

Technical Data Sheet

# DOWSIL<sup>TM</sup> TC-5625C Thermally Conductive Compound

Greenish yellow, flowable, non-curing thermally conductive compound

### APPLICATIONS

• DOWSIL<sup>™</sup> TC-5625C Thermally Conductive Compound is suitable for use as an interface material for a variety of mid to high end lamps and luminaires.

## **TYPICAL PROPERTIES**

Specification Writers: These values are not intended for use in preparing specifications.

Test*	Property	Unit	Result
	One Part or Two Part		One
	Color		Greenish yellow
CTM 0050	Viscosity	Pa-sec	77.0
		cP	77,000
CTM 0905	Thixotropy		1.64
CTM 0540	Specific Gravity (Uncured)		4.2
	Non-Volatile Content (NVC)	%	99.93
CTM 1388	Thermal Conductivity	W/m-K	2.7
	Thermal Resistance at 40 psi	°C-cm <sup>2</sup> /W	0.09
CTM 0114	Dielectric Strength	kV/mm	1.89
		Volts/mil	47.3
CTM 1400	Volume Resistivity	ohm*cm	1.3E+13
CTM 1139	Dielectric Constant @ 1 kHz		14.0
CTM 1139	Dissipation Factor @ 1 kHz		0.073

\* CTM: Corporate Test Method, copies of CTM's are available on request.

#### DESCRIPTION

Dow thermally conductive compounds are grease like silicone materials, heavily filled with heat-conductive metal oxides. This combination promotes high thermal conductivity, low bleed and high-temperature stability. The compounds are designed to maintain a positive heat sink seal to improve heat transfer from the electrical device or PCB system assembly to the heat sink or chassis, thereby increasing the overall efficiency of the device. PCB Systems Assembly devices are continually designed to deliver higher performance. Especially in the area of consumer devices, there is also a continual trend towards smaller, more

# **FEATURES & BENEFITS**

- Optimized polymer matrix to help reduce pump out
- Flowable
- Good thermal conductivity
- Low thermal resistance
- Non-curing, no need for curing ovens
- Heat dissipation from circuitry components
- Can achieve thin Bond Line Thickness (BLT)

## COMPOSITION

• Filled polydimethysiloxane

compact designs. In combination these factors typically mean that more heat is generated in the device. Thermal management of PCB system assemblies is a primary concern of design engineers. A cooler device allows for more efficient operation and better reliability over the life of the device. As such, thermally conductive compounds play an integral role here. Thermally conductive materials act as a thermal "bridge" to remove heat from a heat source (device) to the ambient via a heat transfer media (i.e. heat sink). These materials have properties such as low thermal resistance, high thermal conductivity, and can achieve thin Bond Line Thicknesses (BLTs) which can help to improve the transfer of heat away from the device.

#### **APPLICATION METHODS**

- Screen print
- Stencil print
- Dispense

#### HOW TO USE

Allow printed grease pad to dry open for 24 hours before assembly. Dry time allows the small amount of carrier fluid to evaporate.

#### SOLVENT EXPOSURE

In general, the product is resistance to minimal or intermittent solvent exposure, however best practice is to avoid solvent exposure altogether.

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