

# PICKLE PAL® PLUS

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## PICKLE PAL<sup>®</sup> PLUS NON-HAZARDOUS INHIBITOR/CLEANING AID FOR HYDROCHLORIC ACID AND SULFURIC ACID PICKLE BATHS

PICKLE PAL <sup>®</sup> PLUS	maximizes plating quality by inhibiting the attack of the acid on the steel substrate leading to bright, clean parts
PICKLE PAL <sup>®</sup> PLUS	improves pickle's ability to remove scale and eliminate smut formation on high carbon or carbon-nitrided steel.
PICKLE PAL <sup>®</sup> PLUS	eliminates blistering on heat-treated steel by conditioning the substrate surface.
PICKLE PAL <sup>®</sup> PLUS	reduces fumes and sprays from pickle tanks as well as the possibility of hydrogen embrittlement from the pickling process.
PICKLE PAL <sup>®</sup> PLUS	greatly reduces soluble iron build-up in the pickle, extending pickle life and significantly minimizing iron contamination of the plating baths.
PICKLE PAL <sup>®</sup> PLUS	helps to solubilize oils dragged into the pickle as well as any oils remaining on the parts after the cleaning stages.
PICKLE PAL <sup>®</sup> PLUS	is compatible with plating baths and waste treatment processes.

## SOLUTION MAKEUP

	RANGE	<u>OPTIMUM</u>
PICKLE PAL <sup>®</sup> PLUS	0.25 - 2% by volume	1% by volume
Concentrated Hydrochloric Acid	20 - 50%	30%
Immersion Time	2 - 10 min.	4 min.
Temperature	60 - 85° F (15 - 28° C)	75° F (24° C)

NOTES: For weaker pickle, you may use lower concentrations of PICKLE PAL® PLUS.

For high carbon, heat-treated, or highly oiled steels you may use higher concentrations of PICKLE PAL<sup>®</sup> PLUS.

### MAINTENANCE ADDITIONS

Concentrated Hydrochloric Acid 15 gallons (57 liters)

PICKLE PAL<sup>®</sup> PLUS ½ gallon (1.9 liters)

Each time acid is added to the pickle tank, add the equivalent ratio of PICKLE PAL<sup>®</sup> PLUS as was used for the initial pickle makeup.

### HANDLING & STORAGE

Columbia Chemical recommends referring to the specific product Safety Data Sheets for safety, handling, and storage precautions.

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