# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

## **1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**

#### **1.1 PRODUCT NAME**

Sterling Solder Syringe 8833

#### NFPA HAZARD RATINGE

Fire:	Moderate
Health:	Moderate
Reactivity:	Significant
Special:	Insignificant

#### **1.2 MANUFACTURED FOR**

Freedom Alloys P.O. Box 1378 Cypress, TX 77410-1478 Phone: 281-807-0757

#### **1.3 EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBER**

Chem-Tel, Inc. 800-255-3924

#### 2. HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

INGREDIENT Boric Acid	CAS NUMBER 10043-35-3	OSHA PEL None Established	ACGIH-TLV None Established	LIMITS None Known
Potassium Bifluoride	7789-29-2	2.50 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	2.50 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	None Known
Potassium Fluoroborate	14075-53-7	2.50 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	2.50 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	None Known
Isoparrifinic Hydrocarbons	None Established	None Established	None Established	2300 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Copper	7440-50-8	1.00 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	1.00 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	None Known
Phosphorous	7664-38-2	0.10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	0.10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	None Known
Tin	7440-31-5	2.00 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	2.00 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	None Known

This product does not contain any fluorides or halides

### 3. PHYSICAL DATA

BOILING POINT: VAPOR PRESSURE: VAPOR DENSITY: SOLUBILITY H2O: APPEARANCE: 212°F 2mm @ 25°C Greater than 5 Soluble Paste, no significant odor SPECIFIC GRAVITY: PERCENT VOLATILE: EVAPAORATION RATE: MELTING POINT: No data available No data available No data available 1317°F

# 4. FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

FLASH POINT:	Unknown
AUTO IGNITION TEMP:	Unknown
FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES	Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing
FLAMMABLE LIMITS	Unknown
UNUSUAL HAZARDS	None Identified
EXTINGUISHING MEDIA	CO <sub>2</sub> , Dry Chemical, Foam, Water

### 5. REACTIVITY DATA

STABILITY:	Stable
HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:	Will not occur
INCOMPATIBILITY:	Strong acids and alkalis
CONDITIONS TO AVOID:	Excessive heat during storage
DECOMPOSITION BYPRODUCTS:	Phosphorous, copper and tin fumes when overheated. Possible fluoride fumes.

# 6. SAFE HANDLING AND USE

SPILLS:	Control source of spill. Scrape paste up using a putty knife or suitable blade. Residues can be removed with soap
	and water, mineral spirits or similar solvents.
DISPOSAL:	Disposal of waste may be subject to federal, state and local regulations. Because of the precious metal content of
	this paste, the waste should be refined.
STORAGE:	Maintain at or below normal room temperature.
OTHER:	Refer to ANSI Z49.1: "Safety in Cutting and Welding" for safety guidelines.

# 7. HEALTH HAZARD DATA

ROUTE OF ENTRY:	INHALATION:	Yes
	SKIN:	Yes
	INGESTION:	Yes
CARCINOGENICITY:	This product does not contain	in any products that are known carcinogens.

## SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE:

BORIC ACID	No significant health hazards reported.
POTASSIUM BIFLUORIDE:	Dust when inhaled can be highly irritating to nose and throat. Inhalation may cause chills, labored breathing, fevers, unproductive cough. The fluoride ion may cause hypocalcemia. Inflammation and necrosis of the mucous membranes may occur. May be fatal if ingested. Symptoms may include salivation, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea and abdominal pain. Potassium ion may cause lowered blood pressure; coma, death may result. The fluoride ion can reduce serum calcium levels, possibly causing fatal hypocalcemia. Contact with dust, mist, fumes or solution may cause severe irritation, especially on abraded skin. Also, reddening and pustular dermatitis have been reported. Prolonged contact, particularly with solutions or with solid under sweaty conditions, may cause more severe burns and hypocalcemia with risk of death. Direct eye contact with dust, mist, fumes or solution may irritate strongly. Further exposure may cause burns or corneal damage.
POTASSIUM FLUOROBORATE:	Exposure to the dust or fume of fluoride salts may present significant health hazards. Fluoride salts can cause acute poisoning or death (principally by ingestion). Skin contact and exposure to mucous membranes can cause severe irritation and tissue damage. Nose bleed and slow healing scars in the nasal passage have been reported. Crippling bone changes and mottling of tooth enamel are chronic effects of exposure although they are not common among current industrial employees. Ingestion of fluoride salts can cause severe gastric pain, internal bleeding, tissue damage, and death. Acute poisoning from inhalation is not common. Nose bleeds, skin and eye irritation, tissue damage and slow healing scars can result if exposure is excessive. Fluoride salts are soluble in body fluids and

	sweat and are corrosive to the skin and mucous membranes. Prolonged exposure to fluoride salts may cause
	damage to the skin, eye and mucous membranes.
PHOSPHOROUS:	Inhalation of phosphorous vapors can lead to respiratory tract irritation. Chronic intoxication includes gastrointestinal
	distress and garlic breath. A classical effect of chronic phosphorous intoxication is necrosis of the jaw.
COPPER:	Industrial exposure to copper fumes, dusts or mists results in metal fume fever with atrophic changes in nasal mucous
	membranes. Chronic poisoning results in Wilson's Disease, characterized by hepatic cirrhosis, brain damage,
	demyelimation, renal disease and copper deposition in the cornea.
TIN:	Inhalation of tin oxide may lead to benign pneumoconiosis. Certain tin salts are mild irritants to the skin and mucous
	membranes.

#### 8. CONTROL MEASURES

In confined spaces or areas of insufficient ventilation, use a NIOSH approved airline respirator, hose mask or self-contained breathing apparatus. Local exhaust should produce an airflow of 100 lineal ft/min. Heat protective gloves, safety goggles or full face shield are recommended during use. Avoid flammable fabrics. An eye bath and safety shower should be located in the work area. Wash hands before eating, drinking or smoking. These activities should not be permitted in the workplace or while handling product.

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