For preliminary tests of FC-bonders a chip layout of various pad sizes and pitches was used PICTURES OF BUMPED TEST CHIPS







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Successful tacking was demonstrated with the FC150 from SET DESY SHEAR TEST RESULTS

First attempt (nov. 2010)

- Tacking only, on Suss FC150
- Force: 1 kg
- Temp.:163℃ (alignment @ RT)
- \rightarrow 3 samples (no. 7,8,9) were made

Shear tests at DESY: Shear force for sample no. 7 = 15.66 N \rightarrow 0.044 N / bump no. 8 = 18.35 N \rightarrow 0.051 N / bump no. 9 = 18.05 N \rightarrow 0.05 N / bump



Residual solder bump material proves adhesion for chosen tacking parameters





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Tacking-only-tests with the Kadett from SET were found less reliable

TEST SUMMARY

Second attempt (mar. 2011)

- Tacking on Kadett
- Force: 200 g
- Temp.:155℃ (head and chuck during alignment and tacking) \rightarrow 5 samples for reflow to Unitemp \rightarrow 6 samples to DESY
- Two out of six samples remain tacked after shipping
- Tacking broke on contact with tweezers
- \rightarrow No shear tests possible

Tacking that survived shipping



Positions of tacked samples

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Tacking with the Kadett and reflow with Unitemp process successfully soldered the test chips DESY SHEAR TEST RESULTS

Second attempt (mar. 2011)

- After tacking on Kadett
- Three out of five samples were reflowed at **Unitemp** with **RSS-450-110** oven
- Reflow at 240℃ (formic acid atmosphere)

Shear tests at DESY: Shear force for sample no. 1 = 65.1 N \rightarrow 0.18 N / bump no. 2 = 65.12 N \rightarrow 0.18 N / bump no. 3 not sheared yet

- Identical shear force
- Detached bumps found on top and bottom chip

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Complete soldering achieved

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Zoom to area of interest

Top view

• Solder residues are present on all bonded pads

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Released bumps rest on substrate





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PacTech tacking with LaPlace and separate reflow in oven result in comparable numbers to Unitemp samples DESY SHEAR TEST RESULTS AND CROSS SECTIONAL MICROGRAPHS OF BONDS

- Near forceless tacking with LaPlace
- Reflow with separate oven in formic acid atmosphere

Shear tests at DESY: Shear force for sample no. 1 = 56.8 N \rightarrow 0.16 N / bump no. 2 = 58.72 N \rightarrow 0.16 N / bump

- Identical shear force
- Released bumps found on top and bottom chip

Complete soldering achieved



Cross sectional view after tacking



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PacTech tacking and reflow with LaPlace alone was done on samples with 60 µm opening DESY SHEAR TEST RESULTS AND CROSS SECTIONAL

MICROGRAPHS OF BONDS

- Reflow in formic acid chamber mounted to LaPlace
- Wrong row of test pads was used:

70 μm pad size
60 μm opening
40 μm solder ball
on each side

Shear tests at DESY: Shear force for sample 121.3 N \rightarrow 0.32 N / bump

 Test will be repeated using correct row



Bonded chips. Side view



Polished cut image





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