

Condura®.classic Metal Ceramic Substrates Condura.extra DPS⁽¹⁾

Alumina DCB facts

- Alumina ceramic Al₂O₃ (96 %)
 - Thicknesses⁽²⁾: 0.25 mm/Condura.extra0.32 mm/0.38mm/0.63 mm
- Direct Copper Bonding Cu-OFE
 - Thicknesses⁽²⁾: 0.2 mm/0.25 mm/0.3 mm/0.4 mm
- Single unit or master card size 7 " x 5 " (usable area)
- Surface finish: bare Cu, Ni, Ni/Au (others planned)

Key features

- Pre-qualified solutions & optimized surfaces
- Fast sample delivery target for standard material combinations
 - Europe: 5 working days
 - Worldwide: 15 working days (after drawing approval)
- Improved warpage / customization possible

Main properties raw Al₂O₃

	Rating	Unit
Thermal conductivity @ 20 °C	≥ 20	W/m.K
Bending strength	> 450	N/mm ²
Young's modulus	≥ 300	GPa
Coefficient of thermal expansion (Al ₂ O ₃) @ 100 °C - 600 °C	6.7 - 8.7	ppm/k

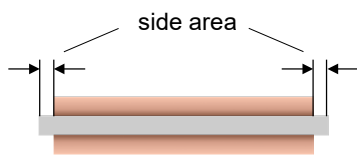
*Picture: substrate layout by courtesy of Fraunhofer IISB
 (1) Development Product Information Sheet, preliminary values
 (2) Different material combinations on request

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Material properties raw Al₂O₃⁽³⁾

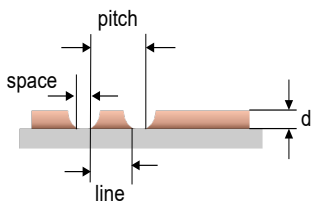
	Rating	Unit
Density	> 3.73	g/cm ³
Electrical resistivity	≥ 1013	Ohm.cm
Dielectric strength	> 15	kV/mm

Copper free area



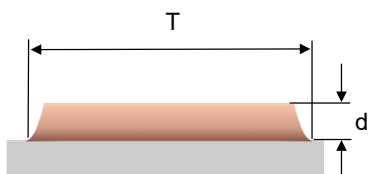
Thickness Cu [mm]	Min. side area [mm]
0.20	0.20
0.25	0.23
0.30	0.25
0.40	0.35

Structuring



Thickness Cu [mm]	Min. space [mm]	Min. line [mm]	Min. pitch [mm]
0.20	0.40	0.40	0.80
0.25	0.45	0.45	0.90
0.30	0.50	0.50	1.00
0.40	0.60	0.60	1.20

Etching tolerance



Tolerance length & width [mm]	Thickness Cu [mm]
T _{typ.} = ± 0.15	d = 0.2
T _{typ.} = ± 0.20	d ≤ 0.3
T _{typ.} = ± 0.20	d ≤ 0.4

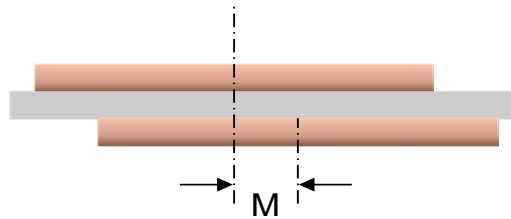
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(3) Depends on supplier

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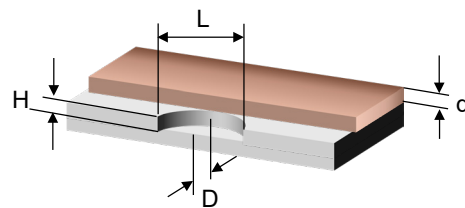
Tolerance and chip off

Tolerance



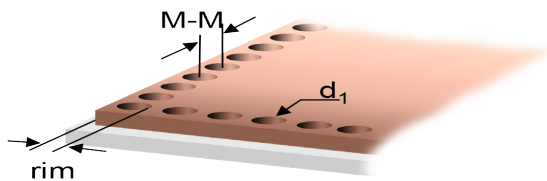
Mismatch $M \leq 0.1$ mm
Tolerance of total thickness = + 7 % / -10 %

Chip-off at ceramic edge



Length $L \leq d$
Depth $D \leq \frac{1}{2}d$
Height $H \leq \frac{1}{2}d$

Dimple structure



Thickness Cu [mm]	Dimple area rim [mm]	Dimple diameter d_1 [mm]	Dimple pitch M-M [mm]
0.20			
0.25		To be agreed	
0.30			
0.40			

Dimensions

General dimensions	Rating (mm)
Master card	138 x 190.5
Max. usable area	127 x 178
Minimum dimension for ceramic thickness ≤ 0.63 mm	10 x 10 (smaller on request)

Tolerances of single parts	Rating (mm)
Ceramic thickness ≤ 0.63 mm	+ 200 μ m - 50 μ m

Warpage behavior depends on specific layout, single part size and material combination and can only be specified after initial sample preparation.

Surface plating

Plating Method	Thickness (μ m)
Electroless Ni	3 - 7 (9% \pm 2 % P)
Electroless NiAu	Ni 3 - 7 (9% \pm 2 % P) Au Class 1: 0.01 - 0.05 Au Class 2: 0.03 - 0.13

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Metal & hole properties

Roughness

R_{max} = 50 μm

R_a ≤ 3.5 μm R_a ≤ 1 μm

R_z ≤ 24 μm R_z ≤ 16 μm

Different roughness
by request

Minimum hole diameter

d_{hole} = 1 mm

Electrical conductivity raw copper

G_{Cu} = 58 · 10⁶ S/m

Thickness Cu Copper peeling strength

0.30mm > 4 N/mm

HET Academy R&D Application Center

Besides offering Assembly Materials, Bonding Wires and Metal Ceramic Substrates, Heraeus Electronics provides matching material solutions and R&D oriented partnerships to create individual solutions.

Application conditions and assembly optimization

Thermal shock test cycles

-55 °C up to +150 °C

Under Investigation

Customized surface for assembly process

Optimization of surface and assembly process parameters available or in development cooperation for:

- Sintering
- Solder wetting
- Heavy wire bondability

Heraeus Electronics offers:

- Reliable IATF 16949 certified supply of:
 - √ Condura®.prime AMB-Si₃N₄ (active metal brazed Si₃N₄)
 - √ Condura®.extra DCB-ZTA (zirconia-toughened alumina)
 - √ Condura®.classic DCB-Al₂O₃ (direct copper bonded Al₂O₃)
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