

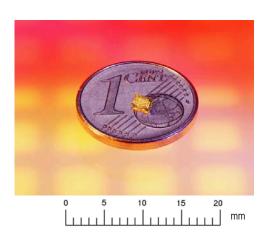
Traceability Pad

91658 Module ID

The Traceability pad functions as a printed circuit board (WIP) identifier in high volume electronic PCB manufacturing. Each pad contains a unique code number, supplied already laser etched onto its surface, in a 2D matrix format. The code number is easily read by commercially available optical scanners, such as Microscan EZ Quadrus (see www.microscan.com). In the course of the customer's PCB manufacturing process, the traceability pad is picked and placed alongside other components onto the application PCB and is solder reflowed. Each PCB thereby gains a unique identification allowing the traceability data of all other components contained on the populated PCB to be logged against the unique traceability code number. Further on in the manufacturing process, the PCB identifier can be

incorporated into the identification of the final assembled device.

Features	Benefits
■ Nickel Silver material	Good contrast of laser etched codeAllows reflow onto application PCB
■ Unique code number for each Pad	Provides unambiguous identificationNo investment needed to write code
■ 2D matrix code is open standard	No licence issuesScanner readers are widely available and affordable
■ Tape & Reel Packaged	 Allows automated pick and place on standard chip shooters Can operate in high speed lines Fully automated product traceability within the production process
Small dimensions	Uses minimal real estateCan be used in the smallest of PCB applications



Markets and Applications

Application area is very broad, encompassing high volume PCB assembly. Suggested markets include:

- Telecommunication
 - Mobile phone handset
 - Handset accessories
- General Consumer
 - Digital camera, portable stereo, MP3 players,
 - TV, DVD, Video, Stereo
 - PC/accessories, printers, scanners
 - Car audio, mobile navigation and telematic devices
- Other Markets
 - Electronic Medical devices
 - Small hand held devices, PDA's, pocket data terminals





Reference Information

Product Specification: PS-91658-010 Packaging: Tape & reel Designed In: Millimetres

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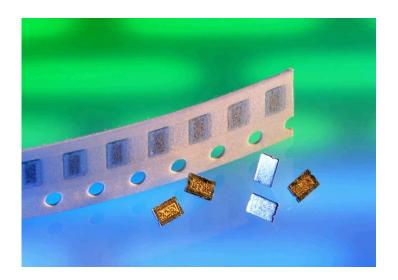
Mechanical

Cold Storage: 96hrs in -40°C
Dry Heat Storage: 96hrs in +85°C
Damp Heat, Thermal Shock, Gradual Reflow Test,
Solderability Test Reflow, Salt Sprayand Mixed Gas: no change in the readability of the laser marking

Physical

Material: Nickel Silver Dimensions: 2.8mm x 1.8mm Thickness: 0.3mm

Operating Temperature: -40°C to +85°C



Molex Order No.	Description	Additional Details
91658-0020	Module ID Traceability Pad	Nickel Silver Pad with unique laser etched 2D matrix code
91658-xxxx	Module ID Traceability Pad	Sequential customer specific numbers will be allocated. (Contact Sales/Customer Service for further details)



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