

MicromaxTM 5402C

Microcircuit and Component Materials

Platable C2 Edge Termination for Chip Resistor Applications

Especially developed for chip resistor applications, MicromaxTM 5402C is a platable silver C2 edge termination that meets the needs for low cost and high performance.

Product benefits

- · Low temperature firing
- Excellent dipping performance
- Excellent cosmetics
- · Excellent post-plating adhesion
- · High acid resistance
- Cadmium free*

Product information

Solvent or thinner Micromax™ 9245

Rheological properties

Viscosity 45 - 55^[1] Pa.s

[1]: Brookfield RVT, UC&S, 10 rpm

Application technique

Drying time 10 min
Drying temperature 150 °C
Leveling time 5 - 10 min

Storage and stability

Shelf life 6^[2] months

[2]: in unopened containers, from date of shipment, at temperature <25° C

Additional information

How to use Processing

Substrates

 Reported properties are based on tests with 96% alumina substrates. Substrates of other compositions may yield variations in performance properties.

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^{*}Cadmium "free" as used herein means that this is not intentionally added to the referenced product. Trace amounts however may be present.



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Dipping

 Paste rheology of Micromax[™] 5420C has been optimized for dipping of the chip resistor edges after the alumina substrate has been broken into strip form. While thinning is not normally recommended, Micromax[™] 9245 thinner may be used for minor adjustments.

Drying

 After dipping, parts should be allowed to level at room temperature for 5-10 minutes and then dried at 150°C for 10 minutes.

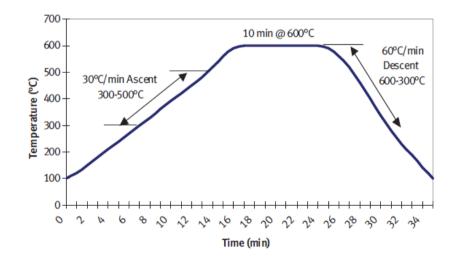
Firing

 Fire to peak temperature of 600-620°C for 10 minutes at peak with a total firing cycle of 30 minutes. Allow adequate time (10 minutes) during heating cycle to avoid entrapment of organics in the fired film.

Properties

 Information in this datasheet shows anticipated typical physical properties for MicromaxTM 5402C based on specific controlled experiments in our labs and are not intended to represent the product specifications, details of which are available upon request.

Typical 600°C 10 Minute Profile



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Storage and shelf life

Containers should be stored, tightly sealed, in a clean, stable environment at room temperature ($<25\,^{\circ}$ C). Shelf life of material in unopened containers is six months from date of shipment. Some settling of solids may occur and compositions should be thoroughly mixed prior to use.

Safety and handling

For safety and handling information pertaining to this product, read Safety Data Sheet (SDS).

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