

R5 130

Toughened Epoxy Resin Matrix Prepregs

TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

R5 130 is a toughened thermosetting epoxy prepreg resin system designed specifically for a wide range of structural components in sports goods, automotive and industrial applications.

R5 130 offer good tack and drapability for complex geometry component manufacturing. It can be processed via autoclave or press cure.

R5 130 offers great toughness and after suitable cure cycles, a DMA Tg onset over 140°C can be obtained after a standard cure and post cure.

R5 130 prepregs exhibit good mechanical performance combined with great impact resistance.

PRODUCT VARIANTS

R5 130: Hotmelt version

SHELF LIFE



OUT LIFE 30 days @ 21 °C



STORAGE LIFE 12 months @ -18 °C

TYPICAL APPLICATIONS



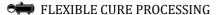
SPORTS GOODS





FEATURES

EXCELLENT TACK AND HANDLEABILITY





GOOD MECHANICAL PERFORMANCE

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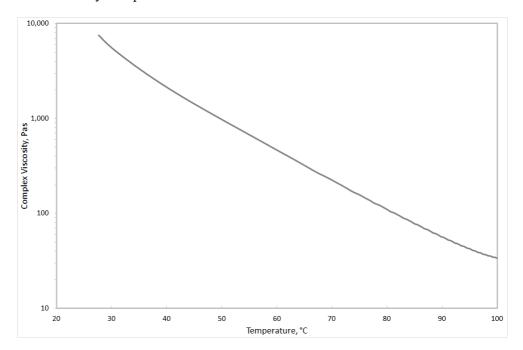




MATRIX PROPERTIES

Cured resin density @ RT: (average value) 1.20 g/cm³.

Resin viscosity: ramp rate = 2 °C/min, v = 10 rad/sec.



Recommended cure cycle

- 1. Apply full vacuum (min -0.85bar);
- 2. Apply autoclave pressure to 6 bar gradually;
- 3. Heat to $120^{\circ}\text{C} \pm 3^{\circ}\text{C}$ at between 1°C /min and 2°C /min;
- 4. Hold for 30 minutes;
- 5. Cool to 60°C at between 1°C /min and 5°C /min;
- 6. Release pressure.

Above is the suggested standard cure cycle. For advice on bespoke cure cycles for specific components, please consult Microtex Composites technical service.



THERMAL PROPERTIES

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Cure cycle	DMA Tg onset / PTD (°C)
30 min @ 120°C	144 / 155

MECHANICAL PROPERTIES

R5 130 - 30 min @ 120 °C, 6 bar		GG200T-42 #	GG150 UD-38 ##
Property	Test Method	Value*	Value**
0° ILSS [MPa]	ASTM D2344	74	88
0° Flexural strength [MPa]	— ASTM D790 -	1143	1714
0° Flexural modulus [GPa]		61	129

 $[\]ensuremath{^*}$ Test conditions: room temperature, dry . Normalized values at 55% VF.

^{**} Test conditions: room temperature, dry . Normalized values at 60% VF

 $^{^{*}}$ Carbon fabric 200 gsm twill 2/2 3K AS4C, RC 42%.

^{##} Carbon fabric 150 gsm UD 24K T700S, RC 38%.



AVAILABILITY

R5 130 series prepregs are available in a wide range of reinforcing fabrics, including carbon, aramid, glass and special fabrics.

STORAGE CONDITIONS

This prepreg should be stored as received in a cool dry place or in a refrigerator.

After removal from refrigerated storage, prepreg should be allowed to reach room temperature before opening the polyethylene bag, thus preventing condensation (a full roll in its packaging can take more than 1 day).

PRECAUTIONS FOR USE

The usual precautions when handling uncured resins and fibrous materials should be observed, and a Safety Data Sheet is available for this product.

SDS Reference Codes: R5 130: SDS-474