

PDC #1 – ACHIEVING HIGH RELIABILITY OF LEAD-FREE SOLDER JOINTS – MATERIAL CONSIDERATIONS

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PDC #15 - PACKAGE FAILURE MECHANISMS, RELIABILITY, AND SOLUTIONS

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PDC #16 - 3D IC SI INTEGRATION AND 3D SI PACKAGING

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3D IC packaging and 3D IC integration are different. In general, the TSV (through-silicon via) separates 3D IC packaging from 3D IC integration because the latter use TSVs, but 3D IC packaging does not. TSV is the heart of 3D IC integration. It provides the opportunity for the shortest chip-to-chip, and the smallest pad size and pitch of interconnects. The potential high volume manufacturing of 3D IC integration is: (1) memory-chip stacking, (2) wide I/O memory (or logic-on-logic), (3) wide I/O DRAM, wide I/O 2, HMC, and HBM, and (4) wide I/O interface (or 2.5D IC integration). In this presentation, the supply chains and the critical steps such as FEOL, MOL, BEOL, TSV, MEOL (middle-end-of-line), assembly, and test and their ownerships for high-volume manufacturing for those 4 groups of 3D IC integration will be discussed. The 3D IC packaging, which has been keeping 3D IC integration away from volume production, will be briefly mentioned first. Key enabling technologies such as TSV forming and filling, front and backside metallization, RDL, temporary bonding and de-bonding, and microbumping, assembly and reliability will be presented and discussed. All the materials are based on the papers and books published by the lecturer and others.