# **Innovation and Expertise**

Innovative technology, a large patent portfolio, and significant contributions to setting industry-standard guidelines has made Simco-lon the leader in static control. Our experienced application engineers can assess problem areas in your facility and recommend solutions that fit your application. Contact us for a free static audit.



Education about the effects of static charge has always been a key component of our business.

Visit our web site at www.simco-ion.com to download general technical notes, technical articles and papers on ionization, and data sheets for all the products mentioned in this brochure.





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# Ionizers for General Electronics & Backend Applications

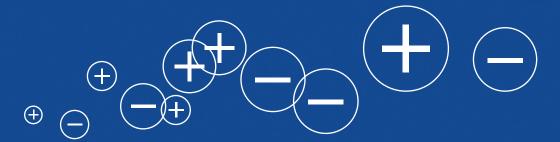
- IN TOOL - TEST, ASSEMBLY & PACKAGING

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## Static Charge in Final Manufacturing

The final phases of electronics manufacturing in the semiconductor, pharmaceutical, and electronics packaging industries face yield loss problems due to static charge. Static charge is caused primarily by the contact and separation of dissimilar materials. The electrostatic discharge (ESD) of voltages cause instant or latent defects on finished wafers when they are removed from film, on dies when removed from wafers, on chips when they are handled with packaging, on finished dies when they are handled

for final testing, and on circuit board assemblies during final electronic assembly and test. Robotic and manual workstations also face ESD problems from human movement around packaged components. Keeping components and sub-assemblies safe from static charge

is just as important as protecting them during their manufacture.



ESD damage

# **IONIZECS** for General Electronics Manufacturing

Air ionization maintains the integrity of components and subassemblies by neutralizing static charge generated during the manufacturing process or during transport to final test and assembly. Our line of ionizers are specially suited for final manufacturing applications, from point of use ionizing air guns to benchtop and overhead ionizing blowers and point of use ionizers that fit inside crowded tools. Simco-Ion has been the recognized leader in general electronic static charge elimination for over twenty five years.

# **Ionization for Every Process**

### **Inside Tools**

Inside tools for processes such as wafer mounting, die attachment, wire bonding, and testing and finishing, small ionizers must be able to integrate seamlessly. The Point of Use Ionizing Blower Model 6422e easily mounts in confined spaces and has a very small footprint. Facility Monitoring System (FMS) notification connection makes the blower part of the overall system. The slightly larger Model 6432e has a tool mounting bracket or benchtop stand.





Model 6422e (left) blower is ideal for in-tool confined spaces. Model 6432e blower may be used inside tools or at a workstation.

The Air Ionizing Cartridge Model 6110/6110A features is a compact, rugged ionizer that can be used either for in-line ionization or as an ionizing blowoff gun. Used for in-line applications, the cartridge is connected via compressed air source. Model 6110A version features an internal airflow sensor for use as an airgun (with connection to a kit).

The TargetBlower Model 6202e is a custom ionizer designed to control static in near critical environment, +/-5V or better balance. A self-maintaining balance system and automatic emitter point system makes the TargetBlower the perfect solution that delivers excellent

performance that does not require time

consuming adjustments or maintenance.

Typical final manufacturing applications where ionization improves productivity:

- Wafer probe
- Back grinding
- Wafer mount
- Die attach/bonding
- Wire bonding
- Molding
- Sealing
- Lead plating
- Packaging
- Final test & inspection

### **General Purpose**

The Top Gun<sup>TM</sup> Ionizing Air Gun is a high performance ionizing air gun designed for electronics applications. Balanced to 0 ±15V, the Top Gun features high blow-off force to provide efficient cleaning and rapid static charge decay. A filter at the exit of the gun ensures that the air is clean.

The AirForce Blow-Off Gun Model 6115 supplies point of use ionization. Lightweight and ergonomic, the gun hose moves with the operator and doesn't take up valuable workspace. Strong blow-off power effectively removes particle contamination while being rated for use in ISO Cleanliness Class 4 environments.

The orlON<sup>TM</sup> Ionizing Air Nozzle been designed for use in fixed applications on manufacturing lines, equipment, and tool applications in the telecommunications, consumer electronics, semiconductor and medical device manufacturing industries.

The minION<sup>TM</sup> Ionizing Blower has been designed to control electrostatic charges in sensitive electronics assembly and automated tool applications requiring stable operation with fast discharge time performance.

The AeroStat® PC Ionizing Air Blower provides localized coverage with superior charge decay efficiency. The AeroStat PC is designed to provide ionization to a targeted work surface.

### **Mini-environments & Workbenches**

The Ionizing AeroBar<sup>TM</sup> Model 6685 features a unique aerodynamic design that ionizes a local area without disrupting laminar flow. Ideal in 12-24" distance applications with laminar air

The AeroStat® Guardian Overhead Ionizer provides fast static discharge over an entire work surface. It has adjustable air volume from 150-300 CFM. Equipped with task lighting, an ionization indicator light, and an integrated heater, the Guardian offers user friendly operation while effectively protecting even the most sensitive components from ESD damage using AC technology.









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