

## Technical Note TN012: Reflow Soldering Profile for SMD Resistors

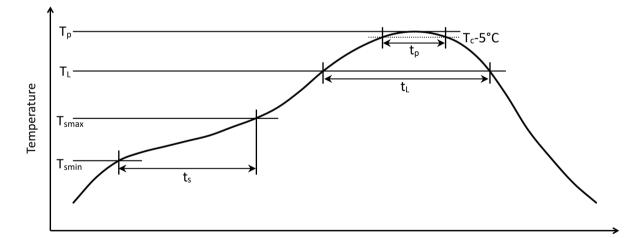
## **Online Process Recommendations**

Guidance on solder processing of resistors is given on the Processing Data tab of each product information page. Among other things this indicates the recommended Pb-free reflow process and moisture sensitivity level (MSL) of the product.

Specifications					
Basic Data	Electrical Data	Compliance Data	Processing Data	Life Cycle Data	
Packing	Plastic tape & reel				
Quantity	1500				
Nett Weight Each	0.14g				
Reflow Process	Pre-heat: 30s to 45s at 180°C, Solder: 20s to 40s at 250°C, Peak: 260°C				
MSL	1				
Wave Process	Compatible, 260+-5 deg. C, 1 or 2 x 5+-1 seconds contact time				
Shelf-life	None defined, but solderability test prior to use is recommended after two years from date of manufacture				

## J-STD-020E Based Recommendation

In many cases the reflow process simply references J-STD-020E, and the details of this recommendation are shown below.



Time

Profile Feature	Pb-Free Reflow Recommendation		
Preheat / soak min. temperature	T <sub>smin</sub>	150°C	
Preheat / soak max. temperature	T <sub>smax</sub>	200°C	
Preheat / soak duration	ts	60 to 120s	
Ramp-up rate from $T_L$ to $T_p$		3°C/s max.	
Liquidus temperature	TL	217°C	
Duration above liquidus	tL	60 to 150s	
Peak temperature	Тp	≤260°C	
Classification temperature	Tc	260°C	
Duration within 5°C of classification temperature	tp	30s	
Magnitude of ramp-down rate from $T_p$ to $T_L$		6°C/s max.	
Time from 25°C to peak temperature	8 minutes max.		