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PRIMA-BOND
ME7156

Stress Free
Thermally Conductive
Reworkable
Epoxy Paste Adhesive

IDEAL FOR:

- Substrate and Component**
- Reworkability**
- Mismatched CTE's**

DESCRIPTION:

ME7156 is a reworkable, alumina filled, electrically insulating and thermally conductive epoxy paste adhesive. It exhibits outstanding flexibility for bonding materials with highly mismatched CTE's (i.e., alumina to aluminum, silicon to copper). The high thermal conductivity of this material makes it useful for bonding large area die and components.

It can be readily reworked at 80-100°C. Positive displacement dispensing equipment with ceramic auger is recommended.

AVAILABILITY:

ME7156 is available in syringes for automatic needle dispense applications or in jars. Both viscosity and thixotropic index can be modified to your specific needs.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

- (1) Thaw for 30 minutes before opening jar.
- (2) Dispense adhesive onto clean substrate.
- (3) Pre-bake dispensat 60°C for 30 to 60 minutes to achieve optimum bonding. Pre-bake not needed in all applications**
- (4) Cure according to one of the recommended schedules.

TYPICAL PROPERTIES*

Electrical Resistivity (150 °C/ 60 min)	>1x10 ¹⁴ ohm-cm
Dielectric Strength (Volts/mil)	750
Glass Transition Temp.(°C)	-25
Current Carrying Capabilities	N/A
Lap-Shear Strength	1000 psi 6.9 N/mm ²
Device Push-off Strength	2400 psi 16.6 N/mm ²
Hardness (Type)	80 (A)
Cured Density (gm/cc)	2.3
Thermal Conductivity	12 Btu-in/hr-ft ² -°F 1.7 W/m-°C
Linear Thermal Expansion Coeff. (ppm/°C)	120
Maximum Continuous Operation Temp. (°C)	150
Avg. Viscosity(0.5 rpm, 24°C) (Brookfield DV-1,spindle CP51	144,000 cp

* Properties given are typical values and not intended for use in preparing specifications. The user is advised to evaluate the product in the manner the product is intended to be used in manufacturing and in the final product.

CURE SCHEDULES:

<u>Temperature</u>	<u>Time</u>
80°C	8 hr
100°C	4 hr
125°C	2 hr
150°C	30 min
200°C	10 min

** For higher temperature curing, above 125 °C and/or bonding area of over 1cmx1cm, it is recommended that the dispensed adhesive be pre-baked, open-faced without parts, at 60°C for 30 minutes, before parts are mounted and cured.

SHELF LIFE:

<u>Storage temperature</u>	<u>Shelf Life</u>
-40°C	1 yr
0°C	3 mo

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