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## Brazing steel mold for golf ball dimple insert

**Objective** Heating steel golf ball mold to brazing dimple insert

**Material** Golf ball mold 2" in diameter, braze flux paste, dimple insert

**Temperature** 1400 °F (760 °C)

Frequency 206 kHz

- **Equipment** Ambrell 8.3 kW induction heating system, equipped with a remote workhead containing two 0.5µF capacitors for a total of 0.25 µF
  - An induction heating coil designed and developed specifically for this application.

**Process** A four turn helical coil is used to heat the golf ball mold to 1400 <sup>o</sup>F (760 <sup>o</sup>C) in 3 minutes and the dimple insert is brazed to the mold with braze flux paste.

## Results/Benefits

Induction heating provides:

- No flame process.
- Reliable, repeatable, non contact and energy efficient heat in minimal time.
- Even distribution of heating.



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Golf ball mold heated for brazing process