## MATERIAL TEST DATA

TRP COMPOUND REFERENCE N°: TRPlast® 642 FDA Black

Polymer Type: Perfluoroelastomer (FFKM)

## Description

This material provides excellent temperature resistance up to +260°C (+500°F) and has similar chemical resistance to that of PTFE but with elastomeric properties comparable to standard fluorocarbon rubbers. This material is tested to requirements of FDA21 CFR 177.2600 (e & f) for use with aqueous and fatty foods.



Along with all our TRPlast® range, this grade is suitable for use in a wide range of applications where other polymers are not suitable. Do not use any TRPlast® grade with molten alkali metals. Service Temperatures +260°C (+500°F) to -18°C (+0°F).

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Property	Typical Values	Test Standard		
Colour	Black			
Hardness (°IRHD)	77	ISO 48		
Tensile Strength (MPa)	18.5	ISO 37		
Modulus @ 100% (MPa)	12.1	ISO 37		
Elongation @ Break (%)	142	ISO 37		
Tear Strength (N/mm)	20.8	ISO 34		
TR10 (°C)	-3	ISO 2921		
Specific Gravity (g/cm³)	2.28	ISO 2781		
Compression Set Value in Air, 25% Strain, 24 hrs @ 204°C (%)	11.9	ISO 815		

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Chemical Group	Rating	Chemical Group	Rating
Aromatics/Aliphatic oils	1	Ethylene	1
Acids	2	Esters	1
Alkalis	1	Ketones	1
Alcohols	1	Propylene Oxide	1
Aldehydes	1	Steam/Hot Water	1
Amines	1	Strong Oxidisers	1
Ethers	1	Amines >70°C	2

- 1 Suitable, little or no effect.
- 2 Minor to moderate effect, not maximum resistance.
- 3 Moderate to severe effect may be useful in some limited applications.
- 4 Unsuitable and not recommended severe effect

More detailed information available on request

The service limit provided on this datasheet is stated as 15°C below the TR10 value. It is generally accepted within the industry that an elastomer will seal to 15°C below the TR10 figure in static conditions, providing that compression of the seal takes place at ambient conditions. TRP Polymer Solutions Ltd. Recommends that seals are evaluated in service before specification.

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