

# **SOLDERING CONCENTRATE L-366**

Zinc chloride based flux

### **DESCRIPTION**

Stannol soldering concentrates are fluxes based on zinc chloride to solder sheet metal constructions and steel, for dip tinning as well as for soldering on poorly wettable surfaces. Stannol soldering concentrates are aqueous solutions of zinc chloride and further additives in highest concentration.

Soldering concentrate L-366 is a flux for soldering and tinning of steel, iron, zinc and zinc coated sheet with persistent oxide coatings. It can be applied unthinned or if necessary be diluted with water or with a mixture spirit/water (50/50 Vol.) up to a ratio of 1:10. These solutions are sufficient for normally solderable metal parts. The concentrate and its dilutions correspond to DIN EN 29454-1, type 3.1.1.

#### **APPLICATION**

Stannol soldering concentrates can be applied with an acid-resistant brush or by dipping. The surfaces treated with soldering concentrate can be heated up with a soldering iron, a blow torch (propane/butane) or other procedures. Since zinc chloride evaporates only at extremely high temperatures, it remains active up to more than  $500\,^{\circ}$ C. All usual solder alloys are suitable; the most common are S-Sn60Pb40 with a small melting range of  $183-190\,^{\circ}$ C or S-Pb70Sn30 with a wide melting range of  $183-250\,^{\circ}$ C. Also lead free alloys e.g. S-Sn97Cu3 are applicable, particularly for soldering of drinking water pipelines or articles, which come into contact with food.

The flux residues are highly corrosive and must be removed with water after soldering. The flux residues are water soluble. Increased temperatures and the additive of detergents improve the cleaning result. These fluxes are not suitable for applications in electro-technical and electronics manufacturing. **Disposal: Dispose only into hazardous waste, not into the domestic refuse.** 

## **SHELF LIFE**

2 years after date of production (provided proper storage in originally sealed container)

#### **HEALTH AND SAFETY**

Before use read the material safety data sheet carefully and observe the safety precautions described.

## **DISCLAIMER**

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