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The first quarterly BGA/CSP update for 2004 highlights developments and trends in stacked die CSPs and stacked packages. Also featured is a discussion of the latest applications using stacked die packages. Issues related to die stacking are discussed, including wafer thinning, bare die, known good die, die attach and wire bond, and thermal dissipation. A new substrate technology for memory modules from ThermalWorks is discussed. The report also includes a section on a new automated semiconductor package burn-in and test solution introduced by Unisys. Mindspeed's new low-cost technique for biased humidity stress testing is also described.

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