

# LHS<sup>®</sup> XTS<sup>™</sup> PROPAGATION PREVENTION & THERMAL MANAGEMENT PRODUCT

## XTS POUCH

**XTS products rely on a proprietary gel and novel containment design to address both thermal runaway and thermal performance concerns in lithium-ion battery (LiB) applications.**

Key thermal properties have multiple functions for LiB thermal management:

- Enhanced specific heat capacity and thermal conductivity for tailored cooling behavior during normal pack operations
- Excellent thermal barrier and energy conversion properties through use of a high latent heat PCM which provides both cell-to-cell and ejecta thermal protection
- Custom design approach to achieve optimized thermal performance with reduced weight, which is scalable to a diversity of LiB formats

## CUSTOMIZED XTS POUCH



### CUSTOMIZED FOR:

- Cell Spacing
- Cell holder designs
- Connectors/BMS configurations

## CONFORMABLE XTS POUCH



### GEOMETRY APPLIED BASED ON:

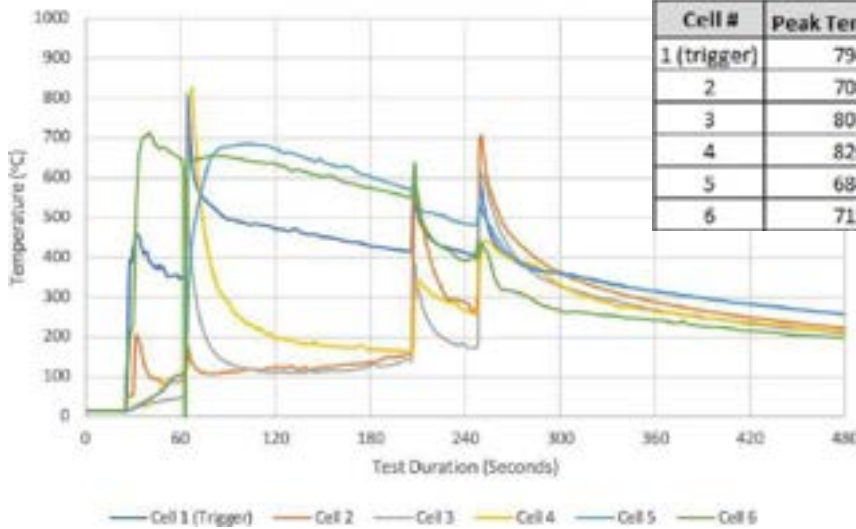
- Assembly process
- Safety vs performance needs
- Weight restrictions

# THERMAL RUNAWAY PROTECTION

**XTS is designed to prevent thermal runaway by:**

- Capture and Convert Thermal Energy
  - XTS vaporized into a non-combustible vapor that absorbs thermal energy
- Quench and Extinguish Flaming
  - Non-combustible vapor limits oxygen availability
- Blocking or Deflecting Ejecta
  - Novel heat deflection/thermal barrier properties can be tailored for specific needs. Its high specific heat capacity provides better thermal balancing during standard operating conditions

Nail Penetration without XTS



**TEST ARTICLE DESTROYED**

Cell #	Peak Temp. (°C)
1 (trigger)	794
2	708
3	801
4	826
5	684
6	715

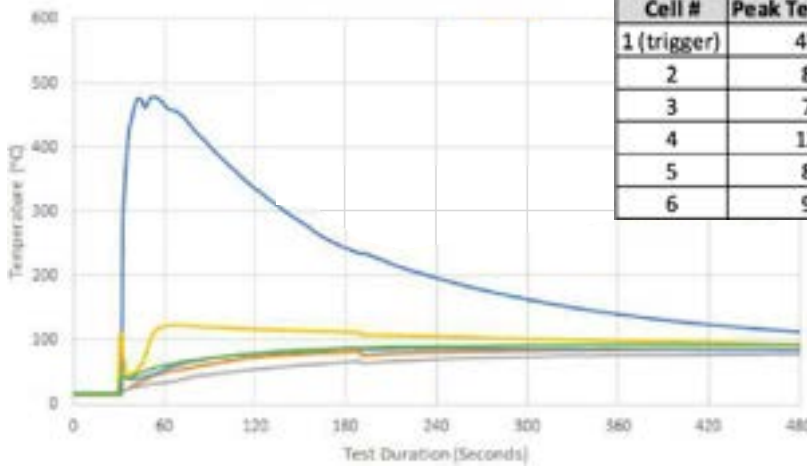


**PRE-TEST**



**POST TEST**

Nail Penetration with XTS



**THERMAL RUNAWAY PREVENTED**

Cell #	Peak Temp. (°C)
1 (trigger)	479
2	87
3	79
4	124
5	89
6	93

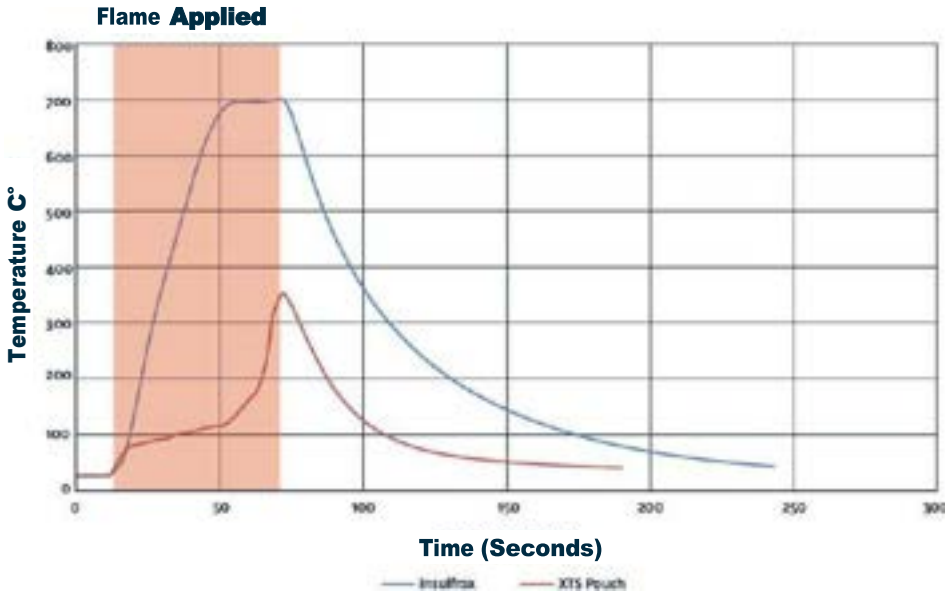


**PRE-TEST**



**POST TEST**

**XTS Pouches can out compete traditional insulation materials and provide a more effective flame barrier:**



**AFTER TORCH TEST**



**Side exposed to flame**



**Backside**

XTS pouch immediately self-extinguishes upon multiple applications of a propane torch at 1200°C. No flame penetration/damage on reverse side of flame application.

**TYPICAL PHYSICAL PROPERTIES**

Density:	1.1 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Thermal Conductivity:	1.0 W/mK
Specific Heat Capacity:	4.0 J/g/°C
Phase Transition:	95-110°C
Thermal Absorption:	2000 J/g
Coefficient Thermal Expansion (volumetric):	Pliable; reference 300-400 x 10 <sup>-6</sup> /K @ 30-70°C
Bulk Electrical Resistivity:	6x10 <sup>13</sup> Ω cm
Shore Hardness:	Pliable
Laminate Thickness:	115µm+/-5%
Laminate Strength:	>22.5N/15mm
ROHS Compliance:	Compliant

## XTS POUCH: ALTERNATIVE FILL OPTIONS

XTS pouches can also be designed with other fill materials to meet specific thermal management needs, specifically using traditional solid-to-liquid based PCMs including Fill & Flow products.

### TYPICAL PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Density:	0.85-0.97 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Thermal Conductivity:	0.74-1 W/mK (xy-plane)
Specific Heat Capacity:	1.85-2.35 J/g/°C*
Phase Transition:	35-85°C**
Thermal Absorption:	160-200 J/g***
Thermal Expansion (volumetric):	Pliable; up to 3% volume change @PTT
Bulk Electrical Resistivity:	6x10 <sup>13</sup> Ω cm
Shore Hardness:	Pliable depending on fill material
Laminate Thickness:	115µm+/-5%
Laminate Strength:	>22.5N/15mm
ROHS Compliance:	Compliant

\*Reference F&F table below for typical heat capacity ranges

\*\*Reference F&F table below for typical PTT ranges

\*\*\*Reference F&F table below; based on 10% of total mass being pouch material

LHS Product	LHS F&F-89	LHS F&F-90R	LHS F&F-91	LHS F&F-92	LHS F&F-93
Temperature (PPT):	35-39 °C	42-46 °C	49-51 °C	53-57 °C	59-63 °C
Latent Heat:	210-230 kJ/kg	180-200 kJ/kg	200-220 kJ/kg	200-220 kJ/kg	210-230 kJ/kg
Specific Gravity @ 22°C:	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8
Viscosity Above PTT (CPS):	25-100	25-100	25-100	25-100	25-100
Operating Temp. Range:	-10-120°C	-10-120°C	-10-120°C	-10-120°C	-10-120°C
Volume Resistivity:	1.1 x10 <sup>15</sup> Ωcm	4.3 x10 <sup>13</sup> Ωcm	4.5 x10 <sup>13</sup> Ωcm	4.5 x10 <sup>13</sup> Ωcm	4.5 x10 <sup>13</sup> Ωcm
Dielectric Constant:	2.04	3.05	3.05	3.05	3.05
Dielectric Strength**:	21.71 MV/m	36.63 MV/m	35.63 MV/m	35.63 MV/m	35.63 MV/m
RoHS Compliance:	Compliant	Compliant	Compliant	Compliant	Compliant
Avg. Specific Heat Capacity, Cp-Below PTT*	1.85 J/g ·°C	1.90 J/g ·°C	1.90 J/g ·°C	1.90 J/g ·°C	1.90 J/g ·°C
Avg. Specific Heat Capacity, Cp-Above PTT*	2.35 J/g ·°C	2.45 J/g ·°C	2.45 J/g ·°C	2.45 J/g ·°C	2.45 J/g ·°C
Avg. Thermal Conductivity, - Below PTT*	0.35 W/m·k	0.35 W/m·k	0.35 W/m·k	0.35 W/m·k	0.35 W/m·k
Avg. Thermal Conductivity, - Above PTT*	0.25 W/m·k	0.25 W/m·k	0.25 W/m·k	0.25 W/m·k	0.25 W/m·k

\*viscosity determined at 20°C above the transition temperature

\*\*Other phase transition temperatures up to 130°C are available

\*Similar to most solid and liquid materials, the specific heat capacity and thermal conductivity have insignificant change above and below the transition temperature.

\*\*Tested at 3 mm thickness



# XTS THERMAL MANAGEMENT

XTS pouches provide a passive thermal solution to challenges observed in many battery applications where heat generation during standard operation can have lasting damage to the battery.

XTS specifically addresses this through:

- Tailorable heat absorbing materials using either the XTS gel or other PCM-based fill materials
- Achieving maximum heat absorption at the lowest possible weight due to configurable pouch design
- Higher overall effective thermal conductivity compared to traditional passive solutions

