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**MATERIAL SOLUTIONS FOR
AI DATA CENTER**

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AT A GLANCE

42%

YoY Growth in Generative AI*

\$1.3 Trillion

Generative AI Market by 2032*

50kW

Power Demand Expected for Server Racks**

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OPTIMIZING PERFORMANCE OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE ICs IN THE DATA CENTER

Artificial Intelligence (AI) has become ubiquitous across industries wherever exceptionally high computing performance is required. Nowhere is the power of AI and its capacity to manage large, complex workloads in less time with greater efficiency more pronounced than in the data center.

To satisfy the increasing demands for machine learning and generative AI, data center AI chip integration is exploding. By some estimates, AI compute intensity is doubling every six to ten months. And infrastructure capacity is following suit. High-performance computing (HPC) clusters comprising numerous servers are networked together to deliver massive processing capability and faster speeds. High power densities and more significant heat generation are the result.

The racks housing high-performing AI modules made up of GPU/FPGA/ASIC packages are today pushing power levels of 7 kW with the expectation of 50 kW and higher in the not-too-distant future¹. Speeds are simultaneously accelerating, with optical networks now delivering transmission capability of 1.6 terabits per second. Improving the performance and ensuring the longevity of these high-value systems is imperative. Advanced thermal control and interconnect protection solutions that overcome operational heat and thermo-mechanical stress at their source are essential to maximizing AI workload efficiency.

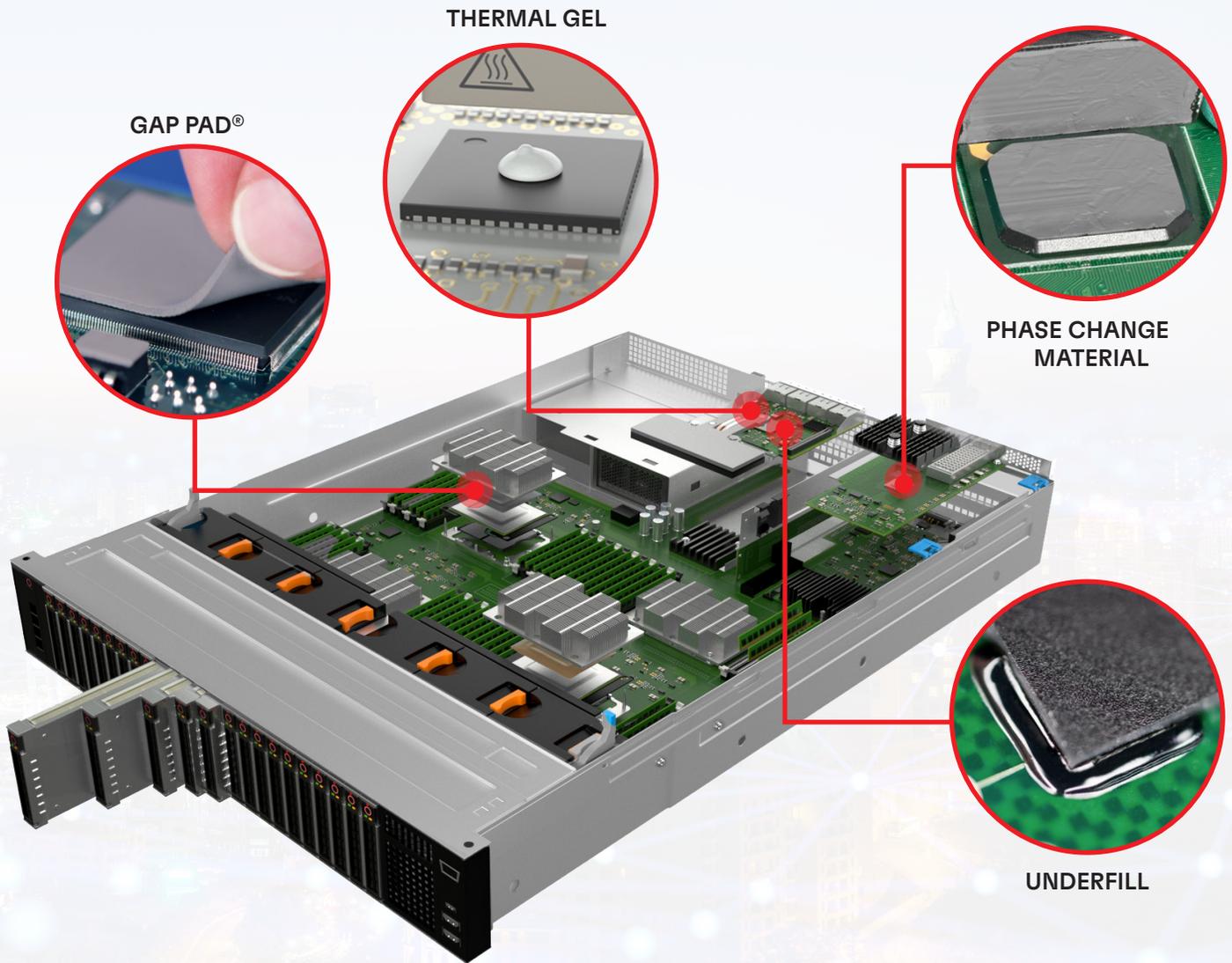
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THERMAL AND PROTECTIVE MATERIALS FOR ADVANCED DATA CENTER SYSTEMS

SERVER



STORAGE



ROUTER AND SWITCH



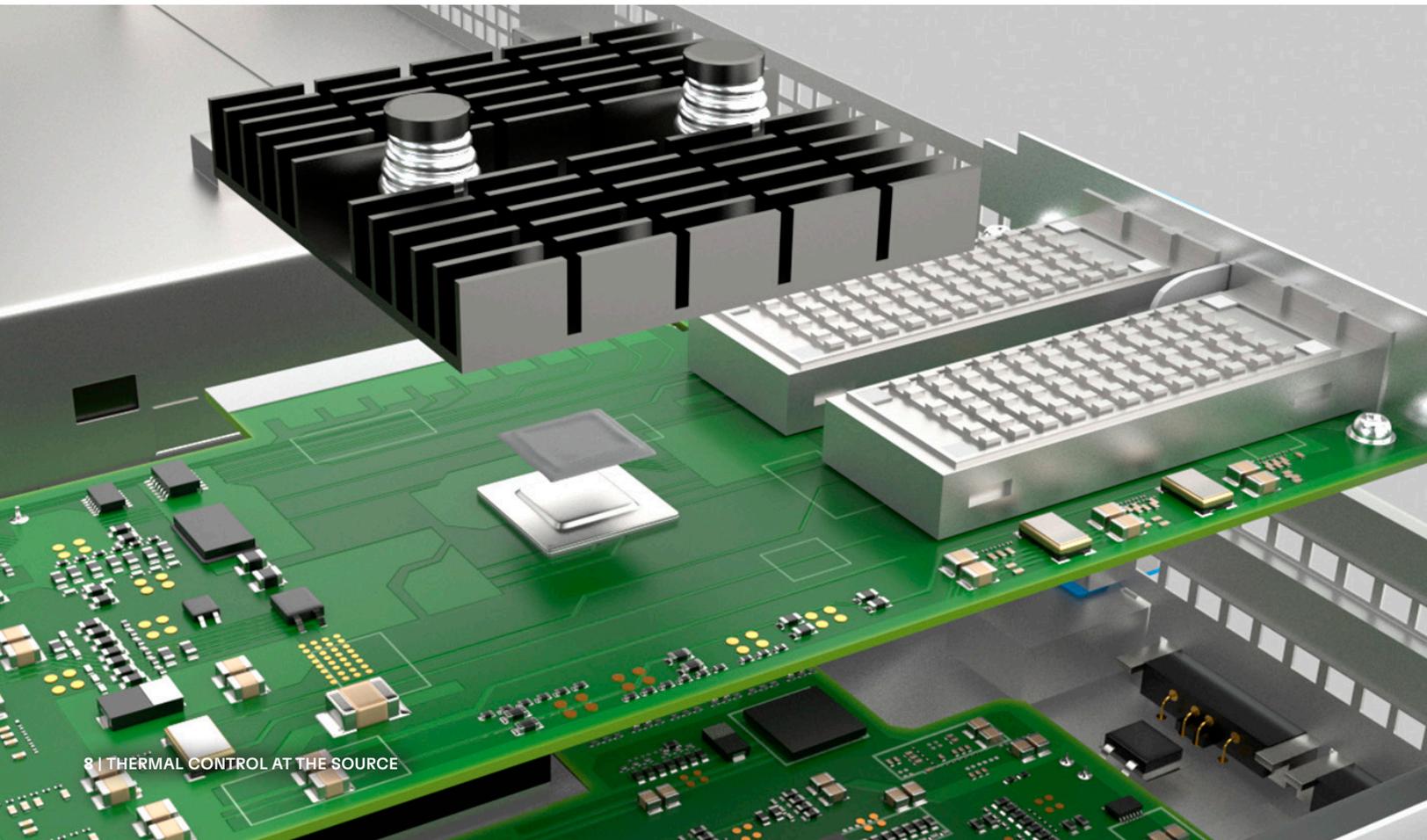


THERMAL CONTROL AT THE SOURCE

Managing data center operating temperatures is one of the biggest challenges facing the HPC sector today. Numerous heat control strategies are employed to enable the most robust function, as unmitigated thermal loads can wreak havoc on performance. Combined with air and liquid cooling, thermal interface materials (TIMs) provide the most effective method to dissipate heat at its source. TIMs offer a more direct path from the heat-generating device to a heat spreader. Pad, liquid, gel, film, and grease TIMs are integrated throughout data center server, router, and switch systems as an essential part of a larger thermal management strategy. Depending on the AI device design, system space constraints, and thermal conductivity/thermal resistance required, various Henkel BERGQUIST® TIM materials may be used.

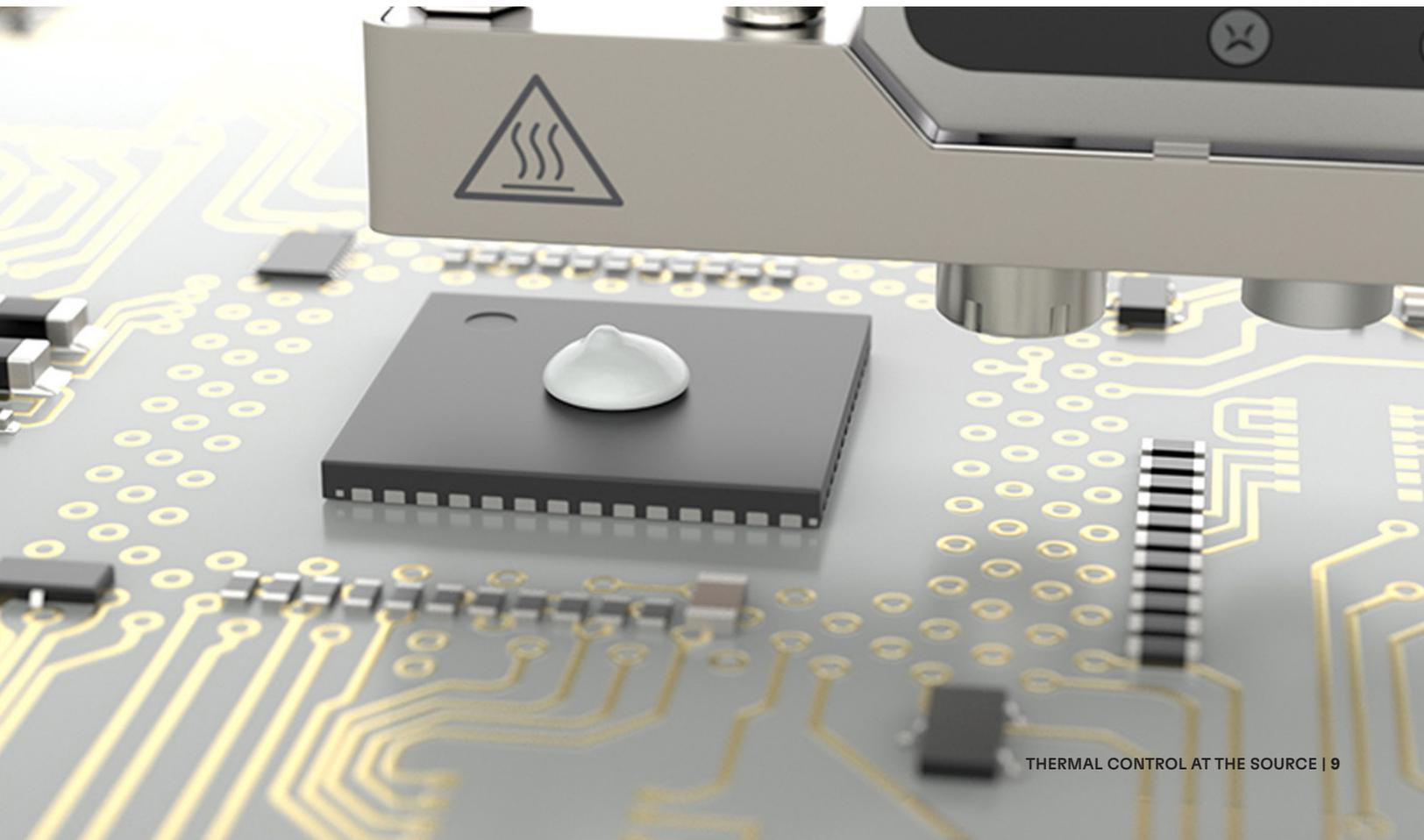
SERVER AND STORAGE - THERMAL INTERFACE MATERIALS

| GAP PAD® | LIQUI-FORM | PHASE CHANGE |
|--|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| BERGQUIST® GAP PAD® TGP HC3000 | BERGQUIST® LIQUI-FORM TLF LF3500 | BERGQUIST® HI-FLOW THF 1600G |
| BERGQUIST® GAP PAD® TGP HC5000 | BERGQUIST® LIQUI-FORM TLF 3800LVO | LOCTITE® TCP 4000 D |
| BERGQUIST® GAP PAD® TGP 3500ULM | BERGQUIST® LIQUI-FORM TLF 6000HG | BERGQUIST® HI-FLOW THF 1600P |
| BERGQUIST® GAP PAD® TGP 6000ULM | BERGQUIST® LIQUI-FORM TLF 10000 | BERGQUIST® HI-FLOW THF 5000UT |
| BERGQUIST® GAP PAD® TGP 7000ULM | | LOCTITE® TCF 4000 PXF |
| BERGQUIST® GAP PAD® TGP 10000ULM | | |
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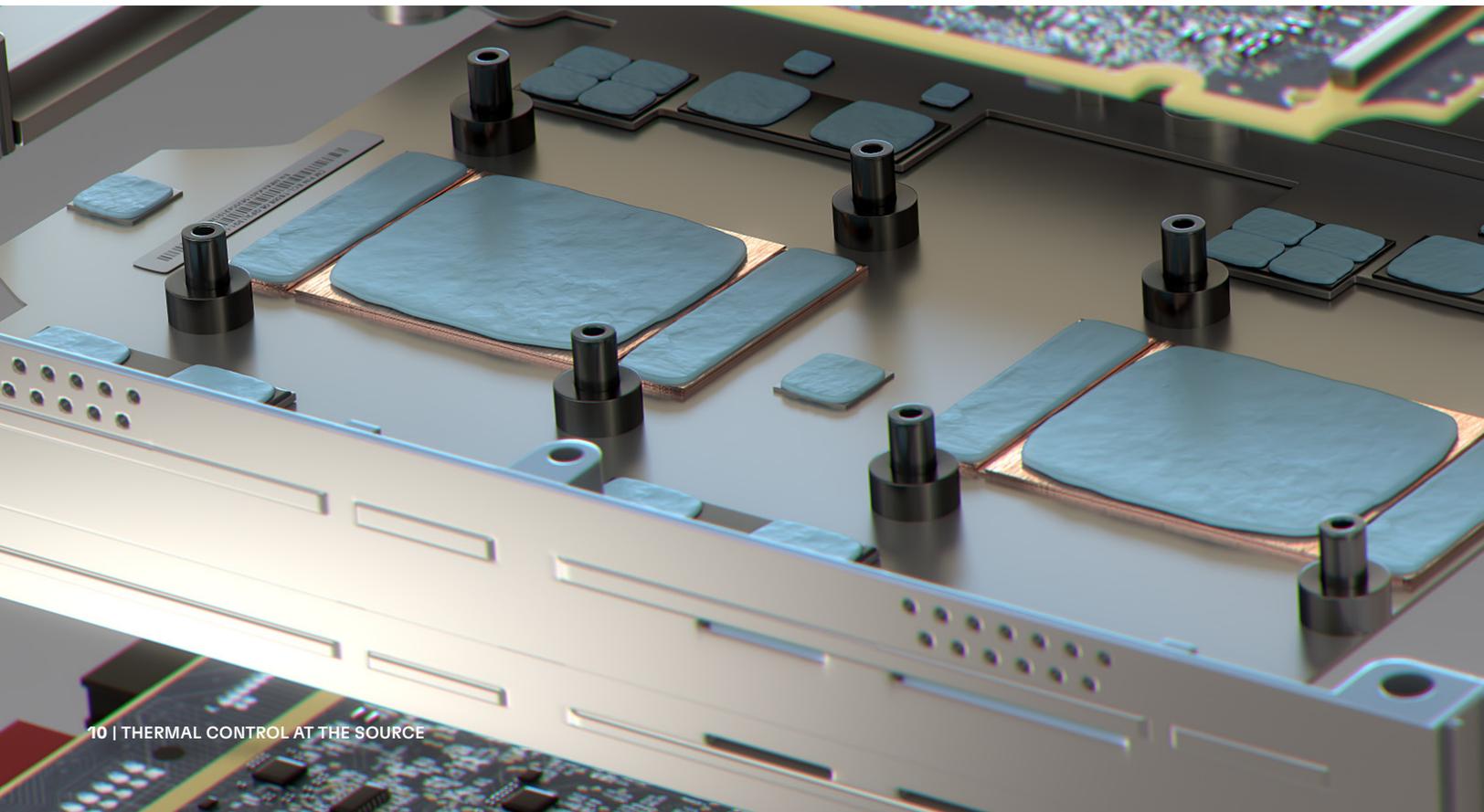
ROUTER AND SWITCH - THERMAL INTERFACE MATERIALS

| GAP PAD® | GAP FILLER | LIQUI-BOND | LIQUI-FORM | PHASE CHANGE | THERMALLY CONDUCTIVE ADHESIVE |
|--|--------------------------------------|--|--|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| BERGQUIST® GAP PAD® TGP HC3000 | BERGQUIST® GAP FILLER TGF 1500 | BERGQUIST® LIQUI-BOND TLB 400SLT | BERGQUIST® LIQUI-FORM TLF LF3500 | BERGQUIST® HI-FLOW THF 1600G | LOCTITE® 315 |
| BERGQUIST® GAP PAD® TGP HC5000 | BERGQUIST® GAP FILLER TGF 3500LVO | BERGQUIST® LIQUI-BOND TLB EA1800 | BERGQUIST® LIQUI-FORM TLF 6000HG | LOCTITE® TCP 4000 D | LOCTITE® 3875 |
| BERGQUIST® GAP PAD® TGP 3500ULM | BERGQUIST® GAP FILLER TGF 3600 | BERGQUIST® LIQUI-BOND TLB SA3500 | BERGQUIST® LIQUI-FORM TLF 10000 | BERGQUIST® HI-FLOW THF 1600P | |
| BERGQUIST® GAP PAD® TGP 6000ULM | BERGQUIST® GAP FILLER TGF 4000 | | | BERGQUIST® HI-FLOW THF 5000UT | |
| BERGQUIST® GAP PAD TGP 7000ULM | | | | LOCTITE® TCF 4000 PXF | |
| BERGQUIST® GAP PAD TGP 10000ULM | | | | | |
| BERGQUIST® GAP PAD® TGP 12000ULM | | | | | |



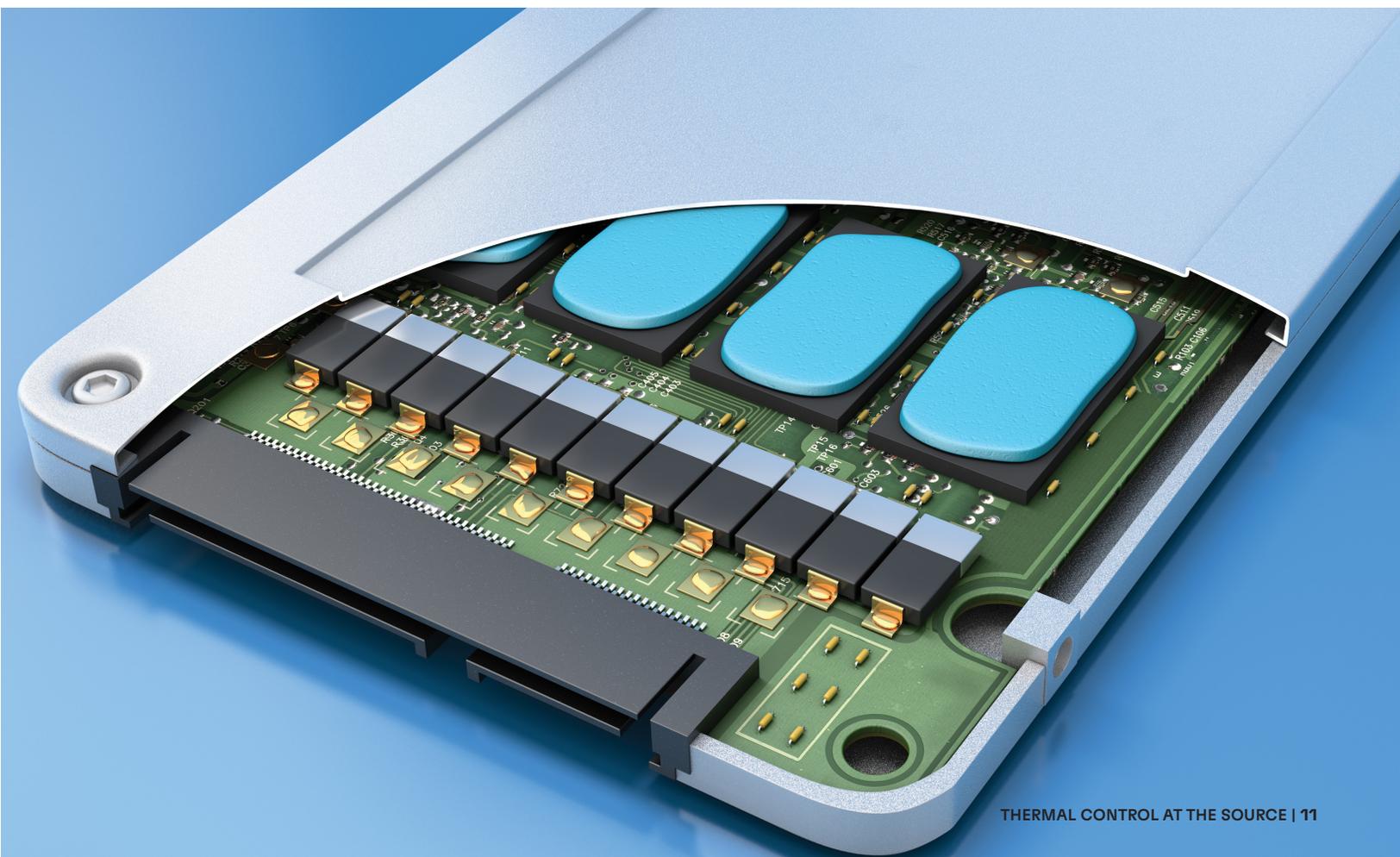
GAP PAD®

| Product | Description | Thermal Conductivity (W/m-K) | Hardness | Dielectric Breakdown Voltage (Vac) | Volume Resistivity ($\Omega\cdot m$) | Reinforcement Carrier | Chemistry |
|----------------------------------|---|------------------------------|----------------|------------------------------------|--|----------------------------|---------------|
| BERGQUIST® GAP PAD® TGP HC3000 | High-compliance, thermally conductive, low modulus material | 3.0 | 15 (Shore 00) | > 5,000 | 10^{10} | Fiberglass | Silicone Base |
| BERGQUIST® GAP PAD® TGP HC5000 | High-compliance, thermally conductive, low modulus material | 5.0 | 35 (Shore 00) | > 5,000 | 10^{10} | Fiberglass | Silicone Base |
| BERGQUIST® GAP PAD® TGP 3500ULM | Highly conformable, thermally conductive, ultra-low modulus material | 3.5 | 70 (Shore 000) | > 5,000 | 10^{10} | With or without fiberglass | Silicone Base |
| BERGQUIST® GAP PAD® TGP 6000ULM | A high performance, 6 W/m-K silicone thermal interface material, ultra-low modulus material | 6.0 | 60 (Shore 000) | > 5,000 | 10^{10} | Fiberglass | Silicone Base |
| BERGQUIST® GAP PAD® TGP 7000ULM | A 7 W/m-K, extremely soft GAP PAD with exceptional thermal performance at low pressures | 7.0 | 75 (Shore 000) | > 5,000 | 1.2×10^{11} | – | Silicone Base |
| BERGQUIST® GAP PAD® TGP 10000ULM | A 10 W/m-K, extremely soft GAP PAD with exceptional thermal performance at low pressures | 10 | 75 (Shore 000) | 3,200 | 2.5×10^{11} | – | Silicone Base |
| BERGQUIST® GAP PAD® TGP 12000ULM | A 12 W/m-K, extremely soft GAP PAD with exceptional thermal performance at low pressures | 12 | 68 (Shore 000) | 6,200 | 1.5×10^{12} | – | Silicone Base |
| BERGQUIST® GAP PAD® TGP 12000 | A 12 W/m-K, a soft gap filling material, specially formulated for high performance applications requiring low assembly stress | 12 | 76 (Shore 000) | 17,700 | 10×10^{10} | Reinforcement carrier | Silicone Base |



Liquid Gap Filler

| Product | Description | Thermal Conductivity (W/m·K) | Hardness (Shore 00) | Dielectric Strength (V/mil) | Volume Resistivity ($\Omega\cdot m$) | Cure schedule (25°C / 100°C) | Chemistry |
|-----------------------------------|---|------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------|--|------------------------------|-------------------|
| BERGQUIST® GAP Filler TGF 1500 | Thermally conductive, liquid gap filler material | 1.8 | 50 | 400 | 10^{10} | 5 hr./10 min. | 2K, Silicone Base |
| BERGQUIST® GAP Filler TGF 3500LVO | Thermally conductive, low outgassing, liquid gap filling material | 3.5 | 40 | 275 | 10^{10} | 24 hr./30 min. | 2K, Silicone Base |
| BERGQUIST® GAP Filler TGF 3600 | Thermally conductive, liquid gap filling material | 3.6 | 35 | 275 | 10^{10} | 15 hr./30 min. | 2K, Silicone Base |
| BERGQUIST® GAP filler TGF 4000 | Thermally conductive, liquid gap filler material | 4 | 75 | 450 | 10^{10} | 24 hr./30 min. | 2K, Silicone Base |



Liqui-Bond Adhesive

| Product | Description | Tensile Strength (psi) | Shear Strength (psi) | Dielectric Strength (V/mil) | Volume Resistivity ($\Omega \cdot m$) | Breaking Strength (kN/m) |
|----------------------------------|---|------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|---|--------------------------|
| BERGQUIST® LIQUI-BOND TLB 400SLT | High performance silicone adhesive sealant with an adaptable cure profile | 300 | 300 | 250 | 10^{12} | 4.4 |

| Product | Description | Thermal Conductivity (W/m·K) | Hardness | Dielectric Strength (V/mm) | Volume Resistivity ($\Omega \cdot m$) | Shear Strength (psi) |
|----------------------------------|--|------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------|---|----------------------|
| BERGQUIST® LIQUI-BOND TLB EA1800 | Thermally conductive, two-part, liquid epoxy adhesive | 1.8 | 90 (Shore D) | 10,000 | 10^{14} | 450 |
| BERGQUIST® LIQUI-BOND TLB SA3500 | Thermally conductive, two-part, liquid silicone adhesive | 3.5 | 90 (Shore A) | 10,000 | 10^{10} | 450 |

Liqui-Form Gel

| Product | Description | Thermal Conductivity (W/m·K) | Volume Resistivity ($\Omega \cdot m$) | Dielectric Constant at 1,000 Hz | Operating Temperature Range | UL Flammability Rating |
|-----------------------------------|--|------------------------------|---|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|
| BERGQUIST® LIQUI-FORM TLF LF3500 | Thermally conductive, one-part, liquid formable gel material | 3.5 | 1×10^{11} | 8.10 | -60 – 200°C | UL 94 V-0 |
| BERGQUIST® LIQUI-FORM TLF 3800LVO | Silicone based gel, high conductivity thermal interface material | 3.8 | 1×10^{10} | 8.00 | -60 – 200°C | UL 94 V-0 |
| BERGQUIST® LIQUI-FORM TLF 6000HG | Thermally conductive, one-part, liquid formable gel material | 6.0 | 4.37×10^{11} | 7.95 | -60 – 200°C | UL 94 V-0 |
| BERGQUIST® LIQUI-FORM TLF 10000 | Thermally conductive, pre-cured gel material | 10 | 9.0×10^{13} | – | -60 – 200°C | UL 94 V-0 |

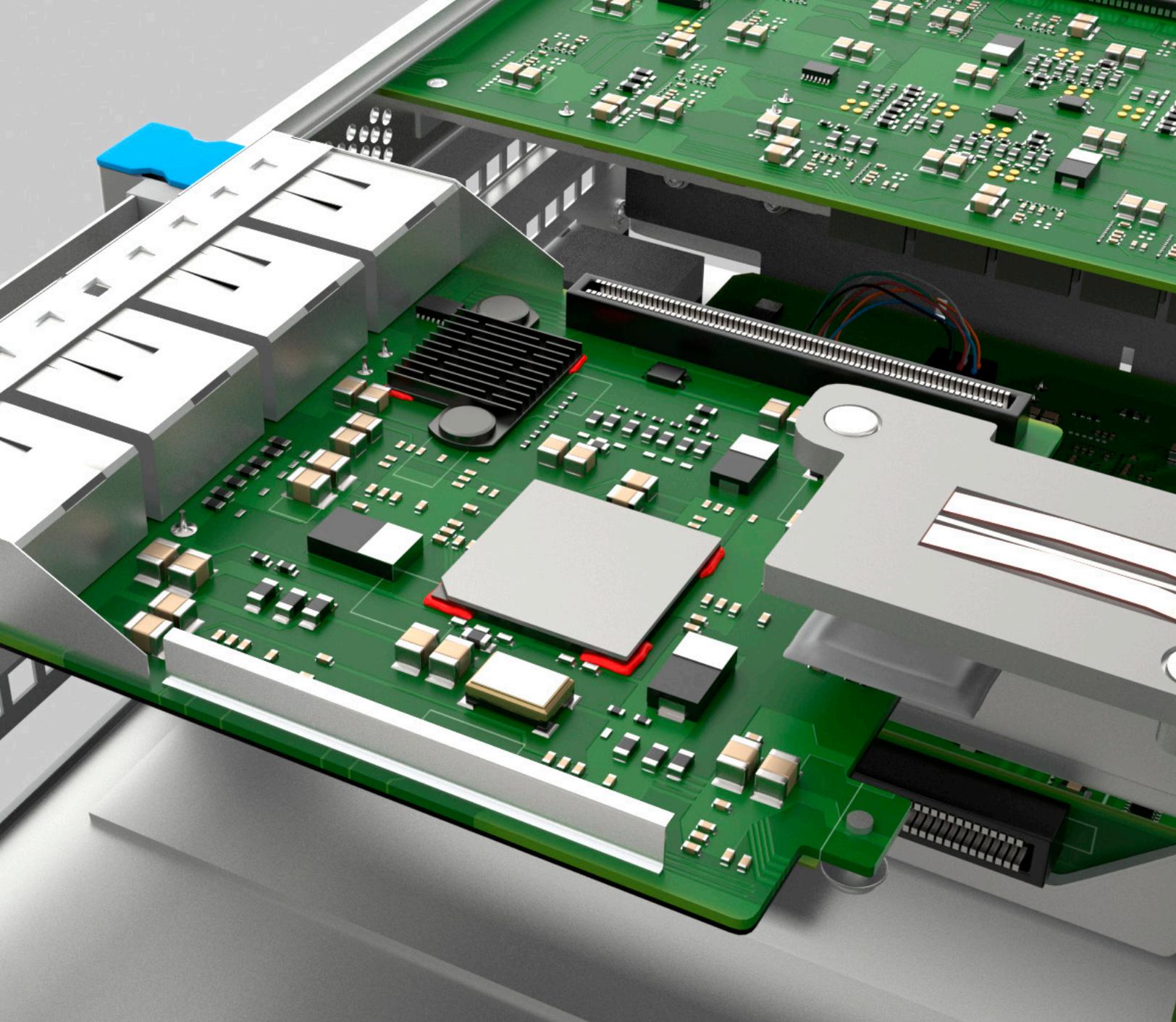
Phase Change Material – Film and Paste

| Product | Description | Key Attributes | Thermal Conductivity (W/m·K) | Volume Resistivity (Ω·m) | Dielectric Breakdown Voltage | Thickness (mm) | Flammability Rating |
|------------------------------|---|---|------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| BERGQUIST® HI-FLOW THF 1600G | Thermally conductive 55°C phase change compound coated on a fiberglass web. Designed as a thermal interface material between a computer processor and a heat sink | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Thermal impedance: 0.2°C·in²/W at 25 psi Will not drip or run like grease Phase change compound coated on a fiberglass carrier | 1.6 | 1x10 ⁸ | 300 | 0.127 | UL 94 V-0 |
| BERGQUIST® HI-FLOW THF 1600P | A thermally conductive 55°C phase change compound coated on a thermally conductive polyimide film | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Thermal impedance: 0.13°C·in²/W at 25 psi Field-proven polyimide film with excellent dielectric performance and cut-through resistance Outstanding thermal performance in an insulated pad | 1.6 | 1x10 ¹² | 5,000 | 0.102 – 0.127 | UL 94 V-0 |
| LOCTITE® TCP 4000 D | Non-silicone, reworkable phase-change material supplied as a paste that can be stenciled, needle-dispensed or screen-printed onto a heat sink, base plate or other surfaces | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reworkable Highly efficient thermal transfer Thixotropic above phase change temperature | 3.4 | – | N/A | 0.025 – 0.250 | – |
| LOCTITE® TCF 4000 PXF | A grey, non-silicone reworkable phase change thermal interface material designed | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Low thermal resistance Nonsilicone No pump-out, dry-out or pull-out | 3.4 | – | – | 0.2 | – |

| Product | Description | Material Thicknesses (Mil) | Phase Change Temperature | Operating Temperature | Thermal Conductivity (W/M·k) | UI Flammability Rating |
|-------------------------------|--|----------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|--|------------------------|
| BERGQUIST® HI-FLOW THF 5000UT | Reworkable phase change thermal interface material suitable for use between a heat sink and variety heat generating components | 8, 10, 12, 16 | 45°C | -40 to 150°C | Multiple Thickness, ASTM D5470 5.3 Thin Bondline Materials, modified ASTM D5470 8.5 | UL 94 V-0 |

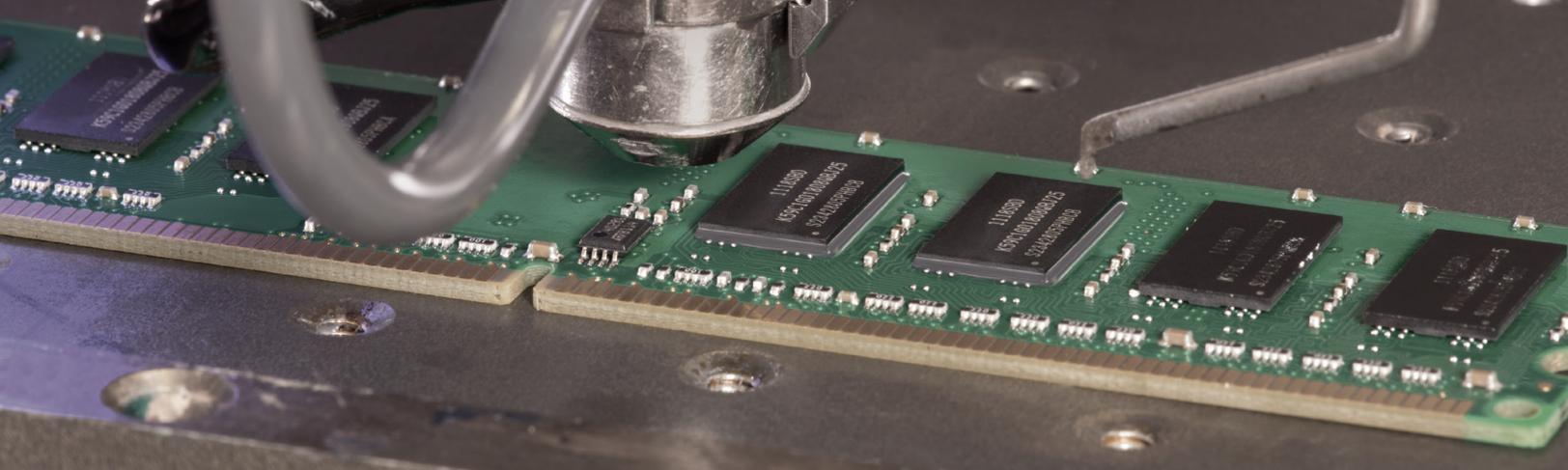
Thermally Conductive Adhesives

| Product | Description | Thermal Conductivity (W/m·K) | Cure Type | Dielectric Strength (kV/mm) | Volume Resistivity (Ω·cm) | Shear Strength (psi) |
|---------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|
| LOCTITE® 315 | Acrylic | 0.8 | Activator or Heat | 26.7 | 1.3x10 ¹² | 1,000 |
| LOCTITE® 3875 | Bead on Bead – Acrylate | 1.75 | Activator or Heat | – | – | 2,400 |



HIGH-VALUE IC PROTECTION

The complex architectures of AI packages with high-density interconnects require thorough protection from thermo-mechanical stress. Underfills and encapsulants deliver the mechanical integrity necessary to help prevent stress-induced failures of next-generation high performing computing GPU, FPGA, and ASIC AI devices. Henkel's formulations have excellent flow characteristics for complete encapsulation of interconnects with micron-level interspaces and low bump heights, offering exceptional protection against the strain from demanding temperature cycling and operational extremes.



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Edgebond

LOCTITE® ECCOBOND UF 3711

Underfill

LOCTITE® ECCOBOND UF 1173

LOCTITE® ECCOBOND E 1216M

LOCTITE® ECCOBOND UF 3812

LOCTITE® 3517M

| Product | Description | Viscosity | Coefficient of thermal expansion, CTE (alpha 1) | Coefficient of thermal expansion, CTE (alpha 2) | Glass Transition Temperature, T _g (°C) | Pot Life (day) |
|---------------------------|---|--------------|---|---|---|----------------|
| LOCTITE® ECCOBOND UF 1173 | Low CTE, high T _g underfill for extreme T-Cycle conditions | 7.5 Pa·s | 26 ppm/°C | 103 ppm/°C | 160 | 2 |
| LOCTITE® ECCOBOND E 1216M | Fast flow, non-anhydride underfill | 4 Pa·s | 35 ppm/°C | 131 ppm/°C | 125 | - |
| LOCTITE® ECCOBOND UF 3812 | Room temperature flow, reworkable underfill | 0.35 Pa·s | 48 ppm/°C | 175 ppm/°C | 131 | 3 |
| LOCTITE® ECCOBOND UF 3711 | Curable adhesive for chips to enhance the reliability performance | 35,000 MPa·s | 20 μm/m/K | 62 μm/m/K | 13.6 at 25°C by DMA, GPa | - |
| LOCTITE® 3517M | Low temperature cure, reworkable underfill | 2.6 Pa·s | 65 ppm/°C | 191 ppm/°C | 78 | 7 |

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