

# RTB324FR

## TECHNICAL DATA BULLETIN

**GRADE: RTB324FR**

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

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DESCRIPTION: Grade RTB324FR is constructed of a fine weave cotton fabric which has been bleached to remove impurities, and a modified phenolic resin with powdered PTFE added for lubrication as well as a flame retardant added. It has low moisture absorption and excellent dimensional stability and chemical resistance. Typical uses include bearing retainers and parts that require excellent machining characteristics.

### TYPICAL PROPERTIES

	UNITS	VALUE		
		Specimen Tested (ID x OD)		
			0.75" x 1.00"	
<b>PHYSICAL PROPERTIES</b>				
<b>Specific Gravity</b> (ASTM D792)	-		1.34	
<b>Rockwell Hardness</b> (ASTM D785)	M Scale		100	
<b>Moisture Absorption</b> Condition D <sub>1</sub> -24/23 (ASTM D570)	%		0.82	
<b>Tensile Strength</b> Condition A (ASTM D638)	psi		8,800	
<b>Tensile Modulus</b> Condition A (ASTM D638)	kpsi		500	
<b>Compressive Strength</b> Condition A (ASTM D695)	psi		26,200	
<b>Compressive Modulus</b> Condition A (ASTM D695)	kpsi		344	

## RTB324FR - TYPICAL PROPERTIES (continued)

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		Specimen Tested (ID x OD)		
			0.75" x 1.00"	
<b>THERMAL PROPERTIES</b>				
<b>Temperature Index</b> <sup>1</sup> Electrical / Mechanical	°C		- / 140	
<b>Flammability Rating</b> Condition A (UL Bulletin 94)	Class		HB	
<b>ELECTRICAL PROPERTIES</b>				
<b>Electric Strength</b> Condition A (ASTM D149)	Volts/mil		190	

<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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