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## CERMET PLATINUM GOLD CONDUCTOR

### 5837-A

ESL 5837-A is designed for use on top of 4905-C multilayer dielectric. It is solderable with Sn 60 solder and exhibits good solderability and excellent solder leach resistance. This material is ideally suited for high reliability hybrid circuits and for resistor terminations. This material should not be used directly on alumina substrates.

### PASTE DATA

<b>RHEOLOGY:</b>	Thixotropic, screen printable paste
<b>VISCOSITY:</b> (Brookfield RVT, ABZ Spindle, 10 rpm, 25.5°C±0.5°C)	300±25 Pa·s
<b>BONDING MECHANISM:</b>	Mixed
<b>SHELF LIFE: (25°C)</b>	6 months

### PROCESSING

<b>SCREEN MESH/EMULSION:</b>	325/25 µm
<b>LEVELING TIME: (25°C)</b>	5-10 minutes
<b>DRYING AT 125°C:</b>	10-15 minutes
<b>FIRING RANGE:</b>	
<b>OPTIMUM:</b>	850°C
<b>TIME AT PEAK:</b>	10-12 minutes
<b>RATE OF ASCENT/DESCENT:</b>	60°C-100°C/minute
<b>SUBSTRATE OF CALIBRATION:</b>	4905-C on 96% alumina
<b>THINNER:</b>	ESL 413

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## TYPICAL PROPERTIES

<b>FIRED THICKNESS:</b>	10-15 $\mu\text{m}$
<b>APPROXIMATE COVERAGE:</b>	55-70 $\text{cm}^2/\text{gram}$
<b>RESISTIVITY:</b> (Normalized to 12.5 $\mu\text{m}$ )	$\leq 70 \text{ m}\Omega/\text{sq.}$
<b>PRINTING RESOLUTION:</b> (Line/Space)	125 $\mu\text{m}$ x 125 $\mu\text{m}$
<b>SOLDER WETTABILITY:</b> (RMA flux, 5 sec, dip)	
<b>62 Sn/36 Pb/2 Ag, 220°C<math>\pm</math>5°C</b>	Excellent
<b>63 Sn/37 Pb, 250°C<math>\pm</math>5°C</b>	Excellent
<b>SOLDER LEACH:</b> (No. of 10 sec. dip to double resistance of 0.25 mm wide x 100 mm long conductor)	
62 Sn/36 Pb/2 Ag, 220°C $\pm$ 5°C	5-10 dips
<b>ADHESION:</b> (90° pull, 2.0 x 2.0 mm pads, 62 Sn/36 Pb/2 Ag, 220°C $\pm$ 5°C)	
<b>Initial pull strength:</b>	50-60 N
<b>Aged 48 hours at 150°C:</b>	30-50 N
<b>ULTRASONIC WIRE BOND:</b> (25 $\mu\text{m}$ Al wire)	5-8 grams
<b>THERMOSONIC WIRE BOND:</b> (25 $\mu\text{m}$ Au wire)	3-5 grams
<b>COMPATIBILITY:</b>	R-300-A & D-R-300-B Resistor Series

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