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Product Overview

P-601 Polyester Prepregs

Park's P-601 is a flame retardant polyester resin system with good electrical and structural properties. Designed for woven-roving applications.

Key Features & Benefits

- Meets MIL-R-7575 Grade A, Class 3 requirements
- Non-styrenated / Low VOC
- Good electrical and structural properties
- Flame retardant
- Good alternative for wet lay-up processing

Product Forms

- Available on a variety of reinforcements
- Solution coated fabrics up to 60 inches wide
- Compatible with Autoclave, Vacuum Bag/Oven or Press Molding processes

Vacuum/Oven Cure Cycle

- Apply 610 mmHg vacuum (minimum) for 1 hour before beginning heat cycle
- Heat at 1–2°C/min from room temperature to 65°C
- Cure product at 65°C for 30 minutes
- Ramp heat at 1-2°C/min to 121°C
- Cure product at 121°C for 90 minutes
- Cool to 65°C at no more than 5°C/min prior to releasing autoclave pressure

<u>Note</u>: These guidelines are provided to assist Park material users with general recommendations for successful processing. The recommendations are for general review purposes only and process adjustments may be required to achieve optimum results in your specific manufacturing environment.

Applications / Qualifications

- Radomes
- Large Structures

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Technical Datasheet

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Prepreg Physical Properties

Reinforcement	18 oz Fiberglass Woven Roving
Fabric Area Weight (gsm)	610
Prepreg Resin Content (%)	34 - 39
Resin Flow (124°C, 103 kPa) (%)	8 – 17
Volatiles (121°C, 8 min) (%)	3.0 (max)
Gel Time (sec)	70 – 120

Laminate Physical Properties

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Reinforcement	18 oz Fiberglass Woven Roving
Dielectric Constant (Dk)	
@ 9.375 GHz	4.4
Loss Tangent (Df)	
@ 9.375 GHz	0.02
Hardness (Barcol)	64
Specific Gravity	
Tensile Strength, 0° (MPa)	
24°C Dry	
121°C Dry	262
ASTM-D-638 Type 1	
Tensile Modulus, 0° (GPa)	
24°C Dry	
121°C Dry	20.7
ASTM-D-638 Type 1	
Compressive Strength (MPa)	
24°C Dry	
121°C Dry	
ASTM-D-695	
Compressive Modulus (GPa)	
24°C Dry	
121°C Dry	20.7
ASTM-D-695	
Flexural Strength (MPa)	
24°C Dry	
121°C Dry	303
ASTM-D-790	
Flexural Modulus (GPa)	
24°C Dry	
121°C Dry	11.1
ASTM-D-790	



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Prepreg Storage Life

Out Life: 21 days @ 24°C Shelf Life: 6 months @ -18°C

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