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# **E-763 Epoxy Prepregs**

*Park's* E-763 *is a modified epoxy system with a nominal* 250°*F cure temperature.* E-763 *provides a transparent resin surface on the finished part which gives finished part surfaces a cosmetically attractive finish.* 

#### **Key Features & Benefits**

- Good low pressure consolidation
- Excellent handling characteristics and out-time
- Clear surface finish for excellent cosmetic appearance on finished parts
- 250°F cure epoxy system
- Flame retardant, meets the requirements of US D.O.T. FMVSS 302

#### **Product Forms**

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

#### **Prepreg Storage Life**

- Out Life: 30 days @ 75°F
- Shelf Life: 6 months @ 0°F

#### Vacuum/Oven Cure Cycle

- Apply 24"Hg vacuum (minimum) for 1 hour before beginning heat cycle
- Raise product temperature from RT to 250-260°F at 5 – 9°F/min
- Hold product at cure temperature for 60 90 minutes
- Cool product to 150°F at no more than 8°F/min

<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.



### **Product Overview**

#### **Applications / Qualifications**

- Specialty
- Recreational

#### - US D.O.T. FMVSS 302 Compliant

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### Technical Datasheet

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#### **Prepreg and Laminate Physical Properties**

Reinforcement	7781 E-Glass	3K PW Carbon	3K 2x2 Twill Carbon
Prepreg Resin Content (%)	36 – 44	38 – 44	38 – 44
Resin Flow (275°F, 15 psi) (%)	7 -21	5 -15	5 – 15
Volatiles (275°F, 8 min) (%)	1.5 max	1.5 max	1.5 max
Gel Time (min)	2-6	2 - 6	2 - 6

#### **Laminate Mechanical Properties**

Reint	forcement	7781 E-Glass	3K PW Carbon	3K 2x2 Twill Carbon
Cure Cycle		Oven Cure 250°F 90 min	Oven Cure 250°F 90 min	Oven Cure 275°F 120 min
Tensile Strength, 0° (ksi)				
75°F	Dry	62	98	109
160°F	Dry			
ASTM-D-3039	,			
Tensile Modul	us, 0° (Msi)			
75°F	Dry	3.7	9.0	9.1
160°F	Dry			
ASTM-D-3039	,			
Compressive	Strength (ksi)			
75°F	Dry	75	84	83
160°F	Dry	60		
ASTM-D-695	,			
Compressive Modulus (Msi)				
75°F	Dry	3.7	8.9	9.7
160°F	Dry	3.4		
ASTM-D-695	,			
Flexural Stren	gth (ksi)			
75°F	Dry	96	134	134
160°F	Dry	86		
ASTM-D-790				
Flexural Modu	lus (Msi)			
75°F	Dry	3.4	8.8	6.8
160°F	Dry	3.4		
ASTM-D-790	•			
Short-Beam S	hear Stength (ksi)			
75°F	Dry	9.1	9.2	7.6
160°F	Dry	7.3		
ASTM-D-2344	-			



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