SI3104

Stretchable Printed Insulator

Product Description

ACI SI3104 is a screen printable, thermally cured ink that is stretchable when cured and compatible with ACI's stretchable inks. SI3104 can be used as an insulator and/ or crossover dielectric. When cured, the ink displays exceptional durability, excellent flexibility, and high insulation resistance. SI3104 has excellent adhesion to TPU, and is fully compatible with ACI's suite of products engineered for stretchable and flexible electronics.

Product Benefits

- Excellent adhesion to elastomeric substrates
- Maintains flexibility and stretchability to more than 100% elongation
- Good dielectric breakdown strength
- Fully compatible with ACI's stretchable inks and conductive adhesives

Typical Performance	
DC Breakdown¹	250 V/mil
Adhesion ²	5B
Maximum Elongation	100%

- ¹ Three layers printed with 180.0018 Stainless Steel mesh (ACI DC Voltage Breakdown Test)
- $^{2}\,\mathrm{Method}$ based on ASTM D3359 Method B tested on 0.005" Melinex® ST506 PET

Typical Properties as Supplied		
Physical State	Paste/Ink	
Color	Translucent White	
Viscosity ³	33 Pa·s	
Density	1.15 g/mL	
Percent Solids⁴	32%	
Shelf Life at 20°C	12 Months	

Typical Processing Parameters					
Deposition methods	Screen printing				
Ideal Curing Time and Temperatures	5-15 min in box oven at 135°C 5 min in industrial conveyor oven at 135°C				
Recommended Screen Mesh Range TPI/Wire Diameter	150/0.0026" – 200/0.0016" Stainless Steel 110/43µm – 140/55µm PET				
Emulsion Over Mesh (EOM) Thickness	15 μm				
Squeegee Durometer	70A – 80A				
Recommended Meshes - Theoretical	150/0.0026" 200/0.0016"	14 μm DFT 9 μm DFT	12 m2/kg 15 m2/kg		
Dry Film Thickness - Coverage	110/43μm 140/55μm	14 μm 10 μm	12 m2/kg 15 m2/kg		
Recommended # Layers	3				
Mixing	Slow thorough mix, avoid inducing bubbles, fixed spatula in rotating jar ideal ⁵				
Thinner/Diluent	SE8106				
Storage	In sealed container in cool dry location				
Clean Up Solvents	Acetone, MEK, and similar solvents				

- ³ Measured on Anton Paar MCR302 at 10⁻¹ sec shear rate at 25°C after pre-shearing at 100⁻¹ sec for 5 min
- ⁴ 150 °C for 120 minutes in box oven
- ⁵ AT-LM4 Stirring Type Mixer (E211) recommended



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Caution

Proper industrial safety precautions should be exercised in using these products. Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid prolonged contact with skin or inhalation of any vapors emitted during use or heating of these compositions. The use of safety eye goggles, gloves or hand protection creams is recommended. Wash hands or skin thoroughly with soap and water after using these products. Do not eat or smoke in areas where these materials are used. Refer to appropriate MSDS sheet.

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