

# Apogee™ Bonder

Semi-Automated Temporary Bonder  
With DataStream™ Technology

Accelerate product development and lower production costs with the Apogee™ bonding system. Achieve high yield and throughput without the high cost and complexity of full automation. Maximize your process options with a tool that bonds wafers from 50 to 300 mm and supports all debonding processes.

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## BENEFITS

- Substrate size range: 50–300 mm
- Dual platens heat wafer stack from both sides, minimizing thermal defects
- Self-leveling platens minimize total thickness variation
- Evacuated bond chamber eliminates voids
- Carrier and device are separated during pre-bond evacuation

## PROGRAMMABILITY

- User-friendly touch screen interface and display
- Remote access to the bonder with a familiar browser user interface
- Push notifications sent to any web-enabled device
- Bonding programs: virtually unlimited recipes & steps
- 0.1-second resolution for step times (time: 0–9,999.9 s/step)
- Security: password protection
- View process status and download for offline analysis
- Process traceability for every wafer
- On-line graphical process charts and logs for piston pressure, force, temperature, vacuum, and cycle time
- Update process bonding parameters from outside the lab or clean room

## RELIABILITY AND THROUGHPUT

Temporary Wafer Bonding Tool Platform Reliability	
Total Throughput	Est. 14–20 WPH (process dependent)
Qualified Wafer Materials	SiC, GaN, GaAs, InP, sapphire, silicon, glass
System Uptime	>99% over 12-month period
Mean Time to Repair (MTTR)	< 24 hours
Mean Time between Failures (MTBF; hours,cycles)	>600 hours, 6,000 cycles



## UTILITIES AND DIMENSIONS

- Bonder dimensions: 48 in W x 31 in D x 15 in H
- Nitrogen or CDA: 50 psi (1 cfm)
- Vacuum pump provided
- Electrical requirements: 208–240 VAC: 50/60 Hz, 3,400 watts (17 A)
- Machine weight: 320 lb
- Shipping weight: 680 lb

# DATASTREAM™ TECHNOLOGY: CONNECTING THE SEMICONDUCTOR INDUSTRY

Cee® has released DataStream™ technology on its new Apogee™ tool line. DataStream™ technology gives you access to all of your connected Apogee™ manufacturing equipment in one place to track, access, and modify your systems via a website or mobile app. This technology will give manufacturers the ability to process and visualize data in real time and search and export that data into a number of different formats.

## Real-Time Process Information

- Constant feedback of process information for monitoring critical process parameters
- Streamlined interface between different tool types
- Visual cues on process status & health

## Advanced Recipe Creation

- Seamless switching between basic and advanced recipe creation methods
- Plain-English recipe translation
- Pre-defined process commands
- Unlimited process steps
- Unlimited recipe storage

## Environmental Monitoring

- Monitoring of temperature & humidity allows for stricter control of critical processes
- Set preconditions and tolerances for monitored parameters
- On-screen, colored visual cues for deviation from controlled specs

## Data Logging & Export

- Export data logs into commonly readable formats for further analysis and process troubleshooting
- Increase process efficiency
- Identify process control deviations
- Analyze multiple processes for best known method (BKM) development

## TOOL FEATURES & SPECIFICATIONS

- Max. temperature: 300°C (higher temperatures available)
- Piston force: 3.5–12k N
- Force resolution: 10-N steps
- Precision pneumatic system used to control force
- Dual heated platens with independent temperature controls
- No-contact extraction arm for loading and unloading (safely handles bonded pair at process temperatures)
- Bond chamber evacuation time: <90 seconds
- Carrier and device are separated during pre-bond evacuation
- Platen temperature uniformity: <1%
- Mechanical alignment fixtures are compatible with wafer notches/flats and support the use of nonstandard wafers
- Alignment accuracy: ≤0.5 mm (dependent on substrate tolerances)

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