

Press Release

APEX-Micro Announces Five Sigma Quality Rating

A First for a Midsize EMS Provider

Vancouver, BC, Canada, May 2003: APEX-Micro announced today that they have achieved the “Five Sigma” quality rating—a first for the Electronics Manufacturing industry and for a midsize EMS provider. APEX-Micro is the only microelectronic manufacturer to have achieved such an outstanding Five Sigma rating. The benefits of implementing the Sigma quality system are extensive, but according to the company, “the biggest benefit is to our customers—they can be sure that their electronic printed circuit board assemblies will meet stringent specifications, and will be reflected reliable out in the field.”

A tour of the APEX-Micro facility reveals highly trained professionals – technologists, engineers, and highly skilled individuals who design, build, and test electronic assemblies. It becomes obvious that the reason APEX-Micro was able to achieve the prestigious Five Sigma level is due to their extreme dedication to every detail. Testing electronics ensures that each board is built with perfection, and will perform as it should in the hands of the end user. These talented electronics experts, with an obvious passion for the industry, are dedicated to quality, to their outstanding Five Sigma quality rating, and to manufacturing microelectronic assemblies of the highest quality in the industry. By offering a Five Sigma quality advantage, APEX-Micro experiences the comfort of knowing that they offer a new industry standard that currently no other EMS providers can offer.