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Boron Nitride Coatings for General Brazing and Welding Operations

- Stop-Off to keep bonding material off of unwanted areas
- Weld Spatter Release to easily remove the spatter from surrounding areas

Yttrium Oxide Coatings for Diffusion-Bonding Operations

- Barrier Layer / Stop-Off to keep bonding material off of unwanted areas
- Useful to very high temperatures in vacuum and inert atmospheres

USE AREAS

Wherever Braze Flow needs to be Restricted

- a. Water-based <u>BN Lubricoat PW-DIL</u> ... pre-diluted and ideal for air-spraying; vacuum to 1400 C / inert to 1800 C / air to 1000 C
- Others: BN Lubricoat, BN Lubricoat Blue Spray, BN Lubricoat Paste, BN Lubricoat Paste, BN Lubricoat ZA Paste, BN Releasecoat PM, BNW Paste, BNA Paste, BN Lubricoat ZV, BN Aerosol Lubricoat

II. Areas Where Welding Spatter Collects

- a. Solvent-based <u>BN Aerosol Lubricoat</u> (spray-can) applied before welding; vacuum to 1400 C / inert to 1800 C / air to 1000 C
- b. Solvent-based <u>BN Aerosol Brushable</u> (bulk paint) ... vacuum to 1400 C / inert to 1800 C / air to 1000 C
 Others: BN Releasecoat PM, BN Lubricoat, BN Lubricoat Blue Spray, BN Lubricoat PW-DIL

III. Fixtures Where Material Collects during Bonding (prevents sticking)

- a. Water-based **BN Hardcoat** ... to 900 C all atmospheres
- b. Others: BN Hardcoat CM, BN Cera Dip, BN Lubricoat ZV
- IV. Gun Nozzles that Clog from Buildup (prevents sticking)
 - a. Water-based BN Hardcoat ... to 900 C all atmospheres
 - b. Others: BN Hardcoat CM, BN Cera Dip, BN Lubricoat ZV
- V. Diffusion Bonding (*Vacuum*) of Special Metals (Titanium, Superalloys, etc.), Barrier Layer
 - a. Water-based <u>Type Y</u> ... to 2000 C vacuum
 - b. Others: Type YK, Y Aerosol, Y Aerosol Brushable
- VI. Diffusion Bonding (Air) of Special Metals, Barrier Layer
 - a. Water-based <u>Yttria Stop-Off</u> ... to 1000 C air, all atmospheres
 - b. Solvent-based <u>Y Aerosol</u> (spray-can) ... to 1900 C air/vacuum/inert
 - c. Solvent-based <u>Y Aerosol Brushable</u> (bulk paint) ... to 1900 C air/vacuum/inert

VII. Brazing at High-Temperatures in Air Above 1000 C

[Do not use Boron Nitride coatings above 1000 C in air atmosphere!]

- a. Solvent-based <u>Y Aerosol</u> (spray-can) ... to 1900 C air/vacuum/inert
- b. Solvent-based <u>Y Aerosol Brushable</u> (bulk paint) ... to 1900 C air/vacuum/inert
- c. Solvent-based A Aerosol (spray-can) ... to 1800 C air/vacuum/inert
- d. Solvent-based <u>A Aerosol Brushable</u> (bulk paint) ... to 1800 C air/vacuum/inert

COATINGS

All the above coatings provide nonsticking and easy release with brazing, welding, and diffusionbonding processes ...

I. Brazing

- **a.** Stops molten filler metal from touching and brazing metal parts and from running over into unwanted areas.
- b. Keeps holes and cut/milled areas from filling with metal
- **c.** Provides excellent release

II. Welding

- a. Stops sticking of weld spatter that would be difficult to remove
- **b.** Prevents buildup on fixtures
- c. Keeps gun nozzles from clogging/buildup
- d. Easy release

III. Diffusion-Bonding

- a. Barrier layer stops bonding where not desired
- b. Does not lead to "alpha case" with Titanium processing
- c. Utilizes very thermodynamically-stable Yttrium Oxide (Y₂O₃) as active ingredient
- d. Prevents contamination of the bond region