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# Specification Sheet (Superceded) / 01 A336 10lb Silicone Rubber Sponge



#### Product Form

Profile extrusions, sheeting, cord, joined rings, punched forms and self adhesive backed.

## **Applications**

Cellular silicone rubber is suitable where a soft, easily deformed rubber is required, for example, for high temperature seals and gaskets. The sheets and punched parts are all available with self-adhesive backing to ease assembly.

### Thermal Properties

The range is suitable for continuous use at temperatures up to +200°C. It has even been found that at temperatures as high as +300°C useful lives of up to 10 hours can be achieved. They are also suitable for use at temperatures as low as -60°C.

### Chemical Composition

This range of polydimethylsiloxane have been "free-blown" with a chemical blowing agent and crosslinked with an organic peroxide. The cellular structure is produced without the use of CFC's thus making less damaging to the environment.

## Flammability Characteristics

SIL10FR has a Limiting Oxygen Index (LOI) of 23.2% (BS2782 Part 1) and comply with the following flammability specifications: FAR 25.853 (a)(1)(iv) and (a)(1)(v) horizontal flammability tests. CAA specification 8 issue 2 (2.2)(c) and (d) horizontal flammability tests.

Property	Unit	Spec L	Spec Limits Typical		pical Value		Test Method	
Apparent Density (1)	Kg/m³	200±4	0	195		<b>BSENISO 8</b>	45	
(1) Density measured on 25mm diameter cord sample. The density of of samples of different sizes will be different from that stated here.								
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Hardness (2)	Shore 00	35±5	35	ASTM D2240
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(2) Hardnesss measured on 10mm thick samples. At less than 10mm the hardness will increase with density. It is not possible to perform a Shore A hardness test on a sponge material. These values are provided as a guideline for comparison to solid material

Compression Stress	kPa	50±40	50	BSENISO 3386 Part 1,2
40% Strain (3)				

(3) Compression set measured on a 25mm thick sample. The compression stress of the material increases with the density as the sample thickness in reduced

Tensile Strength	N/mm²	0.5 min	0.9	BSENISO 1798
Elongation at break	%	75 min	120	BSENISO 1798
Compression Set 22hrs @ 70°C	%	20 max	16	BSENISO 1856 Type A

For further information about the physical properties of other sample sizes, please contact the technical department.

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