# PRODUCT DATA SHEET QuickSinter®

## InBake AgCu- Pressureless Ag Sinter Paste

#### Introduction

InBake AgCu- is an Ag sinter paste formulated for use in power die-attach and clip-attach applications where a pressure sintering option may not be suitable or available, such as discrete power devices (high-Pb replacement), LED-attach, and WBG semiconductor die-attach in power modules. InBake AgCu- sinters well to Ag-coated and bare Cu surfaces.

#### **Features**

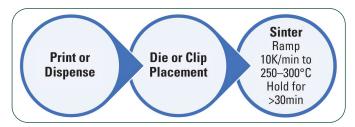
- Low process temperatures are possible (200-300°C)
- · Pressureless or pressure-assisted sinter process
- Able to be sintered in a reflow oven or a box oven
- · Can sinter to bare Cu finishes under inert gas
- · High electrical and thermal conductivity
- Pb-free, RoHS compliant

#### **Typical Properties of Paste**

Property	InBake AgCu-
Viscosity (Cone & Plate, 25°C, 5rpm)	18 Pas
Thixotropic Index (1rpm/10rpm)	8.25
Metal Load	91%
Density	6.0g/cm <sup>3</sup>

#### **Sinter Process Guidelines**

- Actual process parameters can vary based on die size or surface finish
- The use of fixtures to add a low pressure assistance to the sintering can enhance joint strength
- Alternative process with pre-dry can be utilized for larger die attach



#### **Packaging**

Ag sintering paste is available in syringes, jars, or cartridges.

#### **Properties Post-Sinter**

Property	InBake AgCu-
Melting Point (°C)	961
Electrical Resistivity (μΩ.cm)	5
Thermal Conductivity (W/mK)	210
CTE (ppm/K)	19

#### **Ionic Content**

• CI-:  $\leq 1$ ppm 
• SO<sub>4</sub><sup>2-</sup>:  $\leq 1$ ppm
• Na+:  $\leq 1$ ppm
• NO<sub>3</sub>-:  $\leq 1$ ppm
• K+:  $\leq 1$ ppm

#### **Storage and Handling Procedure**

Refrigerated storage will prolong the shelf life of Ag sintering paste. The shelf life of the paste is 6 months when store at  $<10^{\circ}$ C.

Ag sintering paste packaged in cartridges should be stored tip down. Ag sintering paste should be allowed to reach ambient working temperature prior to use. After removing from cold storage, paste should be allowed to stand for at least 4 hours at room temperature before using. Actual time to reach thermal equilibrium will vary with container size. Paste temperature should be verified before use. Jars and cartridges should be labelled with date and time of opening.

#### **Technical Support**

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