

#### 1. Scope

This specification is applied to Multilayer Ceramic Chip Capacitor (MLCC) for use in electric equipment for the voltage is ranging from 2KV (Include) to 5KV.

The MLCC support for Lead-Free wave and reflow soldering, and electrical characteristic and reliability are same as before. (This product is compliant with the RoHS & HF.)

# 2. Parts Number Code

| 2. Faits Number Coue  |                                    |
|---|------------------------------------|
| C 1210 X 102  | K 202 T D F                        |
| (1) (2) (3) (4)   | (5) (6) (7) (8) (9)                |
| (1)Product  | (5)Capacitance Tolerance           |
| Product Code  | Code Tolerance Nominal Capacitance |
| C Multilayer Ceramic Chip Capacitor                         | K ± 10.0 % More Than 10 pF         |
| (2)Chip Size  | (6)Rated Voltage                   |
| Code Length×Width unit : mm(inch)                           | Code Rated Voltage (Vdc)           |
| 1210 3.20× 2.50 (.126× .098)                                | 202 2,000                          |
| (3)Temperature Characteristics                              | (7)Tapping                         |
| Code Temperature Temperature Temperature                    | Code Type                          |
| Characteristic Range Coefficient                            | T Tape & Reel                      |
| <u>X X7R -55℃~+125℃ ±15%</u>                                | (8)Thickness                       |
| (4)Capacitance unit :pico farads(pF)                        | Code Thickness T (mm)              |
| Code Nominal Capacitance (pF)                               | D 1.25±0.20                        |
| 102 1,000.0   | (D)Special Cade                    |
| X. If there is a decimal point, it shall be expressed by an | (9)Special Code                    |
| English capital letter R                                    | Code Type                          |
| 2 Nominal Canaditanaa and Talaranaa                         | F Special Code                     |
| 3. Nominal Capacitance and Tolerance                        |                                    |

#### 3.1 Standard Combination of Nominal Capacitance and Tolerance

| Class | Characteristic | Tolerance    | Nominal Capacitance |
|-------|----------------|--------------|---------------------|
| Π     | X7R            | K (± 10.0 %) | E-3, E-6 series     |

# 3.2 E series(standard Number)

| Standard No. |     | Application Capacitance |     |         |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|--------------|-----|-------------------------|-----|---------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| E- 3         | 1.0 |                         |     | 1.0 2.2 |     |     | 4   | .7  |     |     |     |     |
| E- 6         | 1   | .0                      | 1   | .5      | 2   | .2  | 3.  | .3  | 4   | .7  | 6   | .8  |
| E-12         | 1.0 | 1.2                     | 1.5 | 1.8     | 2.2 | 2.7 | 3.3 | 3.9 | 4.7 | 5.6 | 6.8 | 8.2 |
| E-24         | 1.0 | 1.2                     | 1.5 | 1.8     | 2.2 | 2.7 | 3.3 | 3.9 | 4.7 | 5.6 | 6.8 | 8.2 |
|              | 1.1 | 1.3                     | 1.6 | 2.0     | 2.4 | 3.0 | 3.6 | 4.3 | 5.1 | 6.2 | 7.5 | 9.1 |

# 4. Operation Temperature Range

| Class | Characteristic | Temperature Range | Reference Temp. |
|-------|----------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| Π     | X7R            | -55℃ ~ +125℃      | 25°C            |

## 5. Storage Condition

Storage Temperature : 5 to 40°C

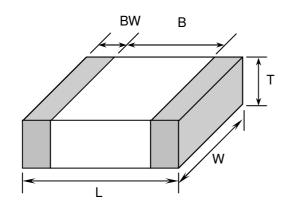
Relative Humidity : 20 to 70 %

Storage Time: 12 months max.



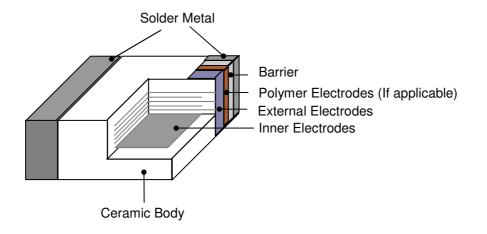
# 6. Dimensions

6.1 Configuration and Dimension :



|      |            |            |            |         | Unit:mm  |
|------|------------|------------|------------|---------|----------|
| TYPE | L          | W          | Т          | B (min) | BW (min) |
| 1210 | 3.20± 0.30 | 2.50± 0.20 | 1.25± 0.20 | 1.60    | 0.30     |

# 6.2 Termination Type :





# 7. Performance

| No. | ltem                                      |                            | Specification                                      |                     | Test Condition  |
|-----|---|----------------------------|--|---------------------|---|
| 1   | Visua                                     | l                          | No abnormal  | exterior appearance | Visual inspection   |
| 2   | Dimens                                    | ion                        | See Page 2   |                     | Visual inspection   |
| 3   | Insulati<br>Resistar                      |                            | 10,000MΩm  | in.                 | V>500V, Applied 500Vdc<br>Charge Time : 60sec.<br>Is applied less than 50mA current.  |
| 4   | Capacitance                               | Class<br>II                | Within The Specified Tolerance                     |                     | Class II :         Frequency       Voltage         X7R       1KHz±10%       1.0±0.2Vrms         Perform a heat temperature at 150±5℃ for       30min. then place room temp. for 24±2hr.   |
| 5   | Tan $\delta$                              | Class<br>II                | Char.<br>X7R: 2.5% ma                              |                     | _   |
| 6   | Withstan<br>Voltag                        | -                          | No dielectric breakdown or<br>mechanical breakdown |                     | <ul> <li>1000 ≤ V :120% Rated Voltage<br/>Voltage ramp up rate ≤ 500v/sec<br/>for 1~5 sec. charge/discharge Current is less<br/>than 50mA.</li> <li>※ Withstanding voltage testing requires immersion of<br/>the element in a isolation fluid prevent arcing on the<br/>chip surface, at voltage over 1000Vdc.</li> </ul> |
| 7   | Temperature<br>Capacitance<br>Coefficient | Class<br>∏                 | Char. Temp. F<br>X7R -55℃~-                        |                     | Class II :<br>(C2-C1)/C1 × 100%<br>C1:Capacitance at standard temperature(25℃)<br>C2: Capacitance at test temperature (T2)  |
| 8   |   |                            |  | >060310N(=1.0 Kg·f) |   |
| 9   |   | Appear-<br>ance<br>C-Meter | No mechanica<br>Capacitance C<br>Char.<br>X7R      | -                   | Bending shall be applied to the 1.0 mm with<br>1.0 mm/sec.<br>The duration of the applied forces shall be<br>5 ± 1sec<br>R230<br>Bending<br>Limit<br>45±1mm<br>45±1mm   |



| No. | lte                      | em   | Specif   | ication   | Test Condition  |  |
|-----|--------------------------|--|--|---|---|--|
| 10  | Solderability            |  | More than 90% of the terminal surface<br>is to be soldered newly, so metal part<br>does not come out or dissolve .   |   | Solder Temperature : $245\pm5^{\circ}$ C<br>Dip Time : $5\pm0.5$ sec.<br>Immersing Speed : $25\pm10^{\circ}$ mm/s<br>Solder : Lead Free Solder<br>Flux :Rosin<br>Preheat : At 80~120 °C for 10~30sec.   |  |
| 11  | Heat                     | Appear-<br>ance<br>Capacit-<br>ance<br>Tan δ<br>Class II<br>Insulation<br>Resistance<br>Withstand<br>Voltage | No mechanical damage shall occur.         Characteristic       Cap. Change         Class       X7R       Within ± 10%         II       To satisfy the specified initial value         To satisfy the specified initial value         To satisfy the specified initial value         To satisfy the specified initial value |   | Class II capacitor shall be set for $48\pm4$ hours at<br>room temperature after one hour heat<br>treatment at $150 \pm 0/-10^{\circ}$ C before initial<br>measure.<br>Preheat : At $150\pm10^{\circ}$ C For $60\sim120$ sec.<br>Dip : Solder Temperature of $260\pm5^{\circ}$ C<br>Dip Time : $10\pm1$ sec.<br>Immersing Speed : $25\pm10\%$ mm/s<br>Flux :Rosin<br>Measure at room temperature after cooling for<br>Class II : $48\pm4$ Hours  |  |
| 12  | Tempera<br>ture<br>Cycle | Appear-<br>ance<br>Capacit-<br>ance<br>Tan ∂<br>Class II<br>Insulation<br>Resistance                         | No mechanical dam<br>Characteristic<br>Class X7R<br>II<br>To satisfy the specif<br>To satisfy the specif   | Cap. Change<br>Within ± 7.5%<br>ied initial value | Class II capacitor shall be set for $48\pm 4$ hours at<br>room temperature after one hour heat treatment<br>at 150 +0/-10 °C before initial measure.<br>Capacitor shall be subjected to five cycles of<br>the temperature cycle as following:<br>Step Temp.(°C) Time(min)<br>1 Min Rated Temp. +0/-3 30<br>2 25 3<br>3 Max Rated Temp. +3/-0 30<br>4 25 3<br>Measure at room temperature after cooling for<br>Class II :48 ± 4 Hrs<br>Solder the capacitor on P.C. board shown in<br>Fig 2. before testing. |  |
| 13  | Humidity                 | Appear-<br>ance<br>Capacit-<br>ance<br>Tan δ<br>Class ΙΙ<br>Insulation<br>Resistance                         | No mechanical damage shall occur         Characteristic       Cap. Change         Class       X7R       Within ± 15%         II       Char.       Maximum         Char.       Maximum         (7R: 5.0% max.       000M Ω min.   |   | Class II capacitor shall be set for 48± 4 hours<br>at room temperature after one hour heat<br>treatment at 150+0/-10 °C before initial<br>measure.<br>Temperature : 40± 2°C<br>Relative Humidity : 90 ~ 95%RH<br>Test Time : 500 +12/-0Hr<br>Measure at room temperature after cooling for<br>Class II : 48 ± 4Hrs<br>Solder the capacitor on P.C. board shown in<br>Fig 2. before testing.   |  |

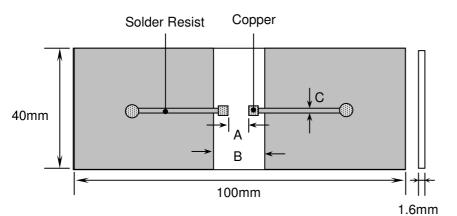


| No. | lte                 | tem Specifica            |  | fication                         | Test Condition                   |  |                  |  |
|-----|---------------------|--------------------------|--|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|------------------|--|
| 14  | High<br>Temperature | Appear-<br>ance          | No mechanical damage shall occur       |                                  | No mechanical damage shall occur |  | mage shall occur | Class II capacitors applied DC voltage<br>(following table) is applied for one hour at |
|     | Load                | Capacit-                 | Characte                               | eristic                          | Cap. Change                      | maximum operation temperature $\pm 3^{\circ}$ then   |                  |  |
|     |                     | ance                     | Class                                  | X7R                              | Within ± 15%                     | shall be set for 48±4 hours at room temperature  |                  |  |
|     |                     |                          | П                                      |                                  |                                  | and the initial measurement shall be   |                  |  |
|     |                     | Tan $\delta$             | Char.                                  |                                  | maximum                          | conducted.   |                  |  |
|     |                     | Class II                 | X7R: 5.0%                              | max.                             |                                  | Voltage Conditioning :   |                  |  |
|     |                     | Insulation               | <b>1,000M</b> Ωm                       | nin.                             |                                  | 100% Rated Voltage meet MIL-PRF-49467(Group  |                  |  |
|     |                     | Resistance               |  |                                  |                                  | A/B)   |                  |  |
|     |                     |                          |  |                                  |                                  | Current Applied : 50 mA Max.<br>Measure at room temperature after cooling for<br>Class II : 48 $\pm$ 4 Hours |                  |  |
| 15  | Vibration           | Appear-<br>ance          | No mechar                              | No mechanical damage shall occur |                                  | Solder the capacitor on P.C. Board shown in Fig 2. before testing.   |                  |  |
|     |                     | Capacit-                 | Characte                               | eristic                          | Cap. Change                      |  |                  |  |
|     |                     | ance                     | Class 2                                | X7R                              | Within ± 7.5%                    | Vibrate the capacitor with amplitude of 1.5mm<br>P-P changing the frequencies from 10Hz to                   |                  |  |
|     |                     | Tan $\delta$             | To satisfy the specified initial value |                                  | ified initial value              | 55Hz and back to 10Hz in about 1 min.  |                  |  |
|     |                     | Class II                 |  |                                  |                                  |  |                  |  |
|     |                     | Insulation<br>Resistance | To satisfy th                          | ne spec                          | ified initial value              | Repeat this for 2 hours each in 3perpendicular directions.   |                  |  |



# Fig.1

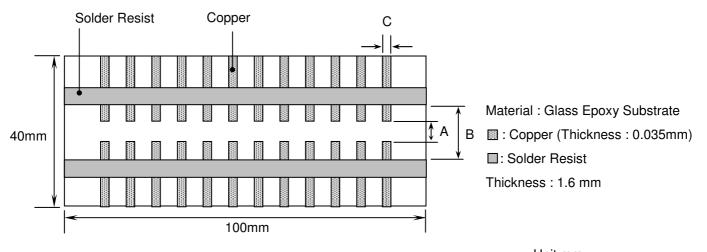
# P.C. Board for Bending Strength Test



Material : Glass Epoxy Substrate : Copper (Thickness : 0.035mm) : Solder Resist

# Fig.2

# **Test Substrate**



|      |     |     | Unit:mm |
|------|-----|-----|---------|
| Туре | A   | В   | С       |
| 0201 | 0.2 | 0.9 | 0.4     |
| 0402 | 0.5 | 1.5 | 0.6     |
| 0603 | 1.0 | 3.0 | 1.0     |
| 0805 | 1.2 | 4.0 | 1.6     |
| 1206 | 2.2 | 5.0 | 2.0     |
| 1210 | 2.2 | 5.0 | 2.9     |
| 1808 | 3.5 | 7.0 | 2.5     |
| 1812 | 3.5 | 7.0 | 3.7     |
| 1825 | 3.5 | 7.0 | 6.9     |
| 2208 | 4.5 | 8.0 | 2.5     |
| 2211 | 4.5 | 8.0 | 3.0     |
| 2220 | 4.5 | 8.0 | 5.6     |
| 2225 | 4.5 | 8.0 | 7.0     |

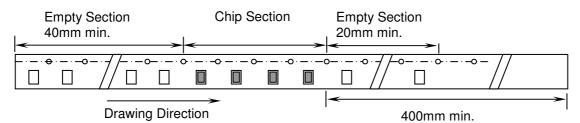


## 8. Packing

# 8.1 Bulk Packing

According to customer request.

# 8.2 Chip Capacitors Tape Packing



## 8.3 Material And Quantity

| Tape     | 0201            | 0402            | 0603/0805        |                |
|----------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------|----------------|
| Material | T≦0.33mm        | T≦0.55mm        | $T \leq 1.00 mm$ | T>1.00mm       |
| Paper    | 15,000 pcs/Reel | 10,000 pcs/Reel | 4,000 pcs/Reel   | NA             |
| Plastic  | NA              | NA              | NA               | 3,000 pcs/Reel |

| Tape     | 1206             |                                  |                |  |  |
|----------|------------------|----------------------------------|----------------|--|--|
| Material | $T \leq 1.00 mm$ | $1.00$ mm $<$ T $\leq$ $1.25$ mm | T>1.25mm       |  |  |
| Paper    | 4,000 pcs/Reel   | NA                               | NA             |  |  |
| Plastic  | NA               | 3,000 pcs/Reel                   | 2,000 pcs/Reel |  |  |

| Tape     | 1808/1210      |                               |                    |  |  |  |
|----------|----------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|--|--|--|
| Material | T≦1.25mm       | $1.25$ mm $<$ T $\leq$ 2.40mm | T>2.40mm           |  |  |  |
| Paper    | NA             | NA                            | NA                 |  |  |  |
| Plastic  | 3,000 pcs/Reel | 1,000/2,000 pcs/Reel          | 500/1,000 pcs/Reel |  |  |  |

| Tape     | 1812/2211/2220 |              | 1825/2       | 2208         |                |
|----------|----------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|
| Material | T≦2.20mm       | T>2.20mm     | T≦2.20mm     | T>2.20mm     | T≦2.20mm       |
| Paper    | NA             | NA           | NA           | NA           | NA             |
| Plastic  | 1,000 pcs/Reel | 700 pcs/Reel | 700 pcs/Reel | 400 pcs/Reel | 1,000 pcs/Reel |

NA : Not Available

#### 8.4 Cover Tape Reel Off Force

8.4.1 Peel-Off Force

5 g·f  $\leq$  Peel-Off Force  $\leq$  70 g·f

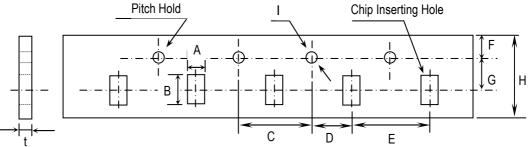
8.4.2 Measure Method





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## 8.5 Paper Tape

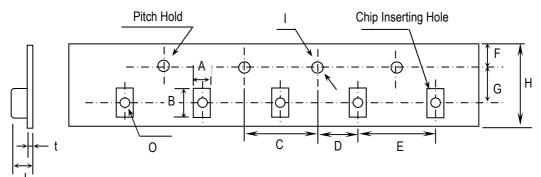


Unit:mm

| TYPE | A         | В         | С         | D          | E         |
|------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|
| 0201 | 0.37± 0.1 | 0.67± 0.1 | 4.00± 0.1 | 2.00± 0.05 | 2.00± 0.1 |
| 0402 | 0.61± 0.1 | 1.20± 0.1 |           |            |           |
| 0603 | 1.10± 0.2 | 1.90± 0.2 |           |            | 4.00± 0.1 |
| 0805 | 1.50± 0.2 | 2.30± 0.2 |           |            |           |
| 1206 | 1.90± 0.2 | 3.50± 0.2 |           |            |           |
| 1210 | 2.90± 0.2 | 3.60± 0.2 |           |            |           |

| TYPE | F          | G               | Н         |                        | t         |
|------|------------|-----------------|-----------|------------------------|-----------|
| 0201 | 1.75± 0.10 | $3.50 \pm 0.05$ | 8.0± 0.30 | <i>φ</i> 1.50 +0.10/-0 | 1.10 max. |
| 0402 |            |                 |           |                        |           |
| 0603 |            |                 |           |                        |           |
| 0805 |            |                 |           |                        |           |
| 1206 |            |                 |           |                        |           |
| 1210 |            |                 |           |                        |           |

# 8.6 Plastic Tape



Unit:mm

| Туре | А       | В       | С        | D             | E        | F         |
|------|---------|---------|----------|---------------|----------|-----------|
| 0805 | 1.5±0.2 | 2.3±0.2 | 4.0± 0.1 | $2.0\pm 0.05$ | 4.0± 0.1 | 1.75± 0.1 |
| 1206 | 1.9±0.2 | 3.5±0.2 |          |               |          |           |
| 1210 | 2.9±0.2 | 3.6±0.2 |          |               |          |           |
| 1808 | 2.5±0.2 | 4.9±0.2 |          |               |          |           |
| 1812 | 3.6±0.2 | 4.9±0.2 |          |               | 8.0± 0.1 |           |
| 1825 | 6.9±0.2 | 4.9±0.2 |          |               |          |           |
| 2208 | 2.5±0.2 | 6.1±0.2 |          |               |          |           |
| 2211 | 3.2±0.2 | 6.1±0.2 |          |               |          |           |
| 2220 | 5.4±0.2 | 6.1±0.2 |          |               |          |           |
| 2225 | 6.9±0.2 | 6.1±0.2 |          |               |          |           |

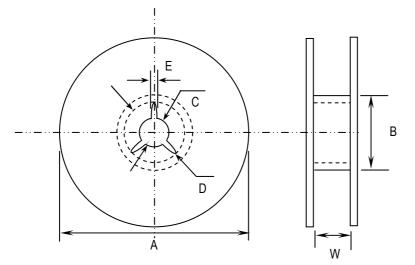


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| Туре | G         | Н          |                     | J        | t        | 0        |
|------|-----------|------------|---------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| 0805 | 3.5± 0.05 | 8.0± 0.3   | <i>φ</i> 1.5+0.1/-0 | 3.0 max. | 0.3 max. | 1.0± 0.1 |
| 1206 |           |            |                     |          |          |          |
| 1210 |           |            |                     |          |          |          |
| 1808 | 5.5± 0.05 | 12.0 ± 0.3 |                     | 4.0 max. |          | 1.5± 0.1 |
| 1812 |           |            |                     |          |          |          |
| 1825 |           |            |                     |          |          |          |
| 2208 |           |            |                     |          |          |          |
| 2211 |           |            |                     |          |          |          |
| 2220 |           |            |                     |          |          |          |
| 2225 |           |            |                     |          |          |          |

# 8.7 Reel Dimensions

Reel Material : Polystyrene



Unit:mm

| Туре | А                 | В            | С                 | D              | E       | W        |
|------|-------------------|--------------|-------------------|----------------|---------|----------|
| 0201 | $\varphi$ 382 max | arphi 50 min | $\varphi$ 13± 0.5 | $\phi$ 21± 0.8 | 2.0±0.5 | 10± 0.15 |
| 0402 |                   |              |                   |                |         |          |
| 0603 |                   |              |                   |                |         |          |
| 0805 |                   |              |                   |                |         |          |
| 1206 |                   |              |                   |                |         |          |
| 1210 |                   |              |                   |                |         |          |
| 1808 | φ <b>178±2.0</b>  | arphi 60±2.0 |                   |                |         | 13±0.3   |
| 1812 |                   |              |                   |                |         |          |
| 1825 |                   |              |                   |                |         |          |
| 2208 |                   |              |                   |                |         |          |
| 2211 |                   |              |                   |                |         |          |
| 2220 |                   |              |                   |                |         |          |
| 2225 |                   |              |                   |                |         |          |



#### **Precautionary Notes:**

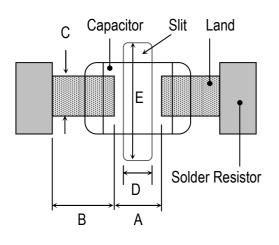
#### 1. Storage

Store the capacitors where the temperature and relative humidity don't exceed 40 °C and 70%RH. We recommend that the capacitors be used within 12 months from the date of manufacturing. Store the products in the original package and do not open the outer wrapped, polyethylene bag, till just before usage. If it is open, seal it as soon as possible or keep it in a desiccant with a desiccation agent.

## 2. Construction of Board Pattern

Improper circuit layout and pad/land size may cause excessive or not enough solder amount on the PC board. Not enough solder may create weak joint, and excessive solder may increase the potential of mechanical or thermal cracks on the ceramic capacitor. Therefore we recommend the land size to be as shown in the following table:

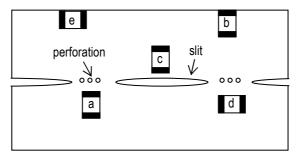
2.1 Size and recommend land dimensions for reflow soldering .



| EIA Code | Chip | (mm) |         | L       | and (mm) |         |         |
|----------|------|------|---------|---------|----------|---------|---------|
| EIA COUE | L    | W    | Α       | В       | С        | D       | E       |
| 0201     | 0.60 | 0.30 | 0.2~0.3 | 0.2~0.4 | 0.2~0.4  |         |         |
| 0402     | 1.00 | 0.50 | 0.3~0.5 | 0.3~0.5 | 0.4~0.6  |         |         |
| 0603     | 1.60 | 0.80 | 0.4~0.6 | 0.6~0.7 | 0.6~0.8  |         |         |
| 0805     | 2.00 | 1.25 | 0.7~0.9 | 0.6~0.8 | 0.8~1.1  |         |         |
| 1206     | 3.20 | 1.60 | 2.2~2.4 | 0.8~0.9 | 1.0~1.4  | 1.0~2.0 | 3.2~3.7 |
| 1210     | 3.20 | 2.50 | 2.2~2.4 | 1.0~1.2 | 1.8~2.3  | 1.0~2.0 | 4.1~4.6 |
| 1808     | 4.60 | 2.00 | 2.8~3.4 | 1.8~2.0 | 1.5~1.8  | 1.0~2.8 | 3.6~4.1 |
| 1812     | 4.60 | 3.20 | 2.8~3.4 | 1.8~2.0 | 2.3~3.0  | 1.0~2.8 | 4.8~5.3 |
| 1825     | 4.60 | 6.35 | 2.8~3.4 | 1.8~2.0 | 5.1~5.8  | 1.0~4.0 | 7.1~8.3 |
| 2208     | 5.70 | 2.00 | 4.0~4.6 | 2.0~2.2 | 1.5~1.8  | 1.0~4.0 | 3.6~4.1 |
| 2211     | 5.70 | 2.80 | 4.0~4.6 | 2.0~2.2 | 2.0~2.6  | 1.0~4.0 | 4.4~4.9 |
| 2220     | 5.70 | 5.00 | 4.0~4.6 | 2.0~2.2 | 3.5~4.8  | 1.0~4.0 | 6.6~7.1 |
| 2225     | 5.70 | 6.35 | 4.0~4.6 | 2.0~2.2 | 5.1~5.8  | 1.0~4.0 | 7.1~8.3 |

2.2 Mechanical strength varies according to location of chip capacitors on the P.C. board. Design layout of components on the PC board such a way to minimize the stress imposed on the components, upon flexure of the boards in depanelization or other processes.

Component layout close to the edge of the board or the "depanelization line" is not recommended. Susceptibility to stress is in the order of: a>b>c and d>e



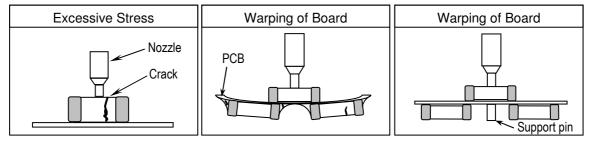


## 2.3 Layout Recommendation

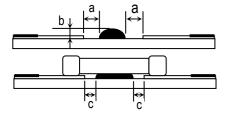
| Example        | Use of Common<br>Solder Land    | Solder With Chassis  | Use of Common Solder<br>Land With Other SMD |
|----------------|---------------------------------|--|---|
| Need to Avoid  | Lead Wire<br>Chip Solder        | Chassis<br>$\downarrow$ Excessive<br>Solder<br>$\downarrow$ $\downarrow$ $\downarrow$ $\downarrow$ $\downarrow$ $\downarrow$ $\downarrow$ $\downarrow$ $\downarrow$ $\downarrow$ | Solder Land                                 |
| Recommendation | Lead Wire<br>Chip Solder Resist | Solder Resist  |   |

# 3. Mounting

3.1 Sometimes crack is caused by the impact load due to suction nozzle in pick and place operation. In pick and place operation, if the low dead point is too low, excessive stress is applied to component. This may cause cracks in the ceramic capacitor, therefore it is required to move low dead point of a suction nozzle to the higher level to minimize the board warp age and stress on the components. Nozzle pressure is typically adjusted to 1N to 3N (static load) during the pick and place operation.



3.2 Amount of Adhesive



Example : 0805 & 1206

| а | 0.2mm min.                   |
|---|------------------------------|
| b | 70 ~ 100 µm                  |
| С | Do not touch the solder land |

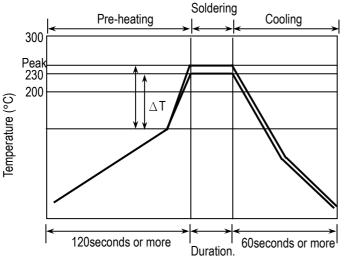


#### 4. Soldering

#### 4.1. Wave Soldering

Most of components are wave soldered with solder at Peak Temperature.. Adequate care must be taken to prevent the potential of thermal cracks on the ceramic capacitors. Refer to the soldering methods below for optimum soldering benefits.

#### **Recommend flow soldering temperature Profile**



| Soldering Method | Peak Temp.( $^{\circ}$ C) / Duration (sec) |
|------------------|--|
| 1206 and Under   | ΔT ≤ 100~130 max.                          |
| Pb-Sn Solder     | 250°C (max.) / 3sec(max.)                  |
| Lead Free Solder | 260°C (max.) / 5sec(max.)                  |

Recommended solder compositions

Sn-37Pb (Pb - Sn Solder)

Sn-3.0Ag-0.5Cu (Lead Free Solder)

To optimize the result of soldering, proper preheating is essential:

- 1) Preheat temperature is too low
  - a. Flux flows to easily
  - b. Possibility of thermal cracks
- 2) Preheat temperature is too high
  - a. Flux deteriorates even when oxide film is removed
  - b. Causes warping of circuit board
  - c. Loss of reliability in chip and other components

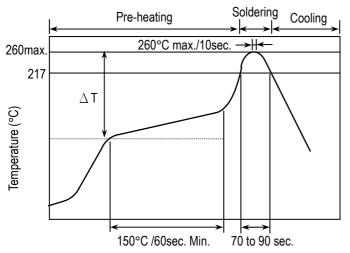
#### Cooling Condition:

Natural cooling using air is recommended. If the chips are dipped into a solvent for cleaning, the temperature difference ( $\Delta$ T) between the solvent and the chips must be less than 100 °C.

#### 4.2 Reflow Soldering

Preheat and gradual increase in temperature to the reflow temperature is recommended to decrease the potential of thermal crack on the components. The recommended heating rate depends on the size of component, however it should not exceed  $3^{\circ}C/Sec$ .

#### Recommend reflow profile for Lead-Free soldering temperature Profile (MIL-STD-202G #210F)



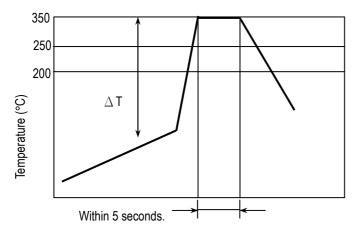
#### **※** The cycles of soldering : Twice (max.)

| Soldering Method | Change in Temp.( °C)                  |
|------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1206 and Under   | $\Delta T \leq 190 \ {}^\circ { m C}$ |
| 1210 and Over    | ∆T ≦ 130 °C                           |



#### 4.3 Hand Soldering

Sudden temperature change in components, results in a temperature gradient recommended in the following table, and therefore may cause internal thermal cracks in the components. In general a hand soldering method is not recommended unless proper preheating and handling practices have been taken. Care must also be taken not to touch the ceramic body of the capacitor with the tip of solder Iron.



| Soldering Method | Change in Temp.( °C)            |
|------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1206 and Under   | $\Delta T \leq 150 \ ^{\circ}C$ |
| 1210 and Over    | $\Delta T \leq 130 \ { m C}$    |

#### How to Solder Repair by Solder Iron

1) Selection of the soldering iron tip

The required temperature of solder iron for any type of repair depends on the type of the tip, the substrate material, and the solder land size.

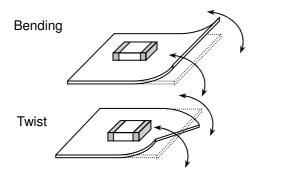
- 2) recommended solder iron condition
  - a.) Preheating Condition : Board and components should be preheated sufficiently at 150 °C or over, and soldering should be conducted with soldering iron as boards and components are maintained at sufficient temperatures.
  - b.) Soldering iron power shall not exceed 30 W.
  - c.) Soldering iron tip diameter shall not exceed 3mm.
  - d.) Temperature of iron tip shall not exceed 350 °C., and the process should be finished within 5 seconds. (refer to MIL-STD-202G)
  - f.) Do not touch the ceramic body with the tip of solder iron. Direct contact of the soldering iron tip to ceramic body may cause thermal cracks.
  - g.) After soldering operation, let the products cool down gradually in the room temperature.

#### 5. Handling after chip mounted

5.1 Proper handling is recommended, since excessive bending and twist of the board, depends on the orientation of the chip on the board, may induce mechanical stress and cause internal crack in the capacitor.

# Higher potential of crack

Lower potential of crack



5.2 There is a potential of crack if board is warped due to excessive load by check pin



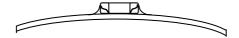


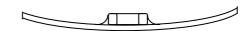
5.3 Mechanical stress due to warping and torsion.

- (a) Crack occurrence ratio will be increased by manual separation.
- (b) Crack occurrence ratio will be increased by tensile force , rather than compressive force.

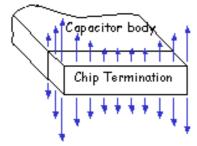


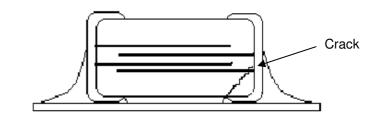
O :Compressive Stress





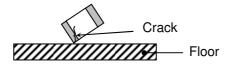
# Capacitor Stress Analysis



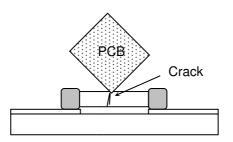


# 6. Handling of Loose Chip Capacitor

6.1 If dropped the chip capacitor may crack.



6.2 In piling and stacking of the P.C. boards after mounting for storage or handling, the corner of the P.C. board may hit the chip capacitor mounted on another board to cause crack.



#### 7. Safekeeping condition and period

For safekeeping of the products, we recommend to keep the storage temperature between +5 to +40  $^{\circ}$ C and under humidity of 20 to 70% RH. The shelf life of capacitors is 12 months.