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## SOLDER PASTE

NC-3703-G

#### Lead-free\*

NC-3703-G is a solder paste with a rosin based mildly activated, flux system. This solder paste exhibits good printing properties and enables surface mounting of components to printed circuit boards and hybrid circuits. NC-3703-G uses standard 96.5Sn / 3.5Ag alloy powders.

It is recommended that this solder paste is stored in a tightly closed jar in a dry environment at room temperature. Printed boards should also be stored in a dry environment.

# **PASTE DATA**

Rheology: Screen-printable paste

Viscosity:

(Brookfield RVTD, Helipath Stand, 5 rpm, TF spindle, 25.5 ± 0.5 °C)

650 ± 50 Pa.s

**Solids:**  $90 \pm 0.5 \%$ 

**Shelf Life:** 

(at 20 °C) 6 months

**PROCESSING** 

Screen Mesh, Emulsion: Screen 80 S/S, 150 - 200 µm

Stencil: Laser cut, nickel formed or etched S/S 120 - 200 µm

**Reflow Temperature Range:** > 250 °C in air

Thinner: ESL 401

Flux Removal: The residues can be removed using standard

flux or saponifier cleaning methods. See notes

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#### **TYPICAL PROPERTIES**

 $(175 \pm 25 \mu m \text{ wet print thickness})$ 

**Approximate Coverage:** 12.5 cm<sup>2</sup> / g

**Printing Resolution:** 

(line / space) 0.400 mm / 0.400 mm

Screen Time: > 10 hours

Tack Time: > 72 hours

### **CLEANING**

This is a no-clean solder paste and does not require cleaning after reflow however because of the relatively high reflow temperature of 260 °C some charring of the flux can occur and cleaning may be carried out if required.

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