# PRODUCT DATA SHEET **TACFIUX® 26S**

#### Introduction

**TACFlux® 26S** is a NIA halogen-free, no-clean rework flux, which is designed to leave a completely benign, clear residue. The reduction in residue optimizes underfill adhesion and decreases possible outgassing during underfill cure.

#### **Features**

- Halogen-free no intentionally added (NIA) halogens
- Suitable for Pb-free alloys
- Compatible with underfills
- Dipping with minimal bridging
- Designed for rework applications
- Low residue
- Bubble-free (airless) packaging

#### **Properties**

Property	Value	Test Method
Flux Classification	REL0	J-STD-004 (IPC-TM-650: 2.3.32 and 2.3.33)
Color	Light Yellow	Visual
Typical Viscosity	13kcps	Brookfield HB DVII+-CP (20rpm)
SIR (Ohms)	Pass (>10 <sup>8</sup> after 7 days @ 85°C & 85% RH)	J-STD-004 (IPC-TM-650: 2.6.3.3 IPC-B-24)
Typical Acid Value	39mg KOH/g	Titration
Shelf Life	6 months @ 0 to 30°C	Viscosity Change/ Microscope Examination
Typical Post Reflow Residual Weight	<10%	TGA

All information is for reference only. Not to be used as incoming product specifications.

## Application

**TACFlux® 26S** is intended to be used in a nitrogen reflow environment of 100ppm oxygen or less. Some applications can utilize this material in an air environment, although best results will be obtained in an inert atmosphere. **TACFlux® 26S** can be used on many surface finishes including immersion Ag, Cu-OSP, AuNi, and AuPdNi, and is compatible with all standard flip-chip solders.

### Compatibility

The compatibility of flip-chip flux residues with epoxy-based capillary underfills is determined by measuring the shear strength of the interface between the post-reflow flux and the cured underfill. The best results for **TACFlux® 26S** have been observed with both amine- and acid anhydride-based capillary underfill chemistries.



## Cleaning

**TACFlux® 26S** is designed for no-clean applications. If necessary, the flux can be removed by using a commercially available flux cleaner. Please contact an Indium Corporation Technical Service Engineer for recommendations of cleaners to suit your process needs.

#### Storage

**TACFlux® 26S** syringes and cartridges should be stored tip down at 0° to 30°C for maximum shelf life. **TACFlux® 26S** should be allowed to reach ambient temperature before use.

#### Packaging

**TACFlux®26S** is most commonly available in 10 and 30cc syringes. Other packaging can be provided to meet specific requirements.



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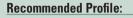
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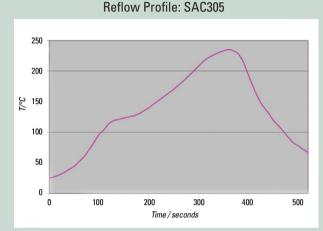
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### **Safety Data Sheets**

The SDS for this product can be found online at http://www.indium.com/sds

#### Reflow





A short preheat (150°-160°C) for less than 45 seconds may be used to reduce voiding. The profile should ideally be a linear ramp at 2-3°C/second up to 20-30°C above solidus temperature, with a slow cool down afterwards of -0.5 to -0.2°C, and a minimum time above liquidus of 60 seconds.



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