



## Screen printing **BrazeLet® Ni5P-9003**

### Alloy Application BrazeLet BNi5

Naming	Ni650 according to ISO 17672 BNi-5 according to ANSI/AWS A5.8
Composition	B-Ni71CrSi according to ISO 17672 and ANSI/AWS A5.8
Melting temperature	1,080-1,135°C (1,976-2,075°F)
Min. brazing temperature	1,150°C (2,102°F)
Impurities	According to ISO 17672 and ANSI/AWS A5.8

### Paste Application Screen Printing

Metal content	90%
Powder size	<63 µm
Typical density	4.0 g/cm³
Flash point of solvent	>100°C (212°F)
Recommended drying	120-170°C (250-340°F)
Evaporation temperature of binder	Approx. 300-400°C (570-750°F)
Cleaning	Aliphatic solvents or Bio based solvents
Shelf life	12 months / 6 months in cartridge
Storage	Origin closed at 4 to 35°C (39-95°F)
Typical Viscosity, Brookfield T-spindle D with Hellpath, Speed 2.5 rpm, 20°C (70°F)	300 Pas

The nickel (Ni) based brazing alloy **BrazeLet BNi5** is suitable for brazing stainless steel or super alloy materials in vacuum or protective atmosphere. It provides excellent high temperature strength, oxidation and corrosion resistance, making it a good choice for applications such as catalytic converters, heat exchangers and gas turbines. It is suitable for thin-walled components due to limited dissolution of the base material.

As **BrazeLet BNi5** is sensitive to gap thickness, it is recommended that gaps do not exceed 50 µm. Wider gaps risk the formation of a crack-sensitive brittle centre line. A diffusion heat treatment can be considered to dissolve the brittle silicides for larger gap clearances up to 100 µm.

The brazing paste **BrazeLet Ni5P-9003** is typically in use for printing thin paste layers of about 0.05 to 0.1 mm on flat plates, on top of structured plates or fins by use of screens or stencils. A typical application is the printing on parts for flat heat exchangers. The use of rubber squeegees is recommended. Reliable printing requires a precise positioning fixture combined with the use of vacuum table or clamping device. Typical printing speed is 300 mm/s. Thin printing lines should have a width of >0.3 mm, small dots diameter should be >1 mm.

The solvent based brazing paste **BrazeLet Ni5P-9003** increases productivity wherever drying of the paste is an issue. The paste has no settlement and no stirring is required in the equipment. However, when opening a can from stock it is always recommended to stir the paste.

The printed parts can be dried with standard drying process (hot air) at 120°C-170°C. The drying time varies depending on thermal mass, design of the parts and the used furnace and needs to be established.