

Brady Tsoft-40 Thermally Conductive Material Gap Filler

TDS No. BT-8602
Effective Date: 07/04/2010

Description:

GENERAL

Colour: Ice blue with gray backing

Binder: Silicone

Filler: Aluminium Oxide

Liner: Clear PE

Reinforcement: Fiberglass polyester

TSOFT-40 is a soft material designed to conduct heat away from uneven surfaces. The conformability allows for intimate contact over rough surfaces and eliminates air. Tsoft® materials are available in various thicknesses.

APPLICATION

Tsoft® materials are thermally conductive insulators typically mounted between a transistor and a heat sink offering low thermal resistance as well as electrical insulation. Tsoft® materials do not require thermal grease. Using Tsoft® materials can lead to dramatic production cost reductions and improved product uniformity eliminating messy grease mica application, contamination, mica cracking, silicone migration and drying out.

REGULATORY/AGENCY APPROVALS

UL: BT-8602 (Tsoft-40) is QMFZ2 recognised and V-0 rated as per UL94 standard. See UL file E316839 for specific details.

RoHS: BT-8602 (Tsoft-40) is RoHS compliant in accordance to the EU Directive 2002/95/EC and its amendments.

Details:

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES	TEST METHOD	TYPICAL RESULTS
Thickness	ASTM D374	40 mil (1mm)
Specific Gravity	ASTM D792	2.3 g/cm ³
Hardness (Shore A)	ASTM D2240	15
Elongation, minimum	ASTM D828	3%
ELECTRICAL PROPERTIES		
Dielectric Strength	ASTM D149 (Type 1)	6 KVolts
Volume Resistivity	ASTM D257	2.5 E+13 ohm.cm
Dielectric Constant, 60Hz	ASTM D150	5.5
Dissipation Factor, 60Hz	ASTM D150	0.0039
THERMAL PROPERTIES		
Thermal Conductivity @ 10psi	ASTM E1530 (modified ASTM D5470)	0.95 W/mK
Thermal Impedance @ 10psi	ASTM D5470	1.7 C-in ² /Wattt
Continuous Use Temperature	MIL-I-49546A	-60°C to 200°C
Weight Loss, 24 hrs@200 C	-	< 1%

Available Forms:

Tsoft® thermal management materials are available in roll form, sheet form, standard and special configurations.

Trademarks:

ASTM: American Society for Testing and Materials (U.S.A.)

UL: Underwriters Laboratories Inc. (U.S.A.)

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