

# Sindex<sup>TM</sup> Chip Data Sheet

## **Metal Coated**

# **Indexed Silicon Chips**

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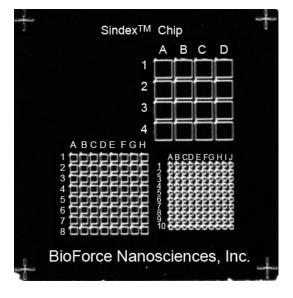
The Sindex<sup>™</sup> chip is a 4x4 mm silicon substrate containing topographically defined pads that are arrayed within an alphanumeric indexing system. The pads are flat and smooth, making them ideal for fluorescence microscopy and atomic force microscopy. The indexing system allows precise relocation of specific positions on the chip.

There are three patterned regions on each chip:  $50~\mu m$ ,  $100~\mu m$ , and  $200~\mu m$ . There are two base surface functionality chips Sindex-Si (silicon coated only) and Sindex SiO (silicon w/  $2~\mu m$  Oxide layer). On the two base Sindex chips, there are several added functionality options in two categories: metal coated or chemically functionalized.

Sindex<sup>™</sup> chips are offered in two grades:

AFM grade-one out of every 10 chips will be imaged by AFM to ensure that they meet the roughness specification and no particles are larger than 20 nm.

Optical grade-one out of every 10 chips inspected by optics and no particles present are larger than 1 µm.



#### Specifications:

Surface Functionality Silicon (Si)

Grid Type 50  $\mu$ m, 100  $\mu$ m, and 200  $\mu$ m square

Array No. 100 (10x10), 64 (8 x8), and 16 (4x4)

Chip size 4x4 mm

480 µm thick

Spacing 20  $\mu$ m

Etch Depth 1 μm

Coating None

Chemistry None

RMS Roughness <0.9 nm

### Metal Coatings Available:

Gold (Au)

Silver (Ag)

Platinum (Pt)

Titanium (Ti)

Nickel (Ni)

#### Price List:

20 Sindex<sup>TM</sup> chips - \$300 + shipping and handling

50 Sindex<sup>™</sup> chips - \$600 + shipping and handling

AFM Certification for 20 chips - \$100.00

AFM Certification for 50 chips - \$250.00