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The HOTFLOW 4/8 is the shortest reflow system in the new HOTFLOW 4 series. This system, with a process length of 3,25 meters split into 8 heating zones and 1 cooling zone and characterized by its high energy efficiency, provides a vastly increased throughput while maintaining the customary high process- and soldering quality.

The reduction of operating cost is based on the use of economical and efficient fan motors, which reduce the consumption of power, and on the superior control of the N2 system, which reduces the consumption of N2 by 20 %. All in all, total energy saving is in the range of 25%.

From a productivity versus floor space requirement standpoint, the HOTFLOW 4 sets the industry standard. With dual or triple track options, it is possible to increase throughput considerably without increasing floor space! Tracks run at their own set speed and at their own PCB width for maximum flexibility. It is now possible to run as many as three different products simultaneously at three different set speeds and widths. Only highest quality materials have been used in order to guarantee the highest machine availability. Finally, all major parts are exchangeable within only minutes in order to keep machine downtime to an absolute minimum.



Grip conveyor for extremely thin PCB or flexfoils



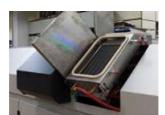
Multi track conveyor for variable PCB width



Efficient cooling in outfeed section



Retractable nozzle sheets for quick maintenance



Optimized access to maintenance units



Ersa Autoprofiler: Easy offline profiling for highest machine uptimes.

Software-Highlights

- New process control software (EPC)
- Ersasoft process data recorder
- Ersasoft user friendly machine control
- Auto profiler for rapid offline profiling
- Standby & sleep mode
- Job management

Unique Technology Advantages

- Dual, triple track transport increases throughput
- Energy efficient fan motors
- Optimized heat transfer, minimized Delta T, zone separation & temperature controlled cooling
- 100 % tested process tunnel (gas sealed)
- Lowest energy and N2 consumption
- New process control software
- Best machine uptime
- Without any tool retractable heating modules
- Ultra low-mass center support
- Energy efficient blower motors

Features HOTFLOW 4/8		
Bottom-side preheating, 3 convection modules		
Adjustable fan speed in cooling and soldering zones		
Adjustable fan speed in preheating zones		
Nitrogen equipment		
Residual oxygen monitoring		
Nitrogen consumption measurement		
Temperature monitoring of the cooling zone		
Basic cooling top		
Power Cooling with 3 convection modules		
top/bottom, controlled cooling zone 1		
External cold water supply		
Low-mass conveyor 560 mm		
Low-mass track conveyor 1		
Adjustable speed for each track conveyor		
Low-mass support tubes, 540 mm/21" width		
Low-mass center support 1 to 2 with uninterrupted rest		
Safety conveyor		
Program controlled width adjustment		
for conveyors and center support		
Automatic chain lubrication		
PC with TFT screen		
TFT touch screen		
Status indication light		
Emergency power supply (transport, hood, SPS, PC)		
Temperature measurement device (Sensor Shuttle)		
Ersa process control (EPC)		
Online servicing		
Auto Profiler		
Energy measurement		
Energy consumption calculation		

Standard **■** / Option □



Specifications

Model	HOTFLOW 4/8
Pinconsis of the six marking)	
Dimensions (basic machine)	3.905 mm
Length	
Width	1.410 mm
Height	1.350 – 1.500 mm
Height (open)	1.670 – 1.820 mm
Weight	approx. 2.500 kg
Paint	RAL 7035/7016
Conveyor system	
Working width	45 – 560 mm
Working width (PCB center support)	45 – 560 mm
Board clearance (standard)	+35/-40 mm
Center support pin height	18 mm
Conveyor speed	20 – 200 cm/min
Conveyor height from floor	820 – 980 mm
Pin-and-chain conveyor	3 mm edge clearance. option: 4 mm. 5 mm
Process zone	
Process length	3.260 mm
Heating zone	1.525 mm
Cooling zone	1.735 mm
Infeed zone	620 mm
Process chamber width	approx. 745m
Heating system	·'
Convection share	100 %
Gas flow/module	approx. 500 m ³ / h. adjustable
Convection modules	4 top / 4 bottom
Preheating	3 top / 3 bottom (option)
Soldering zone	1 top / 1 bottom
Nominal rating per module	3.3 kW
Cooling	0.0 KH
Cooling zone	3-stage version and water recooling
Coolant	water / R134A (option) / air
Ambient temperature	max. 32°C (90°F)
Nitrogen option	∏dx. 32 € (70 F)
Gas injection Pressure control	in process zones 4.5 – 10 bar
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Electrical data	5 ·
Power	5-wire-system. 3 x 400 V. N. PE
Power tolerance range	+/-10 %
Frequency	50/60 Hz
Max. fuse rating	3 x 50 A
ominal rating (subject to configuration)	55 kW
Reduced rating	25 kW
Continuous rating for operation	ca. 6 – 8 KW
Exhaust rating	
Exhaust stacks	2 stacks. 150 mm (6") ø each
Exhaust volume per stack	300 m³/ h - 600 m³/ h
Exhaust monitoring per stack	integrated
Noise level	
Permanent noise level	< 70 dB (A)
Safety devices	