

# KetaSpire<sup>®</sup> KT-880UFP polyetheretherketone

KetaSpire® KT-880UFP is the high flow grade of unreinforced polyetheretherketone (PEEK) supplied in a natural-colored, ultra-fine powder form. This ultra-fine PEEK powder is suitable for water borne coatings, electrostatically driven powder coatings, and resin pre-impregnation of continuous fiber composites. This ultra fine powder is produced to a median particle size D50 of about 10 micrometers.

KetaSpire® PEEK is produced to the highest industry standards and is characterized by a distinct combination of properties, which include excellent chemical resistance to acids, bases and a broad range of aggressive organic chemicals, best in class fatigue resistance, high thermal resistance, high purity and ease of melt processing.

These properties make KT-880UFP well-suited for applications in health care, transportation, electronics, chemical processing and other industrial uses.

The resin is also available in a natural-colored pellet form under the grade name KT-880 NT for injection molding applications.

#### General

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Material Status	Commercial: Active	
Availability	<ul> <li>Africa &amp; Middle East</li> <li>Asia Pacific</li> <li>Europe</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Latin America</li><li>North America</li></ul>
Features	<ul> <li>Chemical Resistant</li> <li>Ductile</li> <li>Fatigue Resistant</li> <li>Flame Retardant</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Good Dimensional Stability</li> <li>Good Impact Resistance</li> <li>High Heat Resistance</li> </ul>
Uses	<ul> <li>Aerospace Applications</li> <li>Automotive Applications</li> <li>Electrical/Electronic Applications</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Industrial Applications</li> <li>Oil/Gas Applications</li> </ul>
RoHS Compliance	Contact Manufacturer	
Appearance	Natural Color	
Forms	• Powder	
Processing Method	<ul> <li>Electrostatic Spray Coating</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Water-borne Coating</li> </ul>

Physical	Typical Value Unit	Test method
Density / Specific Gravity	1.30	ASTM D792
Melt Mass-Flow Rate (MFR) (400°C/2.16 kg)	36 g/10 min	ASTM D1238
Water Absorption (24 hr)	0.10 %	ASTM D570
Particle Size		
D50	10.0 µm	
D90	15.0 µm	
D99	22.0 μm	

Mechanical	Typical Value Unit	Test method
Tensile Modulus	3650 MPa	ASTM D638
Tensile Strength	100 MPa	ASTM D638
Tensile Elongation		ASTM D638
Yield	5.2 %	
Break <sup>1</sup>	10 to 20 %	
Flexural Modulus	3790 MPa	ASTM D790
Flexural Strength	153 MPa	ASTM D790
Impact	Typical Value Unit	Test method
Notched Izod Impact	53 J/m	ASTM D256
Unnotched Izod Impact	No Break	ASTM D4812
Thermal	Typical Value Unit	Test method
Deflection Temperature Under Load		ASTM D648
1.8 MPa, Unannealed	160 °C	
Glass Transition Temperature	147 °C	ASTM D3417
Melting Temperature	343 °C	ASTM D3417
CLTE - Flow (-50 to 50°C)	5.0E-5 cm/cm/°C	ASTM E831
Fill Analysis	Typical Value Unit	Test method
Melt Viscosity (400°C, 1000 sec^-1)	150 Pa·s	ASTM D3835

Additional Information

D50, median particle size by Microtrac Laser Diffracation, 7.5 to 12.5 microns.

#### **Injection Notes**

Back Pressure: minimum

### **Notes**

Typical properties: these are not to be construed as specifications.

<sup>1</sup> Tensile test speed = 2 in/min (50 mm/min)

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