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Experimental Study on the Effect of Tip Clearance for a Straight Fin Heat Sink

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Abstract

In this paper, the effect of tip clearance on the cooling performance of the microchannel heat sink is presented under the fixed pumping power condition. For the various types of microchannel heat sink having different size of fin width and channel width, experimental study is conducted. Through the experiment, the tip clearance effect is investigated by increasing tip clearance from zero. As a result, it is shown that cooling performance of heat sink with tip clearance is better than that of heat sink without tip clearance. For the microchannel heat sink with tip clearance, the optimum conditions for cooling performance is also studied.

ΔP
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 s
 H
 R Heat sink
 $T_{base,max}$
 T_{in}
 T_b 1.
 R_{fin}
 R_{flow}
 q 가
 PP
 Q

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 E-mail : treasure@lge.com microchannel heat sink
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H. Shaukatullah[9] heat sink duct
heat sink 가

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heat sink duct
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fin

Lau[7], El-Sayed et al.[6], O. N. Sara[4, 5]
fin duct , tip
clearance heat sink
tip clearance가 channel
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macro size heat sink
microchannel heat sink tip clearance가

Min et al.[3] constant pumping
power high aspect ratio heat sink
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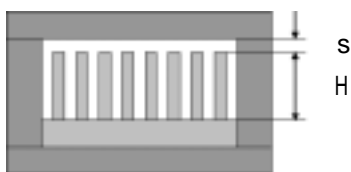


Fig.1 Definition of tip clearance

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microchannel heat sink
Fig.2 Heat sink
heat sink
heat sink
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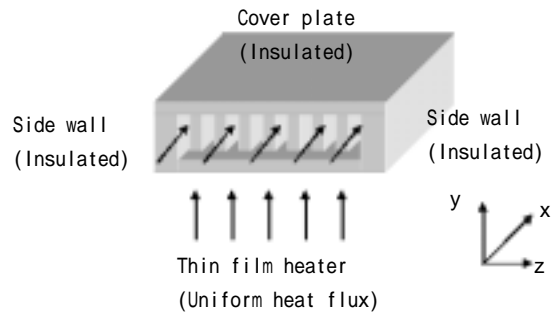


Fig.2 Problem description

heat sink 가

$$R = \frac{T_{base,max} - T_{in}}{q}$$

$$= \frac{T_{base,max} - T_b}{q} + \frac{T_b - T_{in}}{q} = R_{fin} + R_{flow} \quad (1)$$

Heat sink 가
constant pumping power

$$PP = Q \times P \quad (2)$$

2.2.1

가 heat sink
heat sink Table.1

Fig.3

test section
Brooks MFC

Heat sink
Fig.4 11
pressure tap Heat sink
10 pressure tap
solenoid valve
switch
Heat
sink base plate silicone rubber

heat sink spacer
 . Test section
 urethane foam styrofoam
 heat sink
 . Heat sink heater , heat sink
 heat flux sensor
 heat sink
 Heat sink heat sink
 . heat sink
 heat sink 4.5mm
 6 가 thermocouple

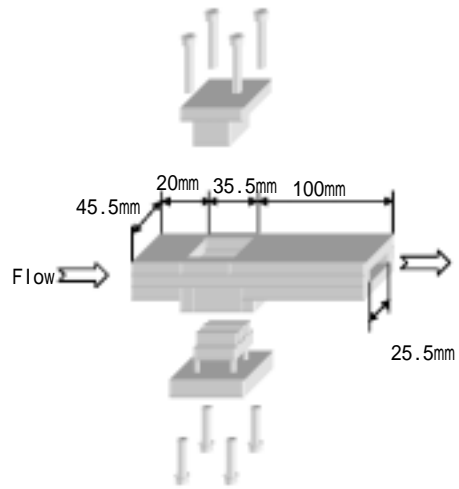


Fig.5 Test section

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|--------------------|------|------|------|
| Porosity | 0.47 | 0.59 | 0.63 |
| Fin height(mm) | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.5 |
| Base thickness(mm) | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Fin thickness(μm) | 541 | 420 | 378 |
| Channel width(μm) | 459 | 580 | 622 |
| Base length(mm) | 25.5 | 25.5 | 25.5 |
| Base width(mm) | 25.5 | 25.5 | 25.5 |

Table.1 Size of heat sinks

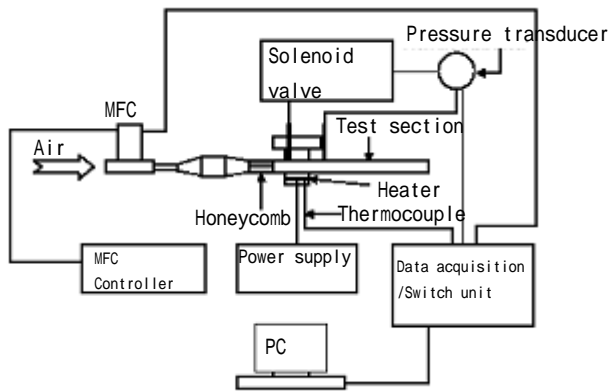


Fig. 3 Experimental apparatus

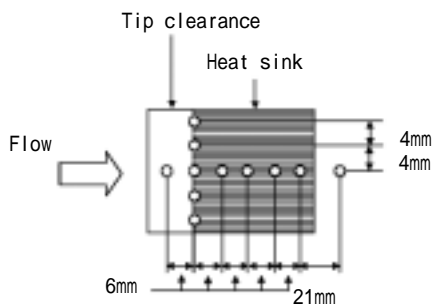


Fig. 4 Pressure tap

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Fig. 6

. Icepak porosity가 0.59 heat sink 0.5SLM, 1SLM 5% error

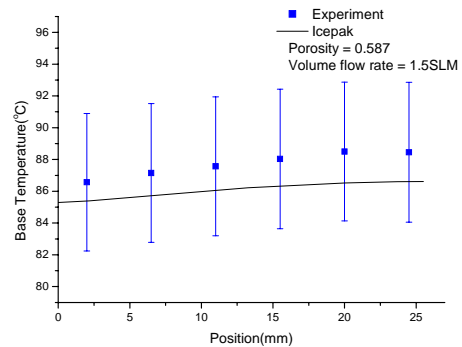


Fig. 6 Temperature of heat sink base plate

Tip clearance Fig.
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 tip clearance가 가
 tip clearance 가
 . Porosity가 0.47, 0.59 heat
 sink tip clearance가 1mm , porosity가
 0.63 heat sink 1.05mm

가 . porosity
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 heat sink 40% .
 Tip clearance 가
 , Tip clearance가 fin
 , constant pumping power
 tip clearance가 가 heat sink
 heat sink fin
 fin
 heat sink
 가 tip clearance가 가
 heat sink tip
 clearance가 heat sink
 Fig. 10 tip clearance가 0mm
 0.4mm R_{fin} 가 .
 tip clearance가 fin
 가 fin
 R_{fin} 가
 R_{flow} R_{fin} Tip
 clearance가 가
 가 heat sink
 heat sink
 R_{flow}

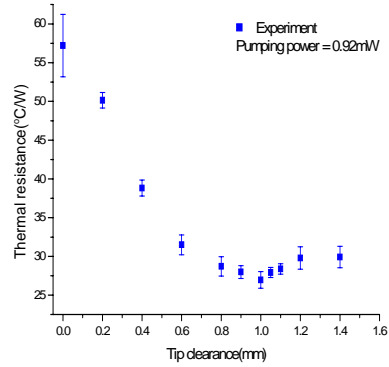


Fig. 7 The effect of tip clearance on the cooling performance of heat sink when porosity is 0.47

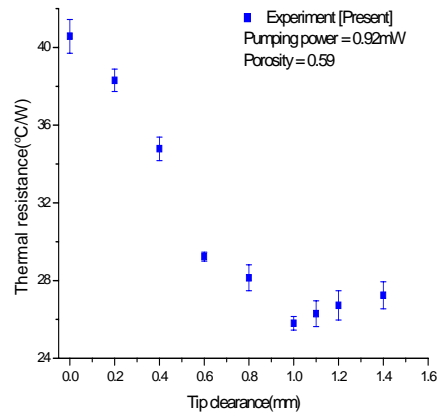


Fig. 8 The effect of tip clearance on the cooling performance of heat sink when porosity is 0.59

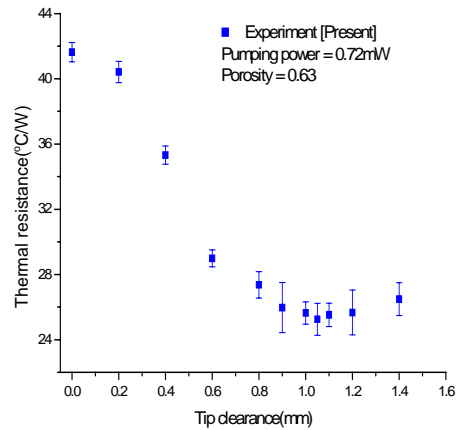


Fig. 9 The effect of tip clearance on the cooling performance of heat sink when porosity is 0.63

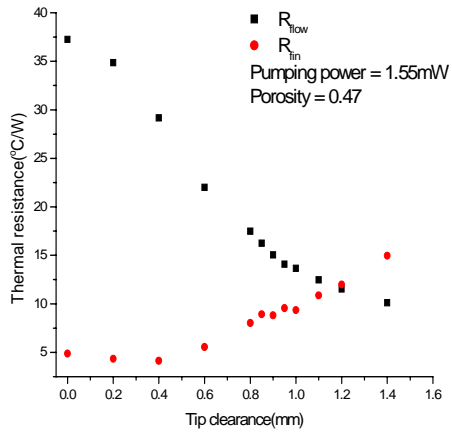


Fig. 10 Thermal resistance of heat sink

4. Tip clearance heat sink 가

4.1 Channel heat sink

Channel heat sink 가 heat

sink Fig 11 Channel

가 fin tip clearance가 heat tip clearance가 가

channel heat sink tip clearance

4.2 Pumping power heat sink

Pumping power heat sink Porosity 0.63

Fig 12 0.72mW 0.92mW pumping power

pumping power가 가 tip clearance

power 가 heat sink pumping 가 tip clearance

heat sink

tip clearance가 pumping power가 가 fin fin 가 fin pumping power 가 tip clearance 가

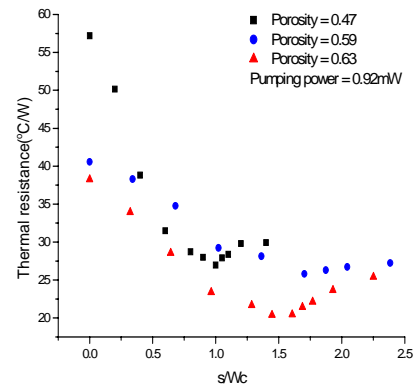


Fig.11 Cooling performance varying s/Wc

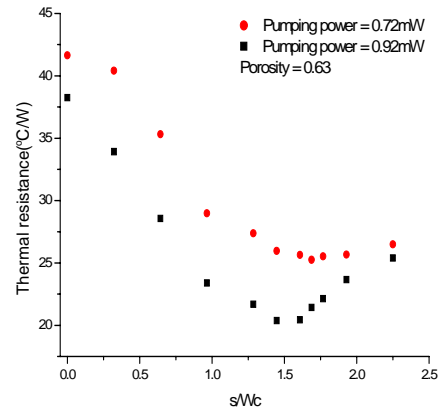


Fig.12 Cooling performance varying pumping power

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constant pumping power microchannel heat sink

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tip clearance

tip clearance microchannel heat sink

constant pumping power tip

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 heat sink 가
 heat sink tip
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