

# Datenblatt

## Balls made of black glass

Glass sphere with high chemical and thermal stability. Have an electrically insulating effect, resistant to strong external loads and pressure fluctuations.

### Field of application

Chemical and medical flow meters, instruments for aerospace industry.

### Corrosion resistance

Stable: In contact with most acidic and basic substances.

#### Chemical composition in %

SiO <sub>2</sub>	Na <sub>2</sub> O	CaO	Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	B <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	K <sub>2</sub> O	BaO	MnO <sub>2</sub>
65,00 - 75,00	9,50 - 15,50	3,00 - 5,00	<= 1,00	1,00 - 3,00	2,00 - 3,00	3,00 - 4,00	5,00 - 7,00

#### Physical / mechanical / thermal / electrical / magnetic characteristics

Characteristic	Symbol	Unit	Type	Note	Value
Density	$\delta$	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	Physical	Environmental temp.	2,57
Modulus of elasticity	E	GPa	Mechanical	-	66
Refractive index	n	-	Optical	-	1,520
Softening temperature	-	°C / °F	Thermal	Umg. T. / Atm. D	650 / 1202
Linear coefficient of thermal expansion	$\alpha$	10 <sup>-6</sup> / °C	Thermal	( $\Delta T = 0 - 100°C$ )	7,20
Thermal conductivity	$\lambda$	W / (m*K)	Thermal	Environmental temp.	0,76
Volume resistivity	$\rho$	$\Omega^*m$	Electrical	-	$> 10^{14}$
Relative magnetic permeability	$\mu$	-	Magnetic	Diamagnetic	$< \sim 1$

#### Technical characteristics

Characteristic	Type	Unit	Value	Unit	Value
Hardness	Mechanical	Knoop	468 - 530	Mohs	6
Breaking load compression	Mechanical	MPa	750 - 900	psi * 10 <sup>3</sup>	109 - 138
Operating temperature	Thermal	° C	0 - 300	° F	32 - 572

#### Available with

Diameter min / max (mm)	Diameter min / max (in)	Surface	Precision grade
1,000 - 100,000	3/64 - 4	polished / matt	G25 / 50 / 100 / 200 / 500 / 1000 / 2000