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Technical Program

Panel Discussion Sunday 3/06/05 8:00PM

<u>"Thermal Issues Related To Devices Of Today And</u> Tomorrow, What Can We Expect Moving Forward?"

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High Power Burn-In 2005

Packaged Part Burn-In Challenges

- Upward trend in Burn-In Power
 - Voltage dropping
 - Significantly higher currents
- Power is becoming leakage related versus frequency related
- Individual temperature control
 - Helps control part to part to part temperature variation
 - Total oven thermal load is the sum of all part maximums
- Summary: solutions will involve all parts of the system





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Steps – Panel on Thermal

Wafer Level Burn-In Challenges

- Same issues as packaged parts, plus...
- Single dimensional heat removal
- For high performance IC processes
 - Total wafer wattage is fixed
 - Issue is heat density (W/m²⁾
- Most wafers: trivial
- High performance: Should be possible, but not trivial



Contact Temperature Rise

- $\Delta T = I^2 L^2 / 2 \nu \kappa A^2$
 - $-\Delta T$ = Temperature Rise
 - -I = Current
 - -L = Contact Length
 - -A = Cross Sectional Area
 - $-\nu$ = Electrical Conductivity
 - K = Thermal Conductivity



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High-Power Test -> Point-Counterpoint

Customer Expectation on Capital cost

- P Always lower capital costs
- C Increase functionality

> Thermal Control - Mechanical

- P Power levels increasing
- C Die or lid size decreasing

> Power Delivery Demand

- P Technology– lower voltage, higher current, same delivery path
- C High density, moveable BIBs still the demand

> Total Cost of Ownership

- P Automation centric solutions are ripe for lowering TCO
- C Customers unwilling to make the conceptual change

