Humidity Indicator Cards (HICs) for IPC/JEDEC J-STD-033

IPC/JEDEC will soon release Revision B of the J-STD-033 standard for dry packaging surface mount devices. A new HIC will be required. This 5%, 10%, 60% card will have to meet the requirements of new IPC/JEDEC testing for observability and accuracy. 3M’s 51060HIC125 will comply with revision B requirements.

Humidity Indicator Cards (HICs) are printed with moisture sensitive spots which respond to various levels of humidity with a visible color change from blue to pink. The humidity inside dry packed barrier bags can be monitored by including an HIC inside. When the bag is opened, the card can be examined for proper dryness inside the bag. This indicates that the barrier bag and desiccant functioned correctly.

### 3M™ 51015HIC125

**Meets 033 Revision A**

This card meets the IPC/JEDEC J-STD-033A standard.

- **Card Size:** 2" x 3" inches
- **Indicates:** 5, 10, 15%
- **Packing:** 125 cards in an air-tight can.

**Standards**

Complies with IPC/JEDEC J-STD-033A.

### 3M™ 51060HIC125

**Meets 033 Revision B**

This card meets the future release of IPC/JEDEC J-STD-033B standard.

- **Card Size:** 2" x 3" inches
- **Indicates:** 5, 10, 60%
- **Packing:** 125 cards in an air-tight can.

**Standards**

Complies with future release of IPC/JEDEC J-STD-033B.

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**Specifications**

- **Materials:** Blotting paper impregnated with cobaltous chloride.
- **Accuracy:** Based on ambient temperature of 75°F.
- **Tolerance:** Approx. 2.5% for each 10°F away from 75°F.

**Part Numbers**

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