

### INTRODUCTION

LewVac A-H21D<sup>†</sup> is a two component, high Tg, silver-filled epoxy adhesive designed for chip bonding in microelectronic and optoelectronic applications.

### ADVANTAGES & APPLICATION NOTES

- Extended pot-life and can be cured at relatively low temperatures such as 80°C.
- Designed to be used in the 300°C range for applications such as wire bonding operations and eutectic lid-sealing processes.
- Contains no solvents or thinners. NASA approved, low outgassing epoxy
- Also suggested for hybrid - aerospace circuits found in Rf / Microwave devices like cockpits and satellites.
- Paste-like rheology allows for application by commercial dispensing equipment, stamping, screen printing, or by hand with spatula or toothpick.
- Compatible with Au-plated ceramic substrates found in traditional and custom hybrids.

Number Of Components	Two
Mix Ratio By Weight:	10:1
Specific Gravity	
Part A	2.45
Part B	2.14
Pot Life	15 Hours
Shelf Life @ Room Temperature	1 Year
Minimum Bond Line Cure Schedule*	
@ 150°C	5 Minutes
@ 120°C	15 Minutes
@ 80°C	90 Minutes

Note: Container(s) should be kept closed when not in use. For filled systems, mix the contents of each container (A&B) thoroughly before mixing the two together.

**TYPICAL PROPERTIES:** (To be used as a guide only, not as a specification. Data below is not guaranteed. Different batches, conditions and applications yield differing results; Cure condition: 150°C/1 hour. \* denotes test on lot acceptance basis)

THERMAL PROPERTIES	
Thermal Conductivity	1.0 W/mK
ELECTRICAL PROPERTIES	
Volume Resistivity @23°C*	≤0.0009 Ohm-cm
OUTGASSING PROPERTIES	
TML %	0.19
CVCM %	0.00

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES	
Colour*	Part A - Silver Part B - Silver
Consistency*	Smooth paste
Viscosity: (20rpm/@ 23°C)*	14,000-20,400cPs
Thixotropic Index	2.62
Glass Transition Temp: (Tg) (Dynamic cure 20-200°C /ISO 25 Min; Ramp -10 - 200°C @ 20°C/Min)	>100°C
Coefficient of Thermal Expansion (CTE): Below Tg Above Tg	26x10 <sup>-6</sup> in/in/°C 124x10 <sup>-6</sup> in/in/°C
Shore D Hardness:	60
Lap Shear Strength @ 23°C	1,504psi
Die Sheer Strength @ 23°C	>5kg/1,700psi
Degradation Temperature: (TGA)	457°C
Weight Loss: @200°C @250°C @300°C	0.20% 0.21% 0.35%
Operating Temp: Continuous Intermittant	-55°C to 250°C -55°C to 350°C
Storage Modulus @23°C	712,559psi
Ions: Cl <sup>-</sup> Na <sup>+</sup> NH <sub>4</sub> <sup>+</sup> K <sup>+</sup>	64ppm 72ppm 121ppm
Particle Size*	≤45 Microns

<sup>†</sup> Manufactured by - Epoxy Technology, Inc., USA.