# Statshield<sup>®</sup> Moisture Barrier Bags Application Instructions





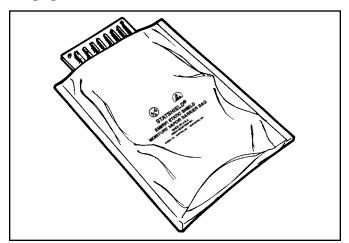


Figure 1. Desco Statshield® Moisture Barrier Bag

# Description

Desco Statshield® Moisture Barrier Bags combine the properties of a MOISTURE BARRIER protection with EMI-RFI-ESD shielding. Statshield® Moisture Barrier Bags meet the electrical and physical requirements of ANSI/ESD S20.20, Packaging standard ANSI/ESD S541, and Static Control Bag ANSI/ESD S11.4. All Statshield® Moisture Barrier Bags are amide, amine, and silicone free and pass outgassing and corrosion tests. All bags are printed with ESD protective symbol and the Moisture-Sensitive Identification Label and are dated and lot coded for quality control traceability.

All three styles are available in a variety of standard sizes, custom sizes and with custom printing.

# Desco offers three styles of Moisture Barrier Bags: Moisture Barrier Bags

- Static Control Bag ANSI/ESD S11.4 Level 2
- Thickness .0035" (.0889mm)
- Moisture Barrier Transfer Rate (MVTR) ≤ 0.020
- Puncture Resistance >20 lbs

### **High Moisture Barrier Bags**

- Static Control Bag ANSI/ESD S11.4 Level 2
- Thickness .0065" (.1651mm)
- Moisture Barrier Transfer Rate (MVTR) ≤ 0.014
- Puncture Resistance >30 lbs

### Foil (EMI/RFI) Moisture Barrier Bag

- Static Control Bag ANSI/ESD S11.4 Level 1
- Thickness .0040" (.1061mm)
- Moisture Barrier Transfer Rate (MVTR) ≤ 0.0003
- Puncture Resistance >27 lbs

### Notes:

Thickness - Typical value. Nominal ±10% per MIL-STD-3010 1003

Moisture Barrier Transfer Rate (MVTR) - Measured per ASTM F1249 (≤ 0.014g/100sq. in./24 hours)

Puncture Resistance – measured per MIL-STD-3010 2065

### Construction

Desco's Statshield® Moisture Barrier Bags manufactured from a static dissipative metalized laminated film. The metal layer of the Desco's Statshield® Moisture Barrier Bags and Statshield® High Moisture Barrier Bags is created by vacuum deposited manufacturing technique. This manufacturing technique allows for a more flexible finished bags that is less likely to tear or rip during use. Finished bags with foil layer, such as Desco's Statshield® Foil Moisture Barrier Bags provides a better moisture barrier and is a good choice when having to meet IPC/JEDEC J-STD-033 Standard.

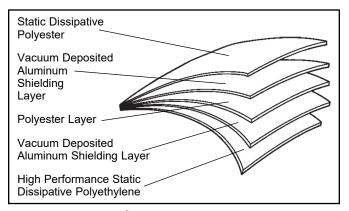


Figure 2. Statshield® MBB bag and High Moisture MBB Bag Layer construction.

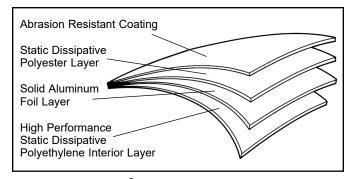


Figure 3. Statshield® Foil (EMI/RFI) MBB Bag Layer construction

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# **Dry Packing Information**

The Statshield® Moisture Barrier Bag, Desiccant Packs and Humidity Indicator Cards have been developed for use in "DRY PACKAGING" applications. In order for the MBB bag and its accessories to perform properly, Desco recommends the user follow procedures defined in IPC/JEDEC J-STD-033B.

### **DESICCANT**

Desiccant is a drying agent used to lower the moisture content of air within a closed space, such as a sealed Moisture Barrier bag. Desiccant is packaged in fractional units in order to facilitate its usage with a variety of bag sizes. One full "unit" of packaged desiccant will absorb the following quantities of water at equilibrium with air at 77°F (25°C): 3.00 grams @ 20% rH and 6.00 grams @ 40% rH, when tested to MIL-D-3464.

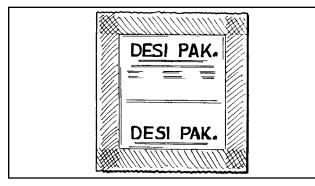


Figure 4. Desiccant packs

In order to provide a complete moisture barrier packaging system, desiccant must be inserted into the bag, prior to having the bag vacuum sealed. The recommended amount of desiccant is dependent on the interior surface area of the bag to be used. Figure 5 is a reference table indicating recommended minimum amounts of desiccant that should be used with Moisture Barrier Bags.

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2.0	1.5	1.0
2.0	1.5	1.5
2.5	2.0	1.5
3.0	2.0	1.5
4.0	2.5	2.0
4.5	3.0	2.5
5.0	3.5	2.5
5.5	4.0	3.0
6.5	4.5	3.5
7.5	5.0	4.0
8.0	5.5	4.0
9.0	6.0	4.5
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Figure 5. Table for recommended desiccant usage. Information taken out of EIA-583, Table 1, Page 8

Desiccant packs are available from Desco in the following unit sizes and standard packages:

Item #	Unit Size	Std. Package
<u>13840</u>	1/2 unit - 1.5" x 3"	Box of 700
<u>13843</u>	1 unit - 2" x 4"	Box of 450
<u>13844</u>	1/2 unit - 2" x 4"	Pail of 300
<u>13850</u>	1/2 unit - 1.5" x 3"	Pail of 550

Desiccant packs sold by Desco meet the requirements of MIL-D-3464. For more detailed information, see Drawing <u>13850</u>.

#### **HUMIDITY INDICATOR CARDS**

Humidity Indicator Cards contain chemically impregnated, humidity sensitive, indicating spots that will change color with moisture. The comparison bar is used to determine relative humidity of air. Select the indicating spot that most closely matches the color of the comparison bar. The measured relative humidity is the percentage indicated on the matching spot. The chemical reaction of the indicating spots is completely reversible; the spots will continue to change color as the moisture levels change.

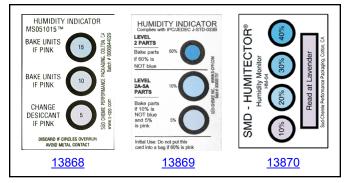


Figure 5. Humidity Indicator Cards

Item#	Card Size	Std. Package	Relative Humidity
<u>13868</u>	2" x 3"	125 pcs/can	5/10/15
<u>13869</u>	2" x 3"	125 pcs/can	5/10/60
<u>13870</u>	2" x 3"	100 pcs/can	10/20/30/40

# COBALT-DICHLORIDE FREE HUMIDITY INDICATOR CARDS

Cobalt-Dichloride Free Humidity Indicator (HI) Cards provide electronic and semiconductor manufacturers with a JEDEC complaint humidity indicator card that is free of Cobalt-Dichloride, a chemical regulated under European Chemical Bureau (ECB) REACH-directives.

\*MIH - Maximum Interior Humidity.

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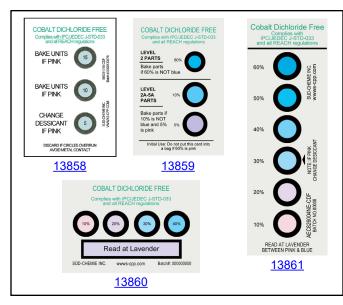


Figure 6. Cobalt-Dichloride Free Humidity Indicator Cards

ltem#	Card Size	Std. Package	Relative Humidity
<u>13858</u>	2" x 3"	125 pcs/can	5/10/15
<u>13859</u>	2" x 3"	125 pcs/can	5/10/60
<u>13860</u>	2" x 3"	100 pcs/can	10/20/30/40
<u>13861</u>	1.56" x 4.75"	200 pcs/can	10/20/30/40/50/60

# **Specifications**

Moisture Barrier Bag .0035" (.0889mm)

### **Electrical Properties**

Resistance of polyester layer  $1 \times 10^4$  to <  $1 \times 10^{11}$  ohms per ANSI/ESD STM11.11

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EMI Shielding (dB between 1 and 10 GHz) 45dB

Energy Penetration <10nJ per ANSI/ESD S11.31

### **Physical Properties**

Thickness (nominal) 0.0035" (.0889mm) per MIL-STD-3010 1003 MVTR (grams / 100 in<sup>2</sup> / 24 hrs, 100°F) ≤0.02 per **ASTM F 1249** Puncture Strength (lb) ≥20 per FTMS 101-C, MIL-STD-2065

For more detailed information, see Drawing 13806.

# Foil Moisture Barrier Bag .0040" (.1016mm)

### **Electrical Properties**

Resistance of polyester outer layer  $1 \times 10^4 \text{ to } < 1 \times 10^{11} \text{ ohms per}$ ANSI/ESD STM11.11

Resistance of polyethylene inner layer  $1 \times 10^4$  to  $< 1 \times 10^{11}$  ohms per ANSI/ESD STM11.11

EMI Shielding (dB between 1 and 10 GHz) 45dB

Energy Penetration <10nJ per ANSI/ESD S11.31

### **Physical Properties**

Thickness (nominal) 0.0040" (.1016mm) per MIL-STD-3010 2065

MVTR (≤ 0.014g/100sq. in./24 hours) ≤0.0003 per ASTM F 1249

Puncture Strength (lb) ≥25 per FTMS 101-C, MIL-STD-3010 2065

For more detailed information, see Drawing <u>13950</u>.

# High Moisture Barrier Bag .0065" (.1651mm)

### **Electrical Properties**

Resistance of polyester outer layer  $1 \times 10^4$  to  $< 1 \times 10^{11}$  ohms per ANSI/ESD STM11.11

Resistance of polyethylene inner layer  $1 \times 10^4 \text{ to} < 1 \times 10^{11} \text{ ohms per}$ ANSI/ESD STM11.11

**EMI Shielding** 45dB

Energy Penetration <10nJ per ANSI/ESD S11.31

# **Physical Properties**

Thickness (nominal) 0.0065" (.1651mm) per MIL-STD-3010 1003 MVTR (≤ 0.014g /100sq. in./24 hours) 0.005 per ASTM F 1249 Puncture Strength (lb) 30 per FTMŠ 101-C, MIL-STD-3010 2065

For more detailed information, see Drawing 13760.

See Bag Selection Chart Click HERE.

See Shielding Bag Storage at TB-7057.

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