

3M™ Thermally Conductive Acrylic Interface Pad 5550H

Technical Data Sheet

Description

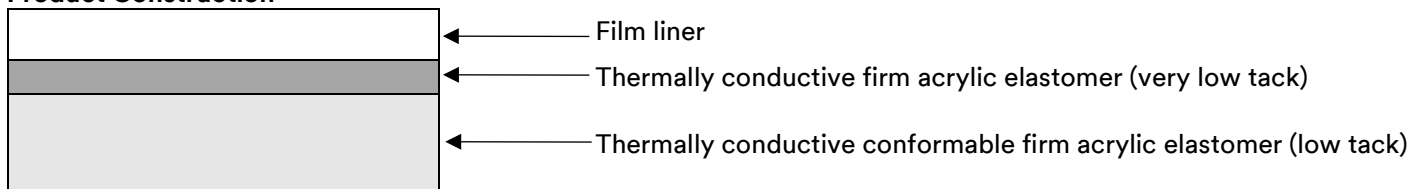
3M™ Thermally Conductive Acrylic Interface Pad 5550H is designed to provide a preferential heat transfer path from heat generating components to a cooling device (e.g., aluminum plate or heat sink.) 3M Thermally Conductive Acrylic Interface Pad 5550H consists of a conformable slightly tacky acrylic elastomer sheet with a conductive ceramic filler.

3M Thermally Conductive Acrylic Interface Pad 5550H typical applications include: battery cooling, power electronics, and HMI displays.

This product provides the following key features:

- UL94 V-0 listed
- Does not contain intentionally added silicone, so there is not siloxane VOC or oil bleeding, which are associated with silicone products
- Conformable even for non-flat surfaces
- Good conformability to fill gaps for excellent thermal conductivity
- Good electrical insulation properties
- Soft, compliant material allows for pressure relaxation, helping to reduce high pressure zones on components
- Incorporates a thin acrylic layer for easy handling during pre-assembly and die-cutting

Product Construction



Physical Properties

	Method	Value
3M™ Thermally Conductive Acrylic Interface Pad 5550H		
Color	--	Light gray adhesive and core White liner
Thickness (mm)	3M method	0.5 ± 0.10 mm
		1.0 ± 0.10 mm
Thermal Conductivity (W/m-K)	ASTM D5470	1.92 (Min. 1.75)*
Flammability	UL94 UL registration: file no. E176845	V-0
Density (g/cm ³ , @ 25°C)	3M method	2.41 (2.15-2.55)*
Hardness Shore00	ASTM D2240	54 (44-64)*
Volume Resistivity (Ω-cm)	ASTM D257	4.9 E+11 ohm-cm (Min. 3.0 E+11 ohm-cm)*
Breakdown Voltage (kV)	ASTM D149	19.6 (Min. 17.0)*

* Tests conducted with 1.0 mm thick product

Performance Properties

Typical performance of 3M Thermally Conductive Acrylic Interface Pad 5550H-05 is shown below. These values are for reference only and should not be used for specification purposes.

3M understands that development of automotive applications is typically driven by specification requirements and performance. Each OEM has their own unique criteria and 3M continues to develop suitable products to meet those demands. Please contact your 3M application engineer for support and to obtain specific test data.

Heat Resistance: 0.5 mm thick product aged at 110°C in high temperature chamber		
Duration (hrs)	Initial	1000
Hardness Shore00	53	59
Thermal Conductivity	1.81	1.51

Shelf Life

The shelf life of 3M™ Thermally Conductive Acrylic Interface Pad 5550H is 12 months from date of manufacture when stored in the original packaging materials and store at 23°C and 50% relative humidity.

Regulatory Information

Please refer to the product label and Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for health and safety information before using. Observe proper handling precautions as outlined in the SDS, which is available on request or at www.3M.com/msds.

Contact Information

The information provided in this technical document is intended as a guide for this product. For more information or help in selecting a 3M product for an application, please contact your 3M application engineering representative or [connect with a 3M expert](#).

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