



Fine line PCB Technology for Fine-pitch surface Mount Devices

U R Rao Satellite Centre (URSC) of Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) has develop and qualify the technology for PCBs with fine conductor features of 5 mil trace width and 4 mil spacing to cater for various fine pitch surface mount devices in the Solid State Recorder (SSR) packages of high resolution imaging LEO Satellites.



Fine line SSR multilayer PCB replaced 6 normal MLBs

Fine lines resolved with Liquid photoimageable resist

Salient Features & Major Specifications

- Laminate material
- **Total PCB Thickness**
- Minimum through hole size
- Minimum drilled hole size ✦
- Standard through hole size +
- + Minimum pad diameter
- Standard hole pad diameter +
- Minimum Trace width
- Minimum spacing
- Outer layer basic copper +
- Outer layer Copper thickness

- : High-Tg FR4
- : 2.25 mm ± 0.15 mm
- : 0.40 mm (16 mils) finished
- : 0.50 mm diameter
- : 0.80 mm (32 mils) finished
- : 1.0 mm (40 mils) by design
- : 1.5 mm (60 mils) by design
- : 0.125 mm (5 mils) by design
- : 0.100 mm (4 mils) by design
- + Minimum Dielectric separation : 100 μ m (4 mils)
 - : 1/2 oz (17.5 microns)
- \pm 52.5 (\pm 10) μ m (External) finished

- Inner layers Copper thickness
- Multilayer Construction
- + Fabrication Technique
- + Solder mask material
- + Surface finish

Technology Transfer

- : 30 (\pm 05) μ m, Internal
- : Laminate type construction
- : Subtractive type, Electroless Copper, SMOBC
- : Electra EMP110, Carapace
- : Eutectic Solder (Sn-63 / Pb-37)

URSC/ISRO offers to transfer this technology of Fine line PCB Technology for Finepitch surface Mount Devices to industries in India with adequate experience and facilities. Industries interested in obtaining knowhow may write giving details of their present activities, infrastructure and facilities.

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