Symbol	Flammable Liquid	

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## 15. Regulatory Information

### Labelling Information

#### Highly Flammable



#### Irritant



#### Environmental



### Risk Phrases

R11	:Highly Flammable
R36/37/38	:Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin
R42/43	May cause sensitisation by inhalation or skin contact

### Safety Phrases

S7	:Keep container tightly closed
S16	:Keep away from sources of ignition - No Smoking
S24	:Avoid contact with skin
S23	:Do not breath fumes or spray
S26	:In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
S62	: If swallowed, do not induce vomiting: seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.

### EC Annex 1 Classification

F:	Highly Flammable
X <sub>i</sub>	Irritant

### Regulations / References

Refer to the requirements of all relevant local regulations. For the United Kingdom, see Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH), the Health and Safety at Work Act (HSWA) and the Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail Regulations 1994.

## 16. Other Information

Application	See technical data sheet for application information QF525 Flux
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