

ALPHA® SM-262

Solvent for Localized Cleaning

DESCRIPTION

ALPHA SM-262 is composed of a blend of organic solvents designed for the manual removal of a wide variety of fluxes found in the electronic assembly line. It is effective for spot cleaning of boards processed with no-clean, rosin flux, low residue paste, uncured adhesives, water-soluble and lead-free pastes.

READ ENTIRE TECHNICAL DATA SHEET BEFORE USING THIS PRODUCT

FEATURES & BENEFITS

- Effective on no-clean flux residues
- Safe and easy to use
- Ready to use for rework application
- No Rinsing Required

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Item	Typical Value	ltem	Typical Value
Appearance	Clear, Colorless Liquid	Water Soluble	Negligible
Specific Gravity	1.264	VOC, @ 10%	11.75g/L
Weight per Gallon	10.5	VP of VOC Comp.	316.7 mmHg
Flash Point	None	Non-Volatile	0.0%
Boiling Point	47 °C (116 °F)	Odor	



APPLICATION GUIDELINES

Suggested Process Parameters:

Process Type	Concentration Range	Temperature Range	Rinse Dry
Manual	100%	Ambient	Not Required / Optional

ALPHA SM-262 is ready to use with no dilution and no heat applied. It is recommended that two separate glass bottles containing ALPHA SM-262 be used, one for washing and the other for rinsing, following the steps indicated below. Containers should be stored with the lid tightly closed to prevent evaporation.

- **1.** Apply a small amount of ALPHA SM-262 on the specific board area to be cleaned.
- **2.** Gently scrub the area with an acid brush until the residues dissolve. Periodic application of a small amount of ALPHA SM-262 will help loosen the residue.
- **3.** Once the residue dissolves, use a clean brush to apply a small amount of ALPHA SM-262 to rinse the board.
- **4.** ALPHA SM-262 will evaporate readily after the cleaning application.

Note: The use of compressed air for drying PCBs can generate static. Anti-static devices or ionization air guns should be used.

STORAGE

ALPHA SM-262 is to be stored at 5-30°C / 41-86°F using standard chemical handling practices. Packaged in polyethylene containers with the seal unbroken, **ALPHA SM-262** has a suggested shelf-life of five years.

AVAILABILITY

ALPHA SM-262 is available commercially in 25-liter containers.







SAFETY & WARNING

It is recommended that the company/operator read and review the Safety Data Sheets for the appropriate health and safety warnings before use. **Safety Data Sheets are available at MacdermidAlpha.com/assembly-solutions/knowledge-base**

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