

4050-Liquid

# **Description**

The 4050 Safety Wash for Electronics is a high purity, printed circuit board cleaner and solvent. It uses a blend of high purity ethyl alcohol, isopropyl alcohol, and ethyl acetate components designed not to leave solvent contaminations behind.

The alcohol and organic solvent blend is sufficiently strong to dissolve light to moderate grease and organic contaminants, as well as being polar enough to remove ionic flux residues and inorganic soils. It is an excellent choice when IPA alone is not powerful enough to dissolve greasy contaminants.

# **Applications & Usages**

The 4050 cleaner is strong enough to effectively remove light greases, oils, smoke, inks, and most fluxes. Since the 4050 is safe for most plastics (see compatibility chart on page 2), seals, ceramics, and printed circuit board components, it is used heavily in the electronics industry.

### **ATTENTION!** Consumer Product VOC Dilution Requirements

Residential or institutional users in California and other states (IL, IN, MI, OH, CT, DE, ME, MD, MA, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, VT, VA, DC, UT) with Electronic Cleaners 75% VOC limits must dilute the product 3:1 with water or acetone prior to use.

## **Storage Properties**

Properties	Value
Shelf Life @22 °C [72 °F]	5 y
Storage Temperature <sup>a)</sup>	-20 to 40 °C [-4 to 104 °F]

a) Storage below zero is not necessary. Cool, dry, and well ventilated area recommended.

# **Properties**

Physical Properties	Value			
Odor	Alcohol like			
Color	Colorless			
Specific Gravity	0.79			
Vapor Density	≥1.6			
Vapor Pressure	6 kPa [44 mmHg]			
Boiling Point	>78 °C [>172 °F]			
Flash Point	13 °C [55 °F]			
Auto-ignition	>363 °C [>685 °F]			
Flammability	Highly flammable liquid and vapor			
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Solvation Parameters	Value	
Hansen Solubility Parameters	(MPa) <sup>1/2</sup>	[cal/cm³] <sup>½</sup>
Total	23.6	[11.5]
Non-Polar	15.8	[7.7]
Polar	6.2	[3.0]
Hydrogen Bonding	16.4	[8.0]
Solubility in water (%wt)	Highly miscible	
Solubility for water (%wt)	Highly miscible	

Note: Values based on typical literature values for each component

# **Compatibility**

It is generally compatible with plastics, PCB components, and plant fibers.

**Substrate Compatibility:** Consult the 4050 compatibility chart for a tentative compatibility list. These compatibility ratings should be considered as tentative due to variations in plastic manufacturers' formulations and additives, as well as the processing conditions during cleaning.

<u>ATTENTION!</u> Always perform a compatibility test on a non-critical area or a representative test substrate prior to use. Test even if the chart predicts high compatibility since modern parts may incorporate undeclared materials, plastic blends, protective coatings, and decorative coatings.

### **4050 Compatibility Chart**

Plastic type	Resistance
Epoxy	Excellent
ABS (acrylonitrile butadiene styrene	Fair
PMMA (Acrylic and Plexiglass)	Severe Effect
PVC (Polyvinyl chloride)	Good
HD-PE (high density polyethylene)	Excellent
LD-PE (low density polyethylene)	Excellent
PP (polypropylene)	Excellent
PS (polystyrene)	Fair
PC (Polycarbonate)	Excellent
Nylon	Severe effects
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*Note:* Rating is given for room temperature only. Heating the solution generally decreases the chemical resistance.

### **LEGEND**

Excellent = Negligible chemical attack over long exposuresGood = Slight attack with minor absorption over long exposures

**Fair** = Moderate attack with swelling, softening, loss of strength (may tolerate short term exposures)

**Poor** = Not recommended due to possible crazing, cracking, discoloration, or loss of strength

**Severe Effect** = Decomposition or dissolution after short exposures

# Health, Safety, and Environmental Awareness

Please see the 4050 **Safety Data Sheet** (SDS) for more details on transportation, storage, handling and other security guidelines.

**Environmental Impact:** The 4050 has a high volatile organic content of 100%. Avoid runoff into storm and sewer drains. This product is readily biodegradable.

**Health and Safety:** This product is flammable and shouldn't be used in the presence of open flames or other ignition source. Avoid prolonged breathing of vapors. Use with adequate ventilation.

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**NOTE**: This product is not intended as a disinfectant for humans or animals. It was not treated to remove possible fungal spores or rare alcohol-resistant bacterial strains. Further, high purity anhydrous IPA is not an effective disinfectant.

#### **HMIS® RATING**

HEALTH:	*	2
FLAMMABILITY:		3
PHYSICAL HAZARD:		0
PERSONAL PROTECTION:		

NFPA® 704 CODES



Approximate HMIS and NFPA Risk Ratings Legend:

0 (Low or none); 1 (Slight); 2 (Moderate); 3 (Serious); 4 (Severe)

## **Application Instructions**

Follow the procedure below for best results.

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#### To clean residues

- 1. Imbibe clean cloth.
- 2. Wipe surface to be cleaned with cloth. OR
- 3. Rinse area by pouring neat solution over it, with or without the use of a hog hair cleaning brush.
  - a. Ensure that wash runs off the circuit board along the shortest unencumbered path to prevent redeposit of solvated residues.

#### ATTENTION!

**Recap the bottle immediately** after use to avoid water absorption.

**Do NOT use in squeezable wash bottles** since these containers allow humidity-absorption contamination.

OR

4. (Exceptionally) Immerse component in a container filled with a fresh 4050 solution.

#### **ATTENTION!**

Immersion baths will immediately start to absorb moisture from the air, so the lifespan as a water-free solvent is very short.



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## **Packaging and Supporting Products**

Cat. No.	Packaging	Net Volum	пе	Net Weig	ht	Packaging	g Weight
4050-1L	Bottle	1 L	1.05 qt	787 g	1.73 lb	5.5 kg <sup>a)</sup>	12 lb <sup>a)</sup>
4050-4L 4050-20L	Jug Pail	4 L 20 L	1.06 gal 5.33 gal	3.15 kg 15.7 kg	6.94 lb 34.7 lb	4 kg 20 kg	8.5 lb 42 lb
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a) Pack of 6

### **Supporting Products**

Acetone: Cat. No. 434-1L, 434-4L
Hog Hair Cleaning Brush: Cat. No. 852
Large Hog Hair Cleaning Brush: Cat. No. 853

## **Technical Support**

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