

RENUCO™ PP UV Curing Composite Technology UV CURING PREPREG UV Curing resin system with dedicated RENUVO™ Lamp Technology Material can be used between +5°C to +30°C (+41°F to +86°F) Compatible with current topcoat solutions Benefits from SparPreg™ handling characteristics Clean processing avoiding mixing and contamination Excellent Mechanical Properties Long out-life at room temperature

INTRODUCTION

RENUVO[™] Prepreg (PP) is a breakthrough UV curing Prepreg system, developed by Gurit as a repair system for turbine blades. The system is used in combination with RENUVO[™] Multi-Purpose System (MPS) to complete structural repairs.

RENUVOTM PP offers a step change in materials for the repair market. With working temperatures as low as $+5^{\circ}$ C (+41°F), RENUVOTM PP has demonstrated a practical solution to an engineering problem; how to perform repairs, quickly, at these temperatures. For this reason, the material has been formulated for both hot and cold environments, and is available in unidirectional (UD) and biaxial (XE) formats.

The RENUVO[™] PP system eliminates the human error of mixing, dispensing and working with more traditional wet laminating repair systems. Additionally the material offers the operator the security that wherever the material has been sourced it is the same product manufactured to the same high exacting process.

Using a dedicated UV source, ideally RENUVO[™] Lamp Technology, RENUVO[™] PP is cured in 180 seconds for a leading edge repair, up to 3 plies of 600g/m² E-glass prepreg. Used in combination with RENUVO[™] MPS, the repair can be quickly finished without the need for secondary operations to fill and fair.

PRODUCT INFORMATION

RENUVO[™] PP is available in a range of product formats. Please consult your local sales contact for further information. Full contact details can be found at www.gurit.com.

PROPERTY	600 G/M ² E-GLASS UD		600 G/M ² E-GLASS BIAX		TEST STANDARD
Format	0° Unidirectional Prepreg		±45° Biaxial Prepreg		-
Nominal Resin Content (by weight)	35 %		35 %		EN 2329
Nominal Fibre Weight	600 g/m ²	0.123 lb/ft ²	600 g/m ²	0.123lb/ft ²	-
Nominal Areal Weight	924 g/m ²	0.187 lb/ft ²	924 g/m ²	0.187 lb/ft ²	-
Stitching Type	-		Textured Polyester		-
Sizing Type	Epoxy Compatible		Epoxy Compatible		EN 2331
Backer	2 x 50μm MDPE		2 x 50μm MDPE		-

PREPREG PROPERTIES

TRANSPORT & STORAGE

The RENUVOTM Prepreg should be stored in its original packaging during transport and storage. Suitable long-term storage conditions will result in a shelf life of 18 months at $21^{\circ}C$ (+ $70^{\circ}F$).

STORAGE TEMP.	UNIT	VALUE
-18°C (0°F)	months	18
+21°C (+40°F)	months	18

Storage should be in a dry place out of direct sunlight and ambient light, since the prepreg is sensitive to UV light. The recommended storage temperature should be between -18°C and 21°C (0°F and +70°F). Whilst storage at higher temperatures between +5°C and 30°C (+41°F and +86°F) prior to application will not adversely affect the product shelf-life, it may cause problems such as distortions of the prepreg and excess resin bleed. It is recommended that the prepreg is stored in its original sealed plastic wrapper and box to protect it from ambient UV light.

PREPREG PROCESSING AND HANDLING

The product should be applied out of direct sunlight to extend the working time. Please refer to the RENUVO[™] Blade Repair Solution process notes. Specific prepreg product working practices apply to this product, details of which can be obtained from Gurit by the Technical Support department.

PROPERTY	600G/M ² E-GLASS UD	600G/M ² E-GLASS BIAX	TEST STANDARD
Recommended Handling Temperature	+5 to +30°C /	+41 to +86°F	-
Maximum Relative Humidity	90	%	-
Cure Time @ 300mW/cm ²	3 m	ins	-
Cure Height @ 300mW/cm ²	30 mm / 1.18 in		-
Recommended ply drop length	30 mm / 1.18 in	7.5 mm / 0.30 in	-
Cured Laminate Colour (Gardner)	3 -	5	-
Dry Tg ₁ (DMA)	95°C /	203°F	ASTM D7028

*please refer to the RENUVO LAMP datasheet for more information

HEALTH AND SAFETY

Please refer to product SDS for up to date information specific to this product.

LAMINATE PROPERTIES

All data presented in this datasheet is based on the testing of a single batch of material, tested at room temperature (21°C / + 71°F)

PROPERTY*	SYMBOL	600G/M ² E-GLASS UD 600G/M ² E-GLASS BIAX		TEST STANDARD		
Cured Ply Thickness	mm	0.48		0.49		-
Cured Ply Thickness Tolerance	mm	+/- 0.03 +/- 0.03		-		
Fibre Volume Fraction	FVF		53 %			ASTM D 3171 Method II
0° Tensile Strength	X _{T11}	900 MPa	131 Ksi	427 MPa	62 Ksi	ISO 527-4
0° Tensile Modulus	ET11	41 GPa	5.9 Msi	27 GPa	3.9 Msi	ISO 527-4
0° Tensile Strain	E _{T11}	1.1	1 %	2.0 %		ISO 527-4
90° Tensile Strength	X _{T22}	26 MPa	3.8 Ksi	-	-	ISO 527-4
90° Tensile Modulus	E _{T22}	13 GPa	1.9 Msi	-	-	ISO 527-4
0° Flexural Strength	X _F	1140 MPa	165 Ksi	455 MPa	66 Ksi	ISO 14125
0° Flexural Modulus	E _{F11}	36 GPa	5.2 Msi	17 GPa	2.5 Msi	ISO 14125
0° Inter-laminar Shear Strength	XILSS	69 MPa	10.0 Ksi	25 MPa	3.6 Ksi	ISO 14130
0° Compressive Strength	X _{C11}	966 MPa	140 Ksi	607 MPa	88 Ksi	SACMA SRM1-94
Lap Shear (EP Prepreg)	τ _{ероху}	10 MPa	1.5 Ksi	-	-	BS 5350 Part C5
Lap Shear (Infused PE)		11 MPa	1.6 Ksi	-	-	BS 5350 Part C5

*Mechanical properties evaluated at 0° to fibre direction

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