

Compo-SiL[®]

Applications of
Flexible Hybrid Electronics (FHE)





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PART 1

About *Compo-SiL*[®]

General Silicones has developed a better solution for eco-friendly, sustainable, highly durable, printable, laminable and flexible *Compo-SiL*[®] polymer composite substrate that comes with unlimited possibilities as an emerging material.



Adhesion Problems of **Silicone Rubber**

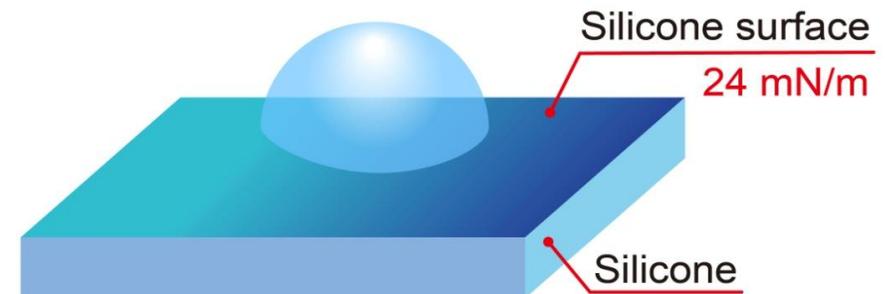
Silicone is one of the bio-friendly and sustainable materials . Despite that, adhesion problems of cured silicone rubber hampered mass production. The **low surface energy (LSE)** of 24 mN/m of cured silicone rubber makes it difficult to use for good adhesion.

Solid Surface	Critical Surface Tension (mN/m)
Polytetrafluoroethylene (PTFE)	18.5
Silicone	24
Poly (vinylidene fluoride)	25
Polyethylene (PE)	31
Polypropylene (PP)	31
Polystyrene	33
Poly (vinyl chloride)	39
Nylon-6,6	43
Poly (ethylene terephthalate) (PET;Polyester)	43
Aluminum	~500
Glass	~1000
Iron Oxide	~1350

Surface energies of common substances

Ref: Adhesion and Adhesives: Science and Technology;
Anthony J. Kinloch, New York: Chapman and Hall (1987)

Lower Surface Energy Poor Wetting



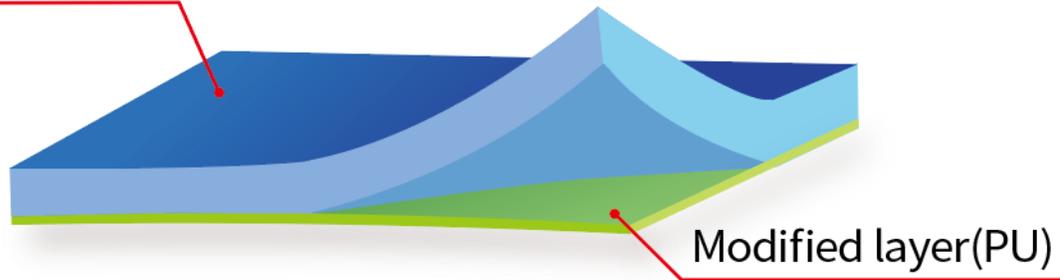


About *Compo-SiL*[®]

Core Value of *Compo-SiL*[®]

With the patented newly silicone surface modified techniques, *Compo-SiL*[®] allows the silicone materials to widely applied to various daily life products.

Silicone layer





Property of Silicone Layer



Highly elastic



Waterproof



Glossy surface



Highly transparent



Thermally conductive



Highly biocompatible



Weather resistance



Hydrolysis resistance



Electrically insulating /conductive



UV resistance



About *Compo-SiL*[®]



Property of Modified Layer



Printable



Laminable



PU foam



High temperature
resistance



Adherable



Overview of Printed Flexible Hybrid Electronic(FHE)

Printing

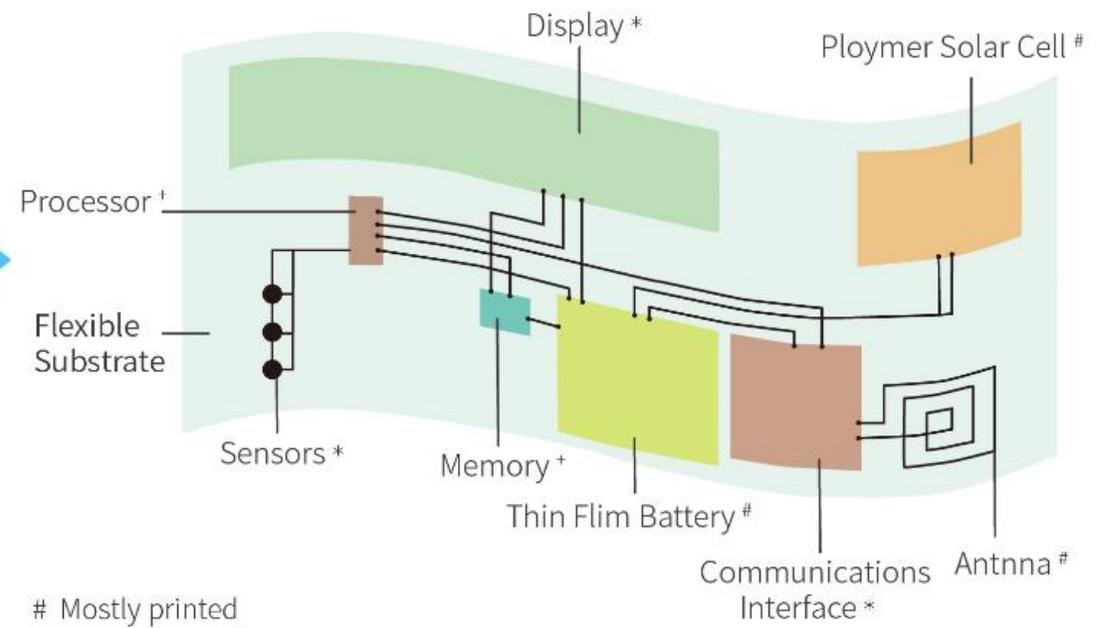


Compo-SiL[®]



Electronics

System on Polymer Concept



Mostly printed
* Can be printed
+ Not usually printed

Source: FlexTech Alliance



Motivation for *Compo-SiL*[®]

- Roll to roll
- Printable
- Laminable
- Flexible/Stretchable
- Wearable (Textile & Skin)
- High Temperature Resistant

PART 2

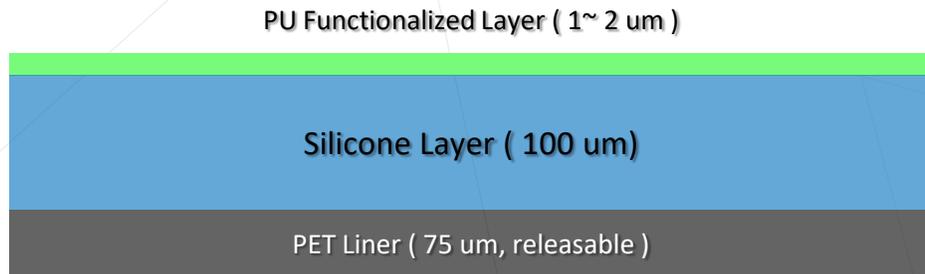
Substrate for Flexible Hybrid Electronics

Development of composite polymer substrates is a need for next generation flexible hybrid electronics. The revolutionary Compo-SiL[®] series product has opened up unlimited possibilities acting as an emerging material and substrate for Flexible Hybrid Electronics.



Substrate portfolio in FHE

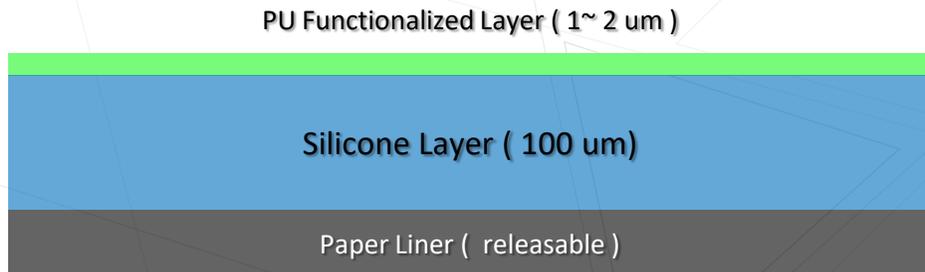
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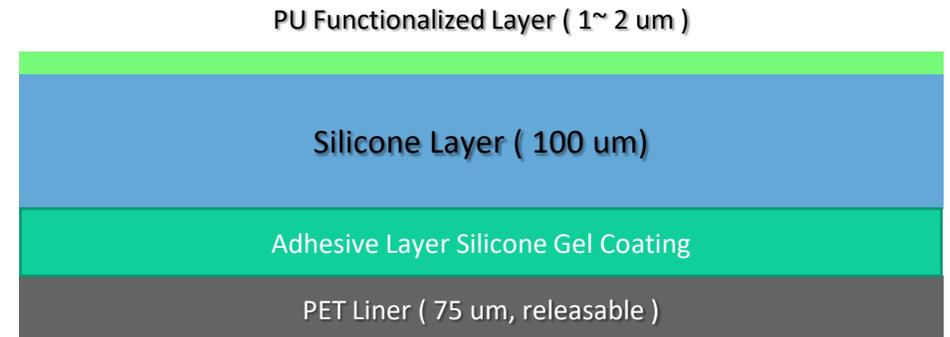
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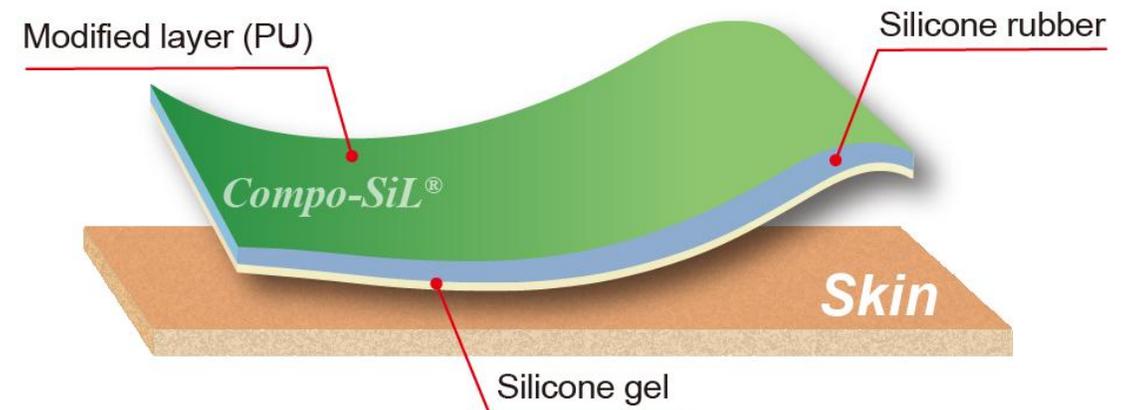
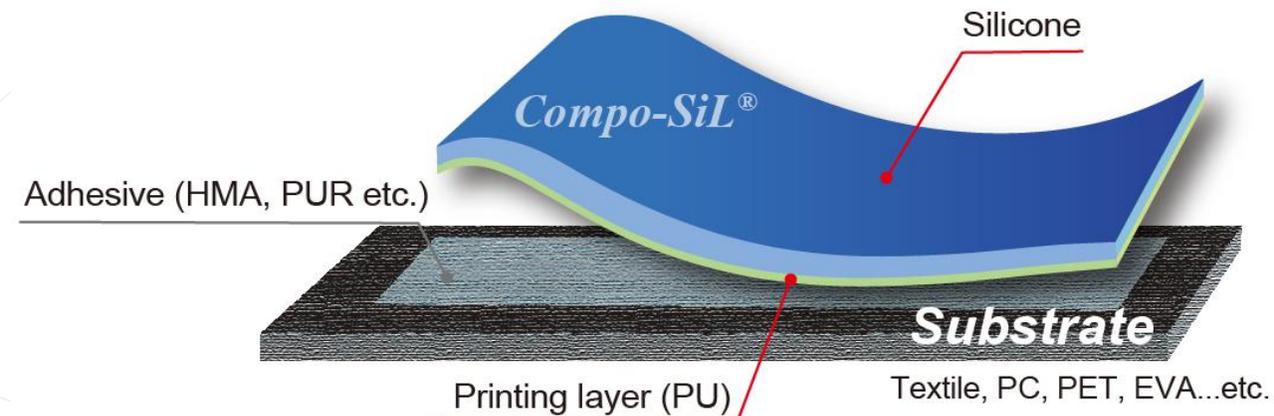




Structure

Smart Textile Applications

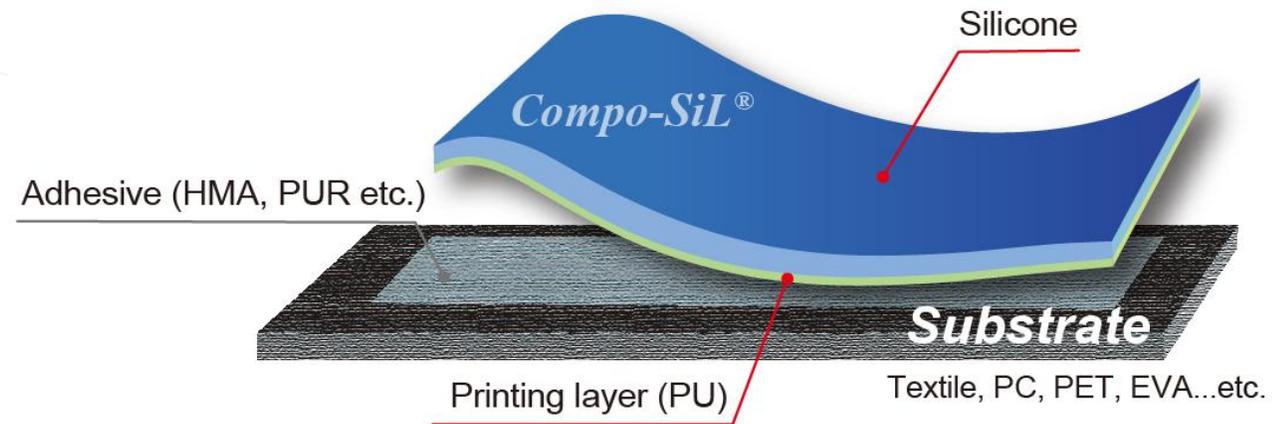
Electronic Skin applications





Smart Textile Substrate

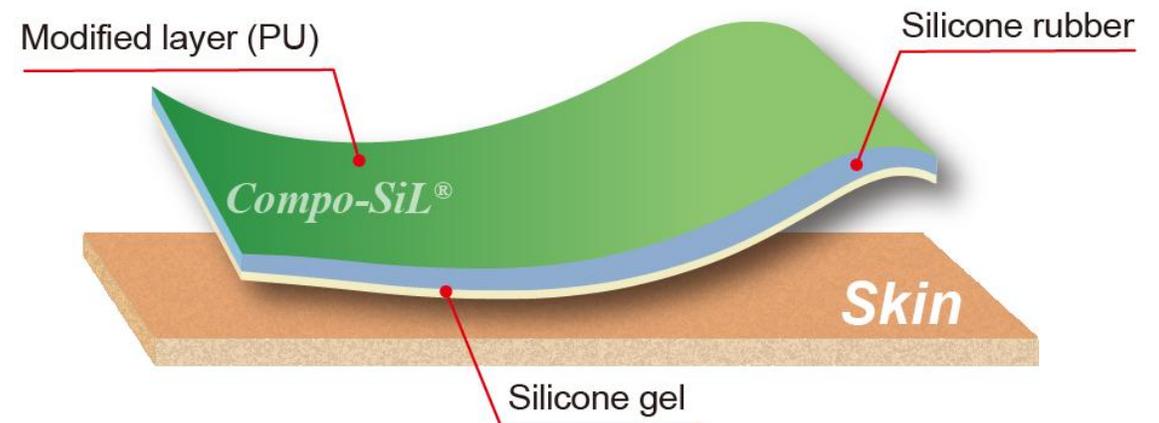
Compo-SiL[®] is an emerging eco-friendly substrate provides a solution of textile binding ability using HMA, printability and laminability at a same time. Having silicone along with a printable and laminable modified layer produced in a large scale roll to roll process opens up the scope of designer clothing and fashion technology.





Electronic Skin Substrate

Compo-SiL[®] Skin is bi-layer thin film structure that can be stuck conformally onto the surface of the skin by soft contact with great adhesion force, having a layer of medical grade reusable silicone gel creating an interface for hybrid electronic devices with seamless skin integration. It is stretchable enough to accommodate strains during natural body motion.



PART 3

Sensor for

Flexible Hybrid Electronics

Development of flexible and stretchable sensors has opened up a lot of application areas ranging from healthcare diagnostics to artificial intelligence. They are basically flexible capacitors or resistors whose value changes due to deformation in the sensor structure (bending or stretching or pressure).



Gesture sensor application



Stretch Sensor (Capacitive / Resistive)

Resistive

- Application: Bio-medical, Robotics
- Properties : Stretchable, Bio-compatible,
Can be attached to textile, Resilient

Capacitive

- Application: Bio-medical, Robotics
- Properties : Stretchable, Bio-compatible,
Resilient



Compo-SiL[®] - Capacitive stretch sensor

<https://youtu.be/GXNq-i-26RU>



Pressure Sensor

Resistive



Application:

- Medical
- Insole sensing
- Intra body pressure measurements

Properties :

-Flexible



PART 4

Other Applications

- I. Printing on *Compo-SiL*[®] substrate
- II. Conductive layer on *Compo-SiL*[®] substrate
- III. Silicone as encapsulate
- IV. Wearable devices

VIDEO:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YFbJawiPGgM>

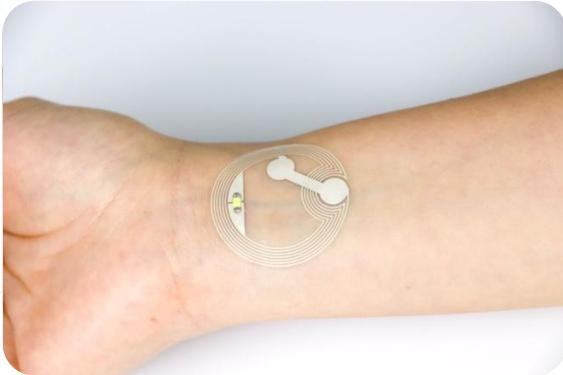


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Applications



NFC Skin



Encapsulation for Circuits



Flexible Heater



RFID Circuit



LED band



Electroluminescent (EL)



Silicone Encapsulation for Circuits

Encapsulate

Application:

Wearable Electronics

Properties :

- Wearable to textile
- UV resistant
- Water repellent
- Laminable
- Washable





NFC Skin

Printed Circuit on *Compo-SiL*[®] Skin Substrate

Application:

- E-skin
- IoT

Properties :

- Bio-compatible
- Printable
- Washable
- Reusable





Applications

NFC skin patch printed on biocompatible silicone

IoT Applications



1. A person's identity at entrance gate
2. Data transfer between devices

Fitness Monitoring



1. Heart rate measurement.
2. Alternative to fitness bands

Medical



1. Diagnostics and monitoring patches.
2. Record Medical Information to Improve Treatment Services.

Payment



1. Without plastic ID cards, credit cards or a mobile phone



RFID Circuit

Printed Circuit on *Compo-SiL*[®] Substrate

Application:

Wearable Electronics

Properties :

- Flexible
- Helps in Product Tracking Skin friendly





Flexible Heater

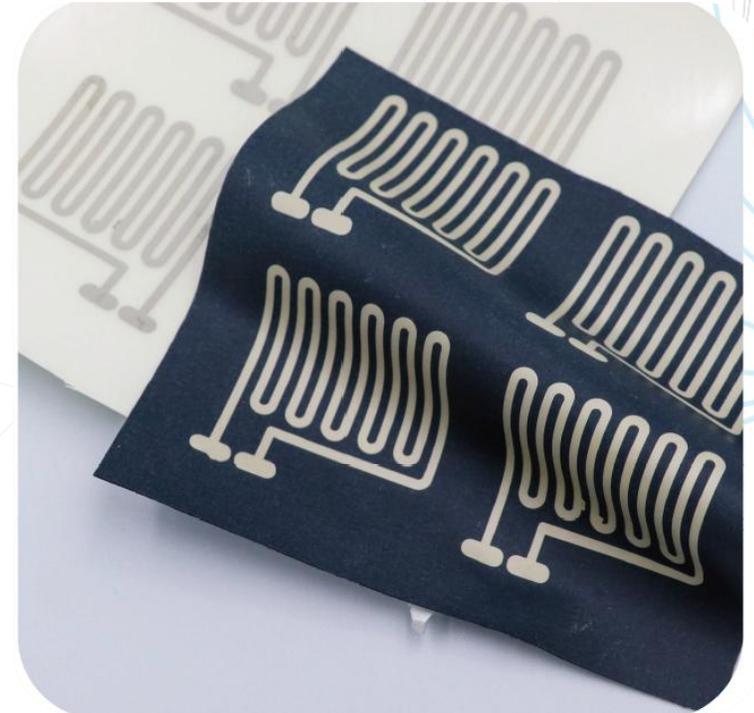
Printed Circuit on *Compo-SiL*[®] Substrate

Application:

Wearable Electronics

Properties :

- Durable
- Skin friendly
- Moisture and chemical resistant
- Easily attachable to textile





Applications

Wearable printed heater based on *Compo-SiL*[®]



Food Service



Automotive Seat Heating



Apparel



Healthcare



Flexible Conductive Substrate

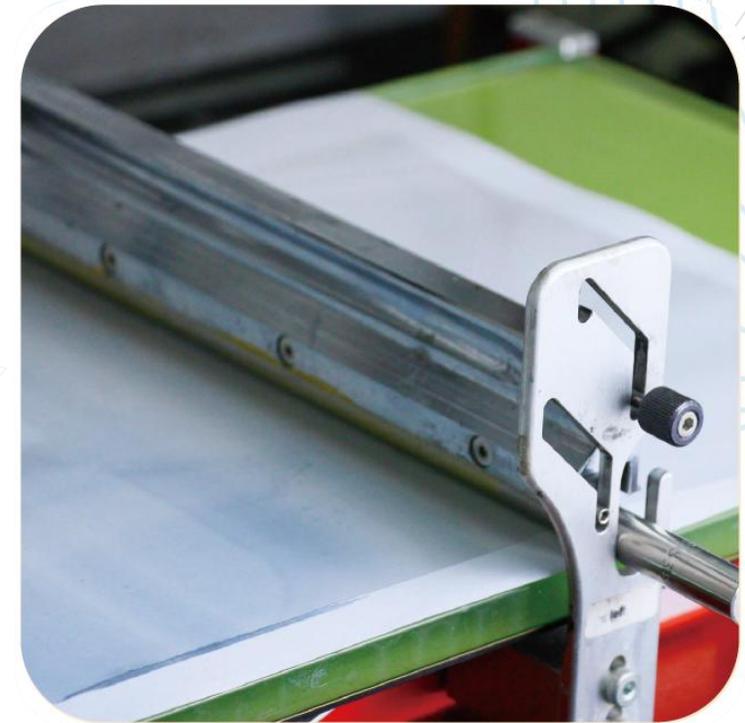
PEDOT:PSS Coating

Application:

Flexible Electrode

Properties :

- Low Sheet Resistance
- Flexible and Bendable Skin friendly





Electroluminescent (EL) Device

Compo-SiL[®] Substrate

Application:

- Smart window
- Athletics
- Decoration

Properties :

- Flexible
- Bendable





LED band

Compo-SiL[®] Substrate

Application:

- Diabetic wound healing

Properties :

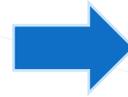
- Waterproof
- Thermally / electrically conductive
- Highly biocompatible
- Faster healing rates
- Skin friendly Bendable





Applications

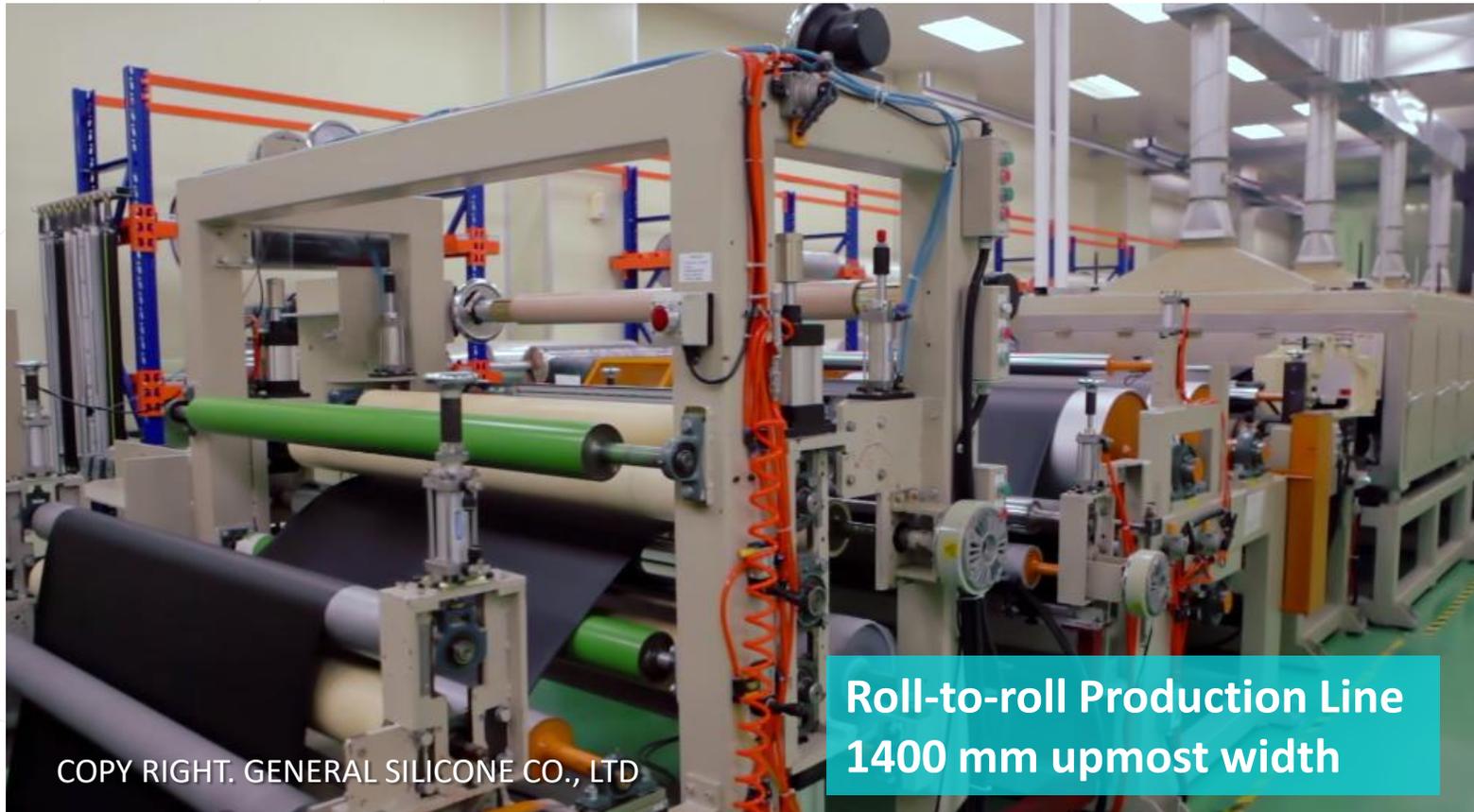
Compo-SiL[®] based LED band for healing wounds



- Faster healing rates in comparison to standard methods.
- Diabetic wound treatments with 635 nm wavelength (red) light.
- Several wavelengths of light have also been used for different types of wounds.



Production Line



Certifications



REACH 205



RoHS 2011/65/EU



HALOGEN



Taiwan Patent



Material ConneXion
Seal of Excellent Material



Q & A

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