

# nanoGUARD










































## Unparalleled Automotive PCBA Protection

actnano's revolutionary Advanced nanoGUARD™ technology is disrupting the coatings industry with its unique ability to protect 100% of PCBA electronics from condensation, humidity, and salt without impacting signal integrity. nanoGUARD is currently protecting electronics on over 2 million production vehicles, including 80% of EVs in North America. Let us develop a custom, 3D protection solution for your complex systems providing maximum coverage while also increasing manufacturing efficiency.

- Coat connectors and antennas
- Undercoat raised components
- Waterproofs IPx7+
- Fluorine Free
- Connect-thru technology, no masking required
- Protects from liquids, condensation, humidity, salt
- Withstands -40° C to 200° C
- Maintain high speed signal integrity
- Use existing automated spray equipment
- Easy rework
- 100% safe materials
- Lightweight
- No touch transfer
- Ready to assemble within 30 seconds



# An Innovative Surface Protection Technology that Outperforms Traditional Coatings & Seals

		MECHANICAL SEALS	TRADITIONAL CONFORMAL COATING	VAPOR DEPOSITION
<b>REQUIREMENTS</b>				
FULL PROTECTION	 Passes OEM req.; undercoats	 UV, moisture & drop; condensation	 Not 100%; no undercoat; masking	 No UV dye; QC challenge
CONDENSATION / IMMERSION	 Up to IPX8	 Cracking issues	 Not 100%	 Not 100%
TOTAL COST	 Lowest overall cost	 Adds weight, material, SKUs and assembly steps	 Masking; cure and difficult to rework	 Expensive equipment; batch; mask; can't rework
SUSTAINABILITY	 Lightweight; Fluorine-free	 Weight decreases EV range	 Fluorine/VOC	 Harsh chemicals
OPERATING TEMP	 -40° to 200° C	 Comparable to actnano	 Cracking and bubbling	 Comparable to actnano
RF ATTENUATION	 Negligible, including 5G	 No RF Interference	 Significant	 Thin, but not RF neutral
THERMAL NEUTRALITY	 Similar to non-coated	 Casing heat entrapment	 Major heat entrapment; CTE concerns	 Non-thermal neutral
MASKING	 None; entire board 3D coverage	 Not needed	 Masking required	 Masking required
DESIGN CONSTRAINTS	 No impact on design	 Limited to rigid	 Not flexible; cracks	 Comparable to actnano
WEIGHT	 Negligible	 Multiple grams +	 Comparable; higher thickness	 Comparable to actnano

