
Product Information

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Carbon Resin Conductive Paste

CARBOLLOID MRX-713J**DESCRIPTION**

CARBOLLOID MRX-713J is suitable for use in the production of printed key pads or jumper circuits, giving excellent printing characteristics.

It is a single component system which requires no mixing.

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

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| Dry Resistivity | 30 Ohms/square at 15 microns thickness |
| High temperature Resistance (100°C - 500hrs) | 0-4% |
| Humidity Resistance (60°C, 90%RH, 500hrs) | 0 - 11% resistivity change |
| Copper Adhesion | 100/100 Cross Cut Tape test |
| Solder Heat Resistance | 100/100 Adhesion on copper 0 - 1% resistivity change |
| Viscosity | 300 dPa.s at 20°C |

RECOMMENDED PRINTING PARAMETERS

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| Screen | 150-250 mesh polyester or stainless steel screen (60 – 100T) |
| Squeegee | 65 - 80 Shore Hardness |
| Screen Cleaner | Toluene, Xylene, T.C.E. etc |

CURING

150°C for 15 minutes in an air oven.

SHELF LIFE

If stored in the right conditions the solder paste should be good for at least 12 months without the need for

If stored in a fridge, 3 months from date of manufacture.

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MRX-713J TECHNICAL INFORMATION

1. MRJ-713J SPECIFIC AREA

Table 1 : MRX-713J Specific Data

| ITEMS | DATA | TEST CONDITION |
|---|--|---|
| Viscosity | 300 dPa.s | 20°C, Viscotester VT-04 |
| Sheet Resistivity | 30 Ohm / \uparrow | |
| Adhesion on Copper | 100/100 | Cross Cut Tape Test |
| <u>Solder Heat Resistances</u> Change of Resistivity Adhesion on Copper | -1% 100/100 | 260°C, 10 sec RA Flux |
| Change of Resistivity after PEELCOAT curing | -2% | 150°C, 7 min M-100 |
| Change of Resistivity after PEELCOAT curing and Solder Dipping | -5% | 150°C, 7 min M-100 260°C, 10 sec RS Flux |
| <u>Pressure Cooker Test</u> Solder Dipped - Change of Resistivity - Adhesion on Copper Not solder Dipped - Change of resistivity - Adhesion on Copper | +6% 100/100 -10% 100/100 | Saturated Type 121°C, 8 hrs |
| <u>Adhesion on Overcoat</u> PHOTOCOAT USR 2G-SH - On Laminate - On Copper PHOTOCOAT USR 11G-11 - On Laminate - On Copper | 100/100 100/100 100/100 100/100 | 120W/cm, 3 lamps 7 m/min |
| Powder Dropping | Passed | |
| <u>Printing Resolution</u> Initial - On Laminate - On Copper After 200 Panels - On Laminate - On Copper | 0.4mm 0.4mm 0.4mm 0.4mm | Pattern width 0.4mm 30°C, 1.0 min left standing before curing |

Curing Condition : 165°C 3 min by IR furnace

Table 1 : MRX-713J Specific Data (Cont)

| ITEMS | DATA | TEST CONDITION |
|--|--|--------------------------|
| Abrasion Resistance Change of Insulation Resistivity Powder Dropping | Before / After 10 ¹³ /10 ¹³ Ohm a little | Weight 50g, 10000 times |
| High Temperature Ageing - Solder Dipped - Not Solder Dipped | - 6% - 7% | 100°C, 500 hrs |
| High Humidity - Solder Dipped - Not Solder Dipped | + 13% + 18% | 60°C, 90%RH, 500 hrs |
| Oil Dipping Solder Dipped - Change of Resistivity - Adhesion on Copper Not Solder Dipped - Change of Resistivity - Adhesion on Copper | - 5% 100/100 + 10% 100/100 | 260°C, 10 sec, 100 times |
| Salt Water Spray Solder Dipped - Change of Resistivity - Adhesion on Copper Not Solder Dipped - Change of Resistivity - Adhesion on Copper | + 1% 100/100 + 3% 100/100 | 35°C, 5%NaCl, 96 hrs |
| Boiling Water Test Solder Dipped - Change of Resistivity - Adhesion on Copper Not Solder Dipped - Change of Resistivity - Adhesion on Copper | + 2% 100/100 - 13% 100/100 | 100°C, 2 hrs, 4 times |
| Solder Heat Resistance - Change of Resistivity - Adhesion on Copper | - 18% slight peeling | 300°C, 5 sec, 10 times |

Curing Condition : 165°C 3 min by IR furnace

2. MRX-713J ADHESION OF OVERCOAT

Table 2 : MRX-713J Adhesion Test Result

| Overcoat Resist | Conveyor Speed | On Laminate | On Copper |
|-----------------|----------------|-------------|------------|
| USR 2G-SH | 3m/min | good | good |
| | 5m/min | poor | poor |
| | 7m/min | good | good |
| USR-11B-11 | 3m/min | acceptable | acceptable |
| | 5m/min | good | good |
| | 7m/min | superior | superior |

Undercoat : USR 2G-SH in 120W/cm 3 lamps 5m/min

3. MRX-713J INTER-LAYER ADHESION

Table 3 : Adhesion between Carbon & Overcoat

| Overcoat Resist | | USR 2G-SH | USR 11B-11 |
|------------------|-------------|-----------|------------|
| Undercoat Resist | | | |
| USR 2G-SH | On Laminate | poor | good |
| | On Copper | poor | good |

Curing parameter : 12W/cm 3 lamps 5m/min

4. MRX-713J : FILM THICKNESS EFFECTS

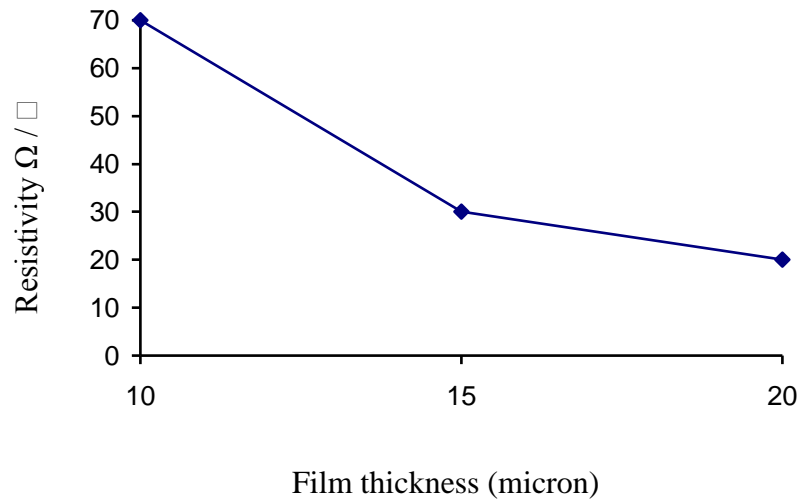


Figure 1: Sheet Resistivity vs. Film Thickness

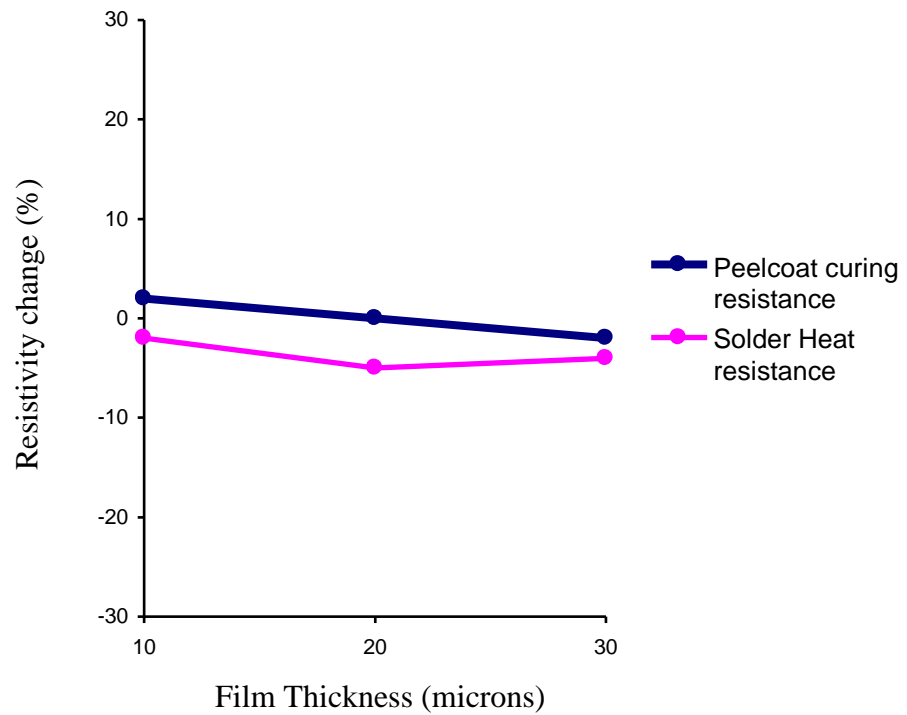


Fig. 2 Film Thickness vs. Solder Heat Resistance & Peelcoat Curing Resistance

5. MRX-713J EFFECTS OF IR FURNACE PASSES

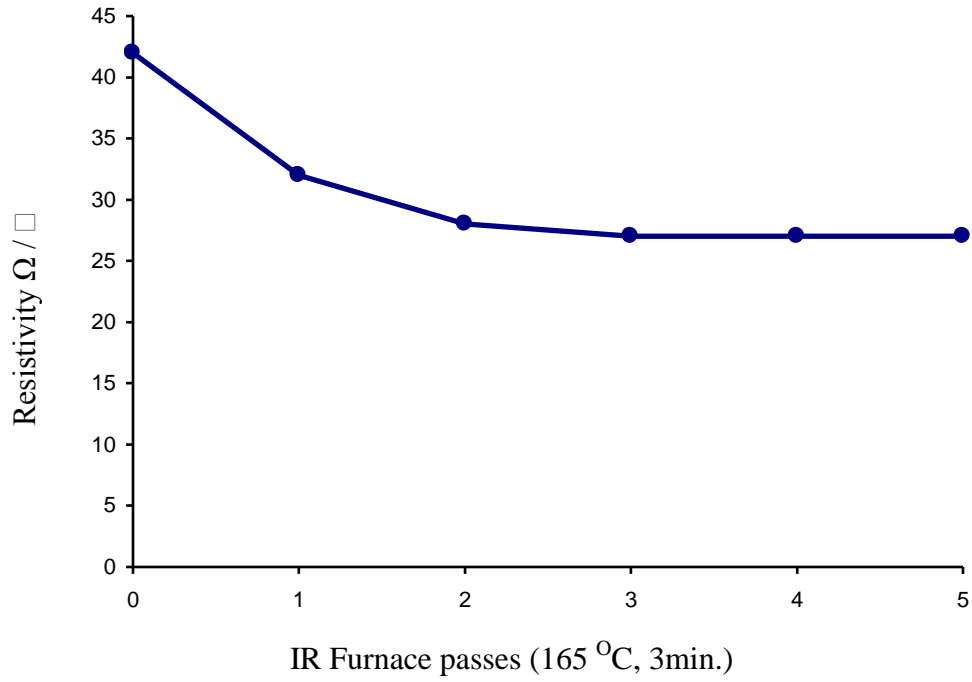


Fig. 3: Sheet Resistivity vs. Furnace Passes

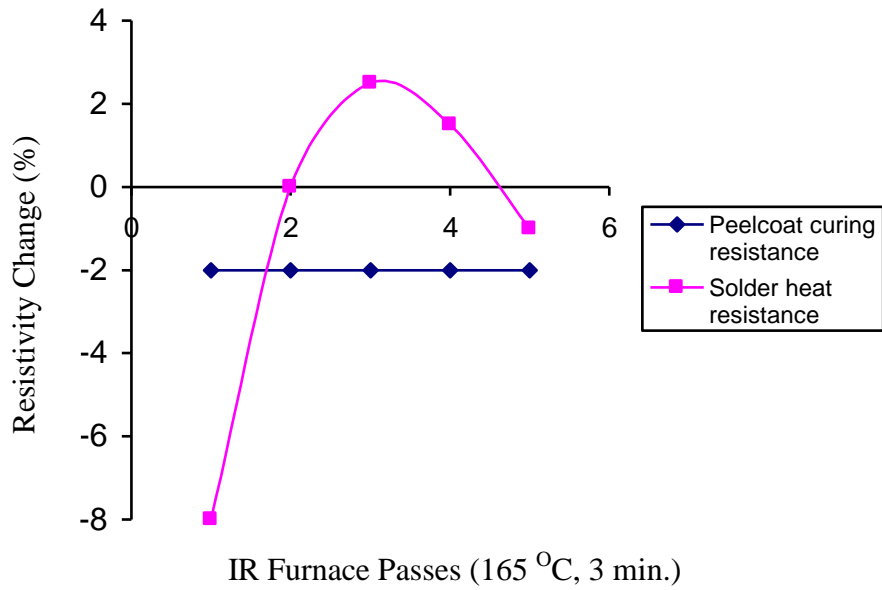


Fig 4 Solder Heat Resistance and Peelcoat Curing Resistance vs. IR Furnace Passes

6. MRX-713J Continuous Printability

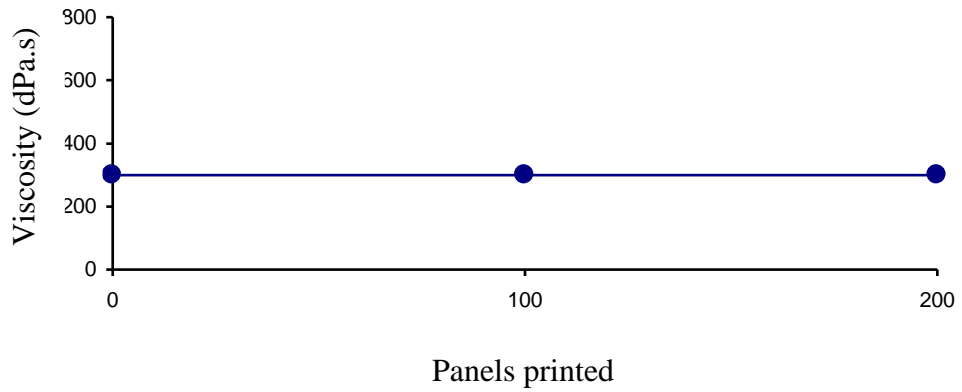


Fig. 5 Change of Viscosity on Screen

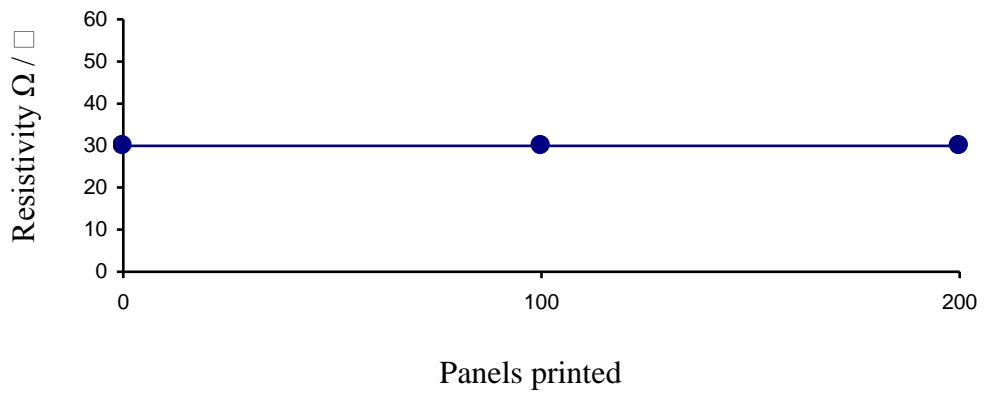


Fig. 6 Change of Sheet Resistivity

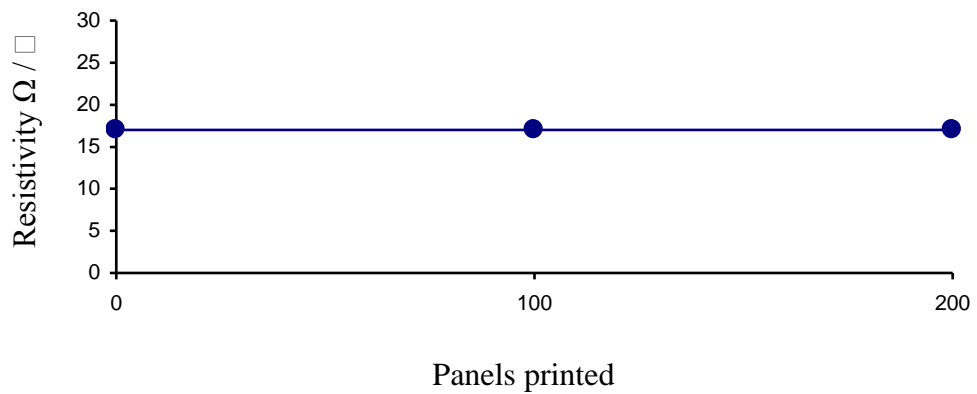


Fig. 7 Change of Film Thickness

7. MRX-713J Curing Conditions

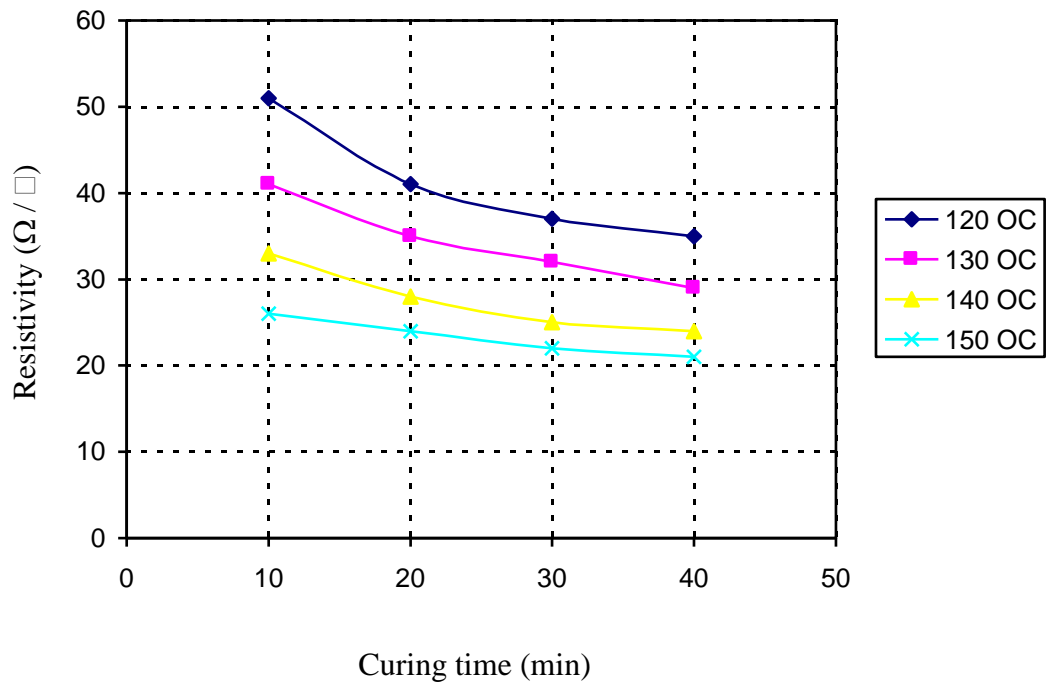


Fig 8 Curing condition vs Resistivity (15 μm)

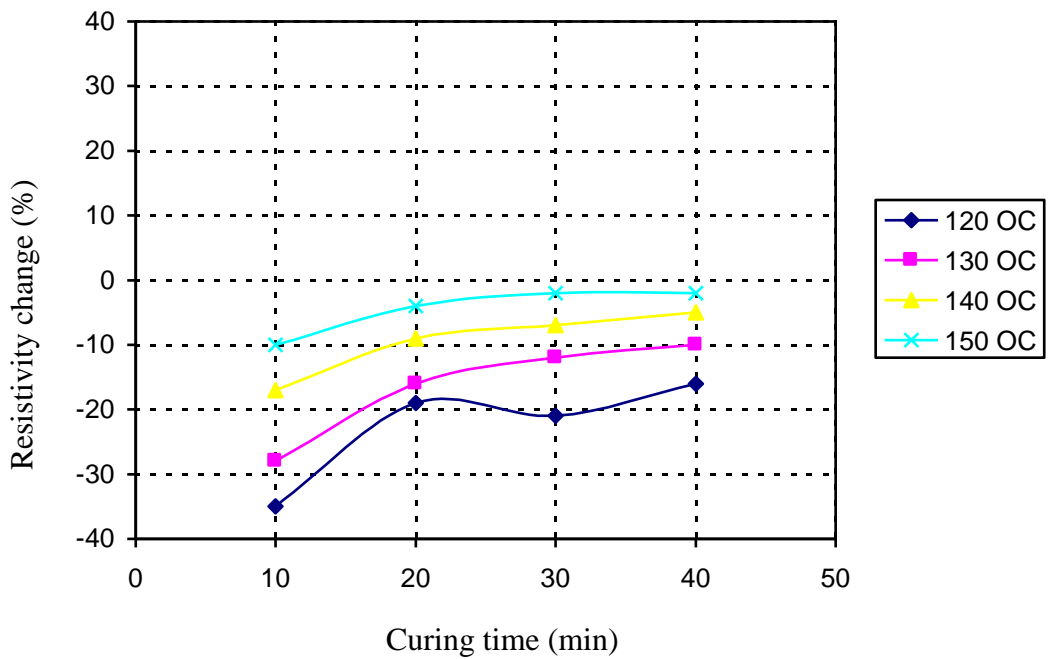


Fig 9 Curing condition vs Resistivity change after soldering

Table 4 : MRX-713J Adhesion vs. IR Furnace Passes

| Pass Number | Solder Dipped | Not Solder Dipped |
|--------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|
| | 260°C, 10 sec, 5 times | |
| 0.5 Times (double speed) | good | good |
| Once | good | good |
| Twice | good | good |
| 3 times | good | good |

8. MRX-713-J STUDY OF RE-USE

Table 5 : Reuse of MRX-713J

| | Units | Initial | 200 Panels | Kept 4 Days & Visco adjusted |
|---|--------|---------|------------|------------------------------|
| Viscosity | ps | 300 | 500 | 1000 - 350 |
| Sheet Resistivity | ohm/sq | 31 | 32 | 32 |
| Film Thickness | micron | 19 | 21 | 20 |
| Solder Heat Resistance | | | | |
| - Change of Resistivity | % | -3 | -5 | -1 |
| - Adhesion on Copper | % | good | good | good |
| PEELCOAT curing resistance | % | -1 | -3 | -3 |
| PEELCOAT solder dipping - change of resistivity | % | -4 | -4 | -4 |
| Adhesion on Copper | | good | good | good |

9. ABRASION RESISTANCE

When the Carbon paste is subject to abrasion due to a moving contact across the surface of the cured carbon layer the following items should be noted.

- The shape of the material in contact with the carbon layer should be as smooth as possible to reduce the abrasive effect.
- The end user should satisfy themselves under test conditions that the carbon layer will fulfil their requirements for abrasive resistance. These tests should be carried out to determine the reliability of the carbon layer and would hence be an indicator of the products performance under end user conditions
- Tamura Kaken is not liable for guaranteeing the abrasion resistance as each condition of use is different.