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METAL-POLYMER BRONZE BACKED PTFE PLAIN BEARINGS



APPLICATIONS

Industrial – Aerospace, agricultural equipment, construction equipment, material handling equipment, forming machines - metal, plastic and rubber; office equipment, medical and scientific equipment, packaging equipment, pneumatic and hydraulic cylinders, pumps and motors, railroad and tramways, textile machinery, valves, etc.

Others – Marine and offshore equipment, other applications in water or in outdoor environments

CHARACTERISTICS

- Very good wear and low friction performance over a wide range of loads, speeds and temperatures in dry running conditions
- Suitable for lubricated applications
- Suitable for linear, oscillating and rotating movements
- Bronze back offers improved corrosion resistance in humid/saline environments
- Approved to standard EN 1337-2 for structural bearings for civil engineering
- Approved to standard DIN EN 1797 and ISO 21010 (Cryogenic Vessels – Gas/Material Compatibility) for piping, valves, fittings and other components in both gaseous and liquid oxygen for up to maximum temperature of 60°C and oxygen pressure of 25 bars - contact GGB for further details
- Tested acc. to ASTM E595/ECSS-Q-ST-70-02C - Outgassing properties of materials used in Spacecraft equipment

AVAILABILITY

Bearing forms available in standard dimensions: Cylindrical bushes, flanged bushes, sliding plates

Bearing forms made to order: Standard forms in special dimensions, thrust washers, flanged thrust washers, half-bearings, special shapes obtained by stamping or deep drawing, customized bearing designs



BEARING PROPERTIES		UNITS	VALUE
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GENERAL

Maximum load, p	Static	N/mm ²	140
	Dynamic	N/mm ²	140
Operating temperature	Min	°C	- 200
	Max	°C	280
Coefficient of linear thermal expansion	Parallel to the surface	10 ⁻⁶ /K	18
	Normal to the surface	10 ⁻⁶ /K	36

DRY

Maximum sliding speed, U	m/s	2.5
Maximum pU factor	N/mm ² x m/s	1.8
Coefficient of friction, f		0.02 - 0.25*

OIL LUBRICATED

Maximum sliding speed, U	m/s	5.0
Maximum pU factor	N/mm ² x m/s	5.0
Coefficient of friction, f		0.02 - 0.12*

RECOMMENDATIONS

Shaft surface roughness, Ra	Dry	µm	0.3 - 0.5
	Lubricated	µm	≤ 0.05 - 0.40*
Shaft surface hardness	Unhardened acceptable, improved bearing life	HB	> 200

* Depending on operating conditions

OPERATING PERFORMANCE

Dry	Very Good
Oil lubricated	Good
Grease lubricated	Fair
Water lubricated	Good
Process fluid lubricated	Fair

FOR SUPERIOR / LEAD-FREE PERFORMANCE

Dry	DP4-B
Oil lubricated	DP4-B
Grease lubricated	DP4-B
Water lubricated	DP4-B
Process fluid lubricated	DP4-B

MICROSECTION

