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# RMA-223, Rosin Mildly Active Solder Paste

## **Product Data Sheet**

### **Product Highlights**

- ROL0 flux classification
- Exceptional print definition
- Excellent wetting on most board finishes
- Low voiding
- Long stencil life
- Wide process window
- REACH compliant
- Compatible with enclosed print heads
- Print & dispense grade solder paste available

### **Available Alloys**

Alloy	Temp °C	Temp °F
63Sn/37Pb	183	361
62Sn/36Pb/2Ag	179	354
62.8Sn/36.8Pb/0.4Ag	179-183	354-361
60Sn/40Pb	183-191	361-376
43Sn/43Pb/14Bi	144-163	291-325
42Sn/58Bi	138	280
10Sn/88Pb/2Ag	268-290	514-554

### **Packaging**

500 gram jars 700 gram cartridges 35 or 100 gram syringes ProFlow cassettes

### **Test Results**

Test J-STD-004 or other requirements (as stated)	Test Requirement	Result
Copper Mirror	IPC-TM-650: 2.3.32	L: No breakthrough
Corrosion	IPC-TM-650: 2.6.15	L: No Corrosion
Quantitative Halides	IPC-TM-650: 2.3.28.1	L: <0.05%
Electrochemical Migration	IPC-TM-650: 2.6.14.1	L: <1 decade drop (No-cleaned)
Surface Insulation Resistance 85 °C, 85% RH @ 168 Hours	IPC-TM-650: 2.6.3.7	L: ≥100 MΩ (No Clean)
Tack Value	IPC-TM-650: 2.4.44	48g
Viscosity - Malcom @ 10 RPM/25 °C (x10³mPa/s)- Sn63/Pb37 T3/T4	IPC-TM-650: 2.4.34.4	Print: 200-275 Dispensing: 110-150
Visual	IPC-TM-650: 3.4.2.5 Clear and free from precipitatio	
Conflict Minerals Compliance	Electronic Industry Citizenship Coalition (EICC)	Compliant
REACH Compliance	Articles 33 and 67 of Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006	Contains no substance >0.1% w/w that is listed as a SVHC or restricted for use in solder materials

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### **Printer Operation**

The following are general guidelines for stencil printer optimization with RMA-223. Some adjustments may be necessary based on your process requirements.

Print Speed: 25-100 mm/sec

Squeegee Pressure: 70-250g/cm of blade Under Stencil Wipe: Once every 10-25 prints,

or as necessary

#### **Stencil Life**

> 8 hours @ 30-45% RH and 20-25 °C

~ 4 hours @ 45-75% RH and 20-25 °C

### **Cleaning**

RMA-223 is a Rosin Mildly Active solder paste that can be left on the board for many SMT assemblies. For applications requiring cleaning, RMA-223 can be cleaned using flux residue removers such as Inventec Disper 607 and Disper 610.

#### **Amtech Low Oxide Powder Distribution**

Micron Size	Туре	Pitch Requirements
45-75µ	Type-2	24 mil and above
25-45µ	Type-3	16-24 mil
20-38μ	Type-4	12-16 mil
15-25µ	Type-5	8-12 mil
5-15µ	Type-6	5-8 mil
2-11µ	Type-7	< 5 mil

Note: Type-6 and Type-7 may not be available in certain alloys. Other powder distributions are available on request.

### **Storage**

Solder paste should be stored between 3-8 °C (37-46 °F) to obtain the maximum refrigerated shelf life of six months. Unopened solder paste stored at room temperature, 25 °C (77 °F) will have a one month shelf life. Syringes and cartridges should be stored vertically in the refrigerator with the dispensing tip down. Allow 4-8 hours for solder paste to reach an operating temperature of 20-25 °C (68-77 °F). Keep the solder paste container sealed while warming the solder paste to operating temperature. **NEVER FREEZE SOLDER PASTE**.

#### **Recommended Profile**

This profile is designed to serve as a starting point for process optimization using RMA-223. To achieve better results with voiding or to reduce tombstoning, consider using a longer soaking zone, (140-180 °C) for 60-90 seconds, with a rapid pre-heat stage. If there is evidence of solder de-wetting, consider lowering the peak reflow temperature, or reduce the time above liquidus to <60 seconds.

