

# RT500M

## TECHNICAL DATA BULLETIN

**GRADE: RT500M**

**NEMA LI 1-1998 GRADE: G-10**

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DESCRIPTION: RT500M is composed of a medium weight glass fabric combined with an epoxy resin system. RT500M combines excellent electrical characteristics with very good physical properties. Electrical properties maintained in high humidity conditions. It also complies with ANSI/NEMA IM 60000-2021 Grade G-10, MIL-I-24768/2, Type GEE and ASTM D709 Type IV Grade G-10. RT500M is not flame resistant.

### TYPICAL PROPERTIES

	UNITS	VALUE		
		Specimen Tested (ID x OD)		
			0.75" x 1.00"	
<b>PHYSICAL PROPERTIES</b>				
<b>Specific Gravity</b> (ASTM D792)	-		1.86	
<b>Rockwell Hardness</b> (ASTM D785)	M Scale		105	
<b>Moisture Absorption</b> Condition D <sub>1</sub> -24/23 (ASTM D570)	%		0.14	
<b>Tensile Strength</b> Condition A (ASTM D638)	psi		39,000	
<b>Compressive Strength</b> Condition A (ASTM D695)	psi		35,000	
<b>Compressive Modulus</b> Condition A (ASTM D695)	kpsi		700	

## RT500M - TYPICAL PROPERTIES (continued)

		UNITS	VALUE		
			Specimen Tested (ID x OD)		
				0.75" x 1.00"	
<b>THERMAL PROPERTIES</b>					
<b>Temperature Index</b> <sup>1</sup>	Electrical / Mechanical	°C		200 / 200	
<b>Tg by DMA</b>	Condition A	°C		≥ 170	
<b>Flammability Rating</b> (UL Bulletin 94)	Condition A	Class		HB	
<b>ELECTRICAL PROPERTIES</b>					
<b>Dissipation Factor</b> @ 1 MHz (ASTM D150)	Condition A	-		0.024	
	Condition D-24/23	-		0.034	
	Condition D-48/50	-		0.040	
<b>Relative Permittivity</b> @ 1 MHz (ASTM D150)	Condition A	-		4.39	
	Condition D-24/23	-		4.46	
	Condition D-48/50	-		4.62	
<b>Breakdown Voltage</b> (ASTM D149)	Condition A	kVolts		55	
	Condition D-48/50	kVolts		70	
<b>Electric Strength</b> (ASTM D149)	Condition A	Volts/mil		400	
	Condition D-48/50	Volts/mil		380	

<sup>1</sup> NEMA LI-6: This temperature is a recommendation only, and based upon experience in various applications. The maximum operating temperature is dependent upon the application and should be investigated prior to use.

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