

NF-220 No-Flow Underfill

Features

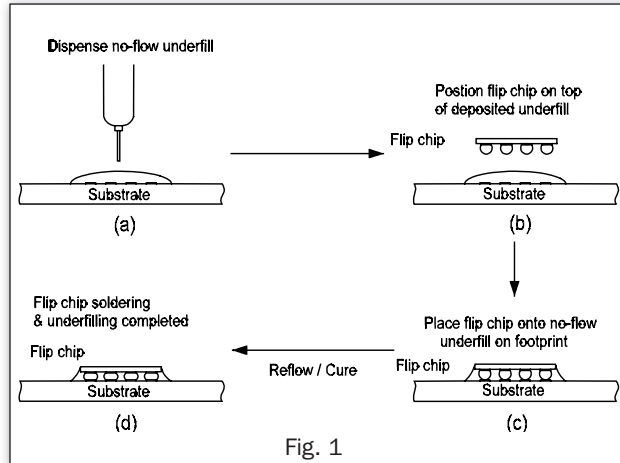
- Enables large die mounting
- Enhances CSP reliability
- Reduces costs by combining soldering and underfilling in one heating pass
- Increases yield – no die-drifting, excellent solder wetting
- Increases reliability – no voiding and delamination
- Compatible with wide range of reflow profiles

Introduction

NF-220 No-Flow Underfill is designed for Flip Chip or Chip Scale Package (CSP) assembly and packaging application using a single reflow process. It exhibits fluxing capability for solder reflow to form solder joints. It also underfills the chip, thus provides reliability reinforcement and environmental protection for the chip. **NF-220** is fully compatible with the SMT process and allows broad profile window for solder reflow and underfill curing. It is designed for Sn63Pb37 soldering process. Furthermore, the underfill curing is completed in one reflow pass and no post cure is required. This no-flow underfill not only has low cost process advantage over capillary flow underfill, but also achieves high yield.

Process Recommendations

NF-220 is compatible with a variety of passivations, interconnect substrates, and substrate finishes including copper-nickel-gold and organic solder preservative (OSP). Fig.1 shows the application process. No preheat of substrate is required when applying the material.



Physical Properties	Value	Test Method
Color	Amber liquid	Visual
Viscosity@25°C, Brookfield, Kcps (typical)	40	Model HB DVII ⁺ -CP (0.5 rpm)
Shelf Life@-40°C, months	6	
Pot Life@25°C, hours	8	
Hardness, Shore D	>90	(One reflow pass)
Glass Transition Temperature (T _g), °C (typical)	126	TMA
Coefficient of Linear Thermal Expansion		
Alpha 1, ppm/°C (typical)	56	TMA
Alpha 2, ppm/°C (typical)	184	TMA
Lap Shear Strength (psi) (typical)	3178	
Extractable Ionic Content		MIL-STD-883, 5011.4
Chloride (Cl ⁻), ppm	<5	
Nitrate (NO ₃ ⁻), ppm	<5	
Sulfate (SO ₄ ⁻), ppm	<5	
Sodium (Na ⁺), ppm	<5	
Ammonium (NH ₄ ⁺), ppm	<5	
Process Yield (typical)	100%	
Underfill Voids (typical)	None	CSAM
Delamination (96hs pressure cooking)	No	JEDEC level-3 preconditioning and accelerated moisture testing

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Storage and Handling

NF-220 has a shelf life of 6 months when stored at -40°C and a shelf life of 1 month when stored at -10 to 0°C. **NF-220** should be stored tip down and sealed inside a plastic bag with desiccant. Before use, allow the material to reach room temperature while remaining sealed inside the plastic bag. For better results, thaw inside a humidity dry box (20%RH, 25°C).

Cleaning of Uncured NF-220

The uncured epoxy flux in flux deposition devices can be cleaned with methyl ethyl ketone easily, although isopropyl alcohol can also be used for cleaning.

Packaging

NF-220 is generally available in 10cc or 30cc syringes. However, other packages can be provided according to user's requirements.

Safety

NF220 is a very benign, non-toxic material. Under typical reflow profile, very little amount of volatiles is generated. General hygiene practice is recommended in handling **NF220** and the fumes generated.

Material Safety Data Sheet

The MSDS for this product can be found online at <http://www.indium.com/techlibrary/msds.php>

Reflow

Recommended Profile:

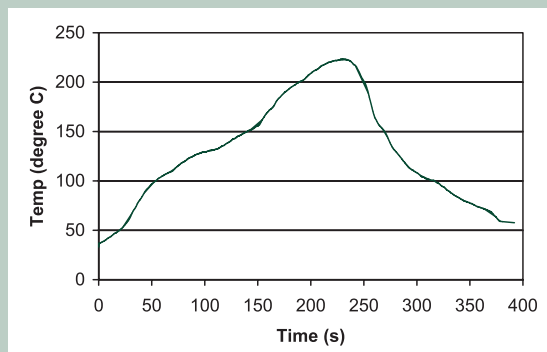


Fig. 2

NF-220 can be used in infrared, convection, conduction or vapor phase soldering systems. A protective nitrogen atmosphere is recommended for achieving reliable solder joints. This is particularly true for reflow profiles that require an extended soak time. Although most 63Sn37Pb and 62Sn36Pb2Ag reflow profiles can be used for **NF-220** applications, a recommended profile is shown in Fig. 2. The time from ambient to peak temperature should be four minutes with a peak temperature of approximately 220°C.

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