

KetaSpire® KT-880 CF30

polyetheretherketone

KetaSpire® KT-880 CF30 is a high flow, 30% carbon fiber reinforced grade of polyetheretherketone (PEEK). Carbon-fiber reinforcement of KetaSpire® PEEK provides the maximum levels of mechanical properties at temperatures approaching 300°C and the lowest coefficient of linear thermal expansion within the KetaSpire® product family.

KetaSpire® PEEK is produced to the highest industry standards and is characterized by a distinct combination of

properties, which include excellent wear resistance, best-in-class fatigue resistance, ease of melt processing, high purity and excellent chemical resistance to organics, acids and bases.

These properties make it well-suited for applications in healthcare, transportation, electronics, chemical processing and other industrial uses.

General

Material Status	 Commercial: Active 			
Availability	 Africa & Middle East Asia Pacific	EuropeLatin America	North America	
Filler / Reinforcement	Carbon Fiber, 30% Filler by Weight			
Features	 Autoclave Sterilizable E-beam Sterilizable Ethylene Oxide Sterilizable Fatigue Resistant Flame Retardant Good Chemical Resistance 	 Good Dimensional Stability Good Sterilizability Heat Sterilizable High Flow High Heat Resistance High Stiffness 	 High Strength Radiation (Gamma) Resistant Radiation Sterilizable Radiotranslucent Steam Resistant Steam Sterilizable 	
Uses	 Aircraft Applications Connectors Dental Applications Electrical/Electronic Applications Film 	 Hospital Goods Industrial Applications Medical Devices Medical/Healthcare Applications Oil/Gas Applications 	Pump PartsSealsSurgical Instruments	
Agency Ratings	• FAA FAR 25.853a ¹	• ISO 10993		
RoHS Compliance	 Contact Manufacturer 			
Appearance	• Black			
Forms	• Pellets			
Processing Method	Injection Molding	Machining	Profile Extrusion	
Physical		Typical Value Unit	Test method	

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Specific Gravity	1.41	ASTM D792
Melt Mass-Flow Rate (MFR) (400°C/2.16 kg)	11 g/10 min	ASTM D1238
Molding Shrinkage ²		ASTM D955
Flow: 3.18 mm	0.0 to 0.20 %	
Across Flow: 3.18 mm	1.4 to 1.6 %	
Water Absorption (24 hr)	0.10 %	ASTM D570

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Mechanical	Typical Value	Unit	Test method
Tensile Modulus			
	20900	MPa	ASTM D638
	25400	MPa	ISO 527-2/1A/1
Tensile Stress			
Yield	218	MPa	ISO 527-2/1A/5
	223	MPa	ASTM D638
Tensile Elongation			
Break ³	1.7	%	ASTM D638
Break	1.7	%	ISO 527-2/1A/5
Flexural Modulus			
	17900	MPa	ASTM D790
	21500	MPa	ISO 178
Flexural Strength			
	321	MPa	ASTM D790
	319	MPa	ISO 178
Compressive Strength	188	MPa	ASTM D695
Shear Strength	103	MPa	ASTM D732
Impact	Typical Value	Unit	Test method
Notched Izod Impact			
	64	J/m	ASTM D256
	8.5	kJ/m²	ISO 180
Unnotched Izod Impact			
	640	J/m	ASTM D4812
	43	kJ/m²	ISO 180
Handara	Toricol Malace	112	To an acceptant
Hardness Rockwell Hardness (M-Scale)	Typical Value	Unit	Test method ASTM D785
Tiockwell Hardriess (IVI Ocale)	100		AOTWIDIOS
Thermal	Typical Value	Unit	Test method
Deflection Temperature Under Load			ASTM D648
1.8 MPa, Annealed	315	°C	
Glass Transition Temperature	147	°C	ASTM D3418
Peak Melting Temperature	343	°C	ASTM D3418
CLTE - Flow (-50 to 50°C)	6.7E-6	cm/cm/°C	ASTM E831
Specific Heat			DSC
50°C	1310	J/kg/°C	
200°C		J/kg/°C	
Thermal Conductivity		W/m/K	ASTM C177
Flammability	Typical Value	Unit	Test method
Flame Rating	Typical value	<u> </u>	UL 94
0.800 mm	V-0		OL 04
1.60 mm	V-0		
	V 0		
Fill Analysis	Typical Value	Unit	Test method
Melt Viscosity (400°C, 1000 sec^-1)	450	Pa⋅s	ASTM D3835

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Injection	Typical Value Unit	
Drying Temperature	150 °C	
Drying Time	4.0 hr	
Rear Temperature	365 °C	
Middle Temperature	370 °C	
Front Temperature	375 °C	
Nozzle Temperature	380 °C	
Mold Temperature	175 to 205 °C	
Injection Rate	Fast	
Screw Compression Ratio	2.5:1.0 to 3.5:1.0	

Notes

Typical properties: these are not to be construed as specifications.

- ¹ Passes 60s VB flame, smoke and toxicity requirements.
- ² 5" x 0.5" x 0.125" bars
- ³ 5.0 mm/min

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