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High Performance Multi-Purpose Engineering Plastics



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NTN High Performance Multi-Purpose Engineering Plastics

High performance sliding bearings, mechanical parts and materials use state-of-the-art engineering plastics.

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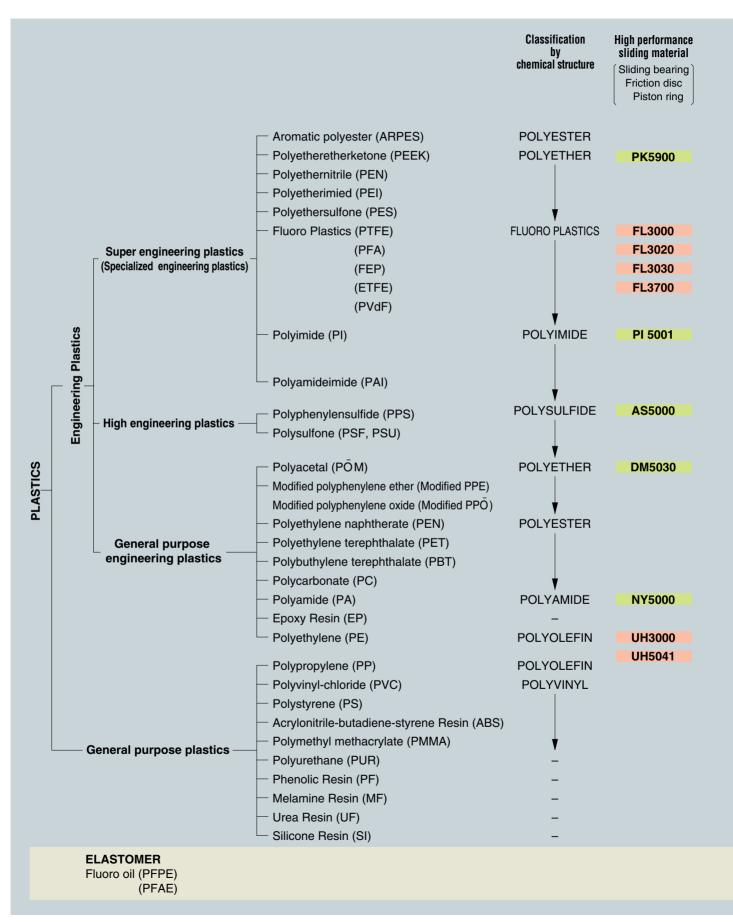
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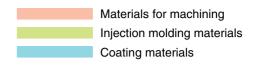
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Material Grades of NTN Engineering Plastics

Low friction and lubrication free materials provide longer life, lighter weight and other benefits for



a variety of high technology uses



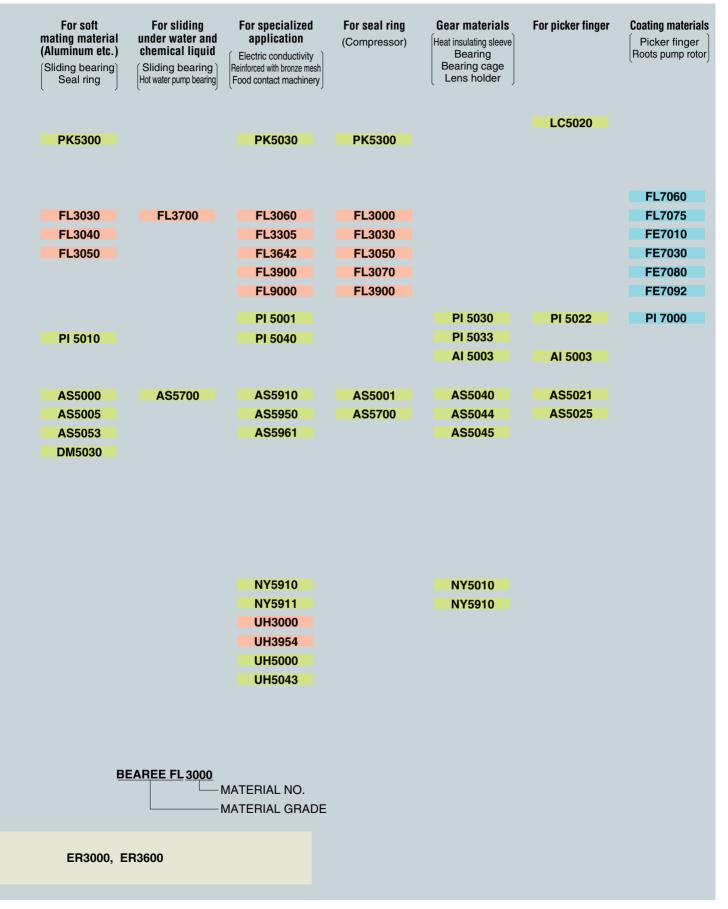


Table 1 Base Resins and Characteristics of Major Grades

Polyoxymethylene

"Sliding Rubber")

(Polyacetal)

Elastomer

Grade Characteristics **Base Resin** The base resin of BEAREE FL is a Fluoro plastic with excellent characteristics such as low friction, non-stick quality, and resistance to wear, heat, chemicals, and weather. Fluoro Plastics **BEAREE FL** Special additives are used in BEAREE FL to ensure the best performance in sliding (Tetrafluoroethylene) applications. (Compression molding, extrusion, and coating) The performance of BEAREE FE is slightly lower than that of BEAREE FL, but it has Fluoro Plastics better productivity. It is excellent for low friction and wear resistance, and is suitable for an **BEAREE FE** (other than Tetrafluoroethylene) antistick coating material. Fluoro oil (Injection molding, extrusion, and coating) BEAREE PI has excellent heat resistance and mechanical strength. This material has special fillers to improve the properties of polyimide, which is known as the highest heatresistant plastic. Thermosetting and thermoplastic types are available, and selected by the **BEAREE PI** Polyimide application. The high water absorption of this type should be taken into consideration in product design. (Injection molding, extrusion, compression molding and coating) Heat resistance of BEAREE AI is slightly lower than BEAREE PI, however it has excellent mechanical properties such as shock and fatigue resistance. **BEAREE AI** Polyamideimide The high water absorption of this type should be taken into consideration in product design. (Injection molding, extrusion, compression molding and coating) This material has lower performance than the "super" engineering plastics; however, this material takes advantage of the excellent properties of polyethylene, such as low friction, high resistance to wear, chemicals, and shocks, non-stick quality, and good **BEAREE UH** Polyethylene electrical properties. The shrinkage factor during molding and coefficient of thermal expansion are high, and the material is difficult to bond. (Injection molding, extrusion, and compression molding) BEAREE AS is widely applicable because its base resin of polyphenylenesulfide has excellent heat and wear resistance, mechanical properties and moldability. **BEAREE AS** Polyphenylensulfide Also, this material is suited for cost effective mass production. (Injection molding) This material has excellent heat resistance and mechanical strength, especially rigidity. When used with materials based on liquid crystal polymer designers should consider the BEAREE LC Aromatic polyester anisotropy of the material at product design. (Injection molding) BEAREE PK is based on polyetheretherketone, which has excellent properties close to polyimide in heat, chemical, shock and fatigue resistance, and self lubrication. Therefore, the characteristics of this material is similar to BEAREE PI and AI, however **BEAREE PK** Polyetheretherketone water absorption is less. It should be noted at product design that the shrinkage factor at molding is high. (Injection molding and extrusion) This material is based on polyamide, one of the most popular general purpose engineering plastics, and is superior in shock and wear resistance. The heat resistance of this material **BEAREE NY** Polyamide is lower than "super" engineering plastics, however, it is much more economical. It should be noted at product design that the shrinkage factor at molding is high. (Injection molding)

]: Molding method

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Products using materials such as BEAREE PI, BEAREE AI, BEAREE LC and BEAREE PK are considered strategic products as defined by the "Foreign Exchange and Trade Control Law" in specified use and figure. When exporting a product that comes under the regulation, an export license by the Japanese government is requested. Contact us for details.

(Injection molding)

wear and creep.

This material is based on polyoxymethylene that is superior in fatigue, creep and wear resistance and dimensional stability; however, because of the high levels of oxygen in the

molecular structure, fire retardance is difficult. Like BEAREE NY, this material is much

BEAREE ER is based on an elastomer. This "Sliding Rubber" is a fluoro plastic with

elasticity and is superior in elasticity, non stick quality, low friction and resistance to heat,

more economical than "super" engineering plastic based materials.

BEAREE DM

BEAREE ER

Standard Series of NTN Engineering Plastics Sliding Bearings

The following six series of standard bearings are prepared for a wide variety of applications.

Type AR (Sleeve Bearing)

AR series is machined from a bar or pipe made of BEAREE FL 3000 material.

This bearing only carries radial load and the standard bore size is $\,\phi$ 3 to $\,\phi$ 50mm.



Type ARF adds a flange to type AR and can carry radial and axial load. The standard bore size is ϕ 3 to ϕ 50mm.



Type BRF is made by injection molding and its material is BEAREE AS 5005. This bearing is flanged to carry radial and axial load. The standard bore size is ϕ 3 to ϕ 25mm. Lighter weight and more compact designs than with the ARF type are possible.

Type TW [Thrust Washer]

The Type TW thrust washer is made from BEAREE FL 3000 tape, the thickness is 0.8mm and standard bore is ϕ 6 to ϕ 50mm.

Type ML (M Liner bearing)

Type ML is a rolled steel plate bushing with BEAREE FL 3060 liner bonded on its bore, and the steel plate is zinc coated for rust prevention. This bearing carries higher pressure than types AR or ARF, having a thin wall, and a more compact design is possible. The standard bore size is ϕ 3 to ϕ 70mm and several widths are available for each bore.

MLC TYPE (MLC bearing)

The MLC type is a three layered bearing composed of a special filler containing tetrafluoroethylene impregnated on the porous sintered layer made of bronze powder sintered on the back metal steel plate. The MLC Bearing for radial loads, the flanged MLCF bearing that can accept radial and axial loads, and thrust load MLCW bearings are standardized.









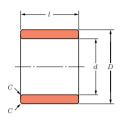




- 1. BEAREE FL can be deformed or scratched by shock load, etc. and BEAREE Pl can be cracked or chipped.
- 2. Surface roughness of the mating material greatly affects bearing life. NTN recommends surface roughness of 0.1-0.8Ra.
- 3. The operating temperature may loose the clearance in the shaft and result in overheating, burning and seizing of the mechanism. Completely check the relation between fittings and clearances before application.

Dimensions to be measured at 25°C



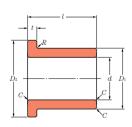


Part No.		Dimension	mm		Recommend	ed Fit mm	Minimum Mounted
Fait No.	d tolerances	D tolerances	l tolerances	C	Shaft h6	Housing M7	Clearance mm
R-AR0305	3 ^{+0.21} _{+0.16}	6 ^{+0.09} _{+0.04}	5 -0.20	0.3	3 -0.006	6 _{-0 012}	0.06
R-AR0406	4 ^{+0.21} _{+0.16}	7 ^{+0.09} _{+0.04}	6 -0.20	0.3	4 -0.006	7 ⁰ -0.015	0.06
R-AR0506	5 ^{+0.21} _{+0.16}	8 ^{+0.09} _{+0.04}	6 -0.20	0.3	5 ⁰ _{-0.008}	8 ⁰ -0.015	0.06
R-AR0608	6 ^{+0.21} _{+0.16}	9 +0.09	8 -0.20	0.3	6 -0.008	9 -0.015	0.06
R-AR0708	7 ^{+0.23} _{+0.18}	11 ^{+0.10} _{+0.05}	8 -0.20	0.5	7 -0.009	11 ⁰ _{-0.018}	0.06
R-AR0808	8 ^{+0.23} _{+0.18}	12 ^{+0.10} _{+0.05}	8 -0.20	0.5	8 -0.009	12 ⁰ _{-0.018}	0.06
R-AR0910	9 ^{+0.23} _{+0.18}	13 ^{+0.10} _{+0.05}	10 -0.25	0.5	9 -0.009	13 _{-0.018}	0.06
R-AR1010	10 ^{+0.24} _{+0.19}	14 ^{+0.10} _{+0.05}	10 -0.25	0.5	10 -0.009	14 ⁰ _{-0.018}	0.07
R-AR1210	12 ^{+0.24} _{+0.19}	16 ^{+0.10} _{+0.05}	10 -0.25	0.5	12 -0.011	16 _{-0.018}	0.07
R-AR1515	15 ^{+0.27} _{+0.20}	21 +0.10 +0.05	15 _{-0.25}	0.5	15 ⁰ _{-0.011}	21 -0.021	0.08
R-AR1715	17 ^{+0.27} _{+0.20}	23 +0.10 +0.05	15 ⁰ _{-0.25}	0.5	17 ⁰ -0.011	23 -0.021	0.08
R-AR2020	20 +0.33	26 ^{+0.11} _{+0.06}	20 -0.25	0.8	20 -0.013	26 _{-0.021}	0.08
R-AR2220	22 ^{+0.33} _{+0.21}	28 ^{+0.11} _{+0.06}	20 -0.25	0.8	22 _{-0.013}	28 -0.021	0.08
R-AR2525	25 ^{+0.33} _{+0.21}	31 ^{+0.11} _{+0.06}	25 _{-0.25}	0.8	25 _{-0.013}	31 _{-0.025}	0.08
R-AR2830	28 ^{+0.33} _{+0.21}	34 ^{+0.11} _{+0.06}	30 -0.25	0.8	28 _{-0.013}	34 _{-0.025}	0.08
R-AR3030	30 ^{+0.33} _{+0.21}	36 ^{+0.11} _{+0.06}	30 -0.25	0.8	30 _{-0.013}	36 _{-0.025}	0.08
R-AR3230	32 ^{+0.38} _{+0.22}	40 +0.11	30 -0.25	1.0	32 _{-0.016}	40 -0.025	0.09
R-AR3535	35 ^{+0.38} _{+0.22}	43 +0.11 +0.06	35 _{-0.25}	1.0	35 _{-0.016}	43 -0.025	0.09
R-AR4040	40 +0.38 +0.22	48 ^{+0.11} _{+0.06}	40 -0.25	1.0	40 -0.016	48 -0.025	0.09
R-AR4550	45 ^{+0.39} _{+0.23}	53 ^{+0.11} _{+0.06}	50 _{-0.25}	1.0	45 _{-0.016}	53 _{-0.030}	0.09
R-AR5050	50 ^{+0.39} _{+0.23}	60 ^{+0.11} _{+0.06}	50 _{-0.25}	1.0	50 _{-0.016}	60 _{-0.030}	0.09

Remark 1. Use 1.0×10^{-7} mm³/N·Em as a guide line for the specific wear rate K.

Dimensions to be measured at 25°C

Type ARF	
Flanged Sleeve Bearing	



Part No.		Dimen	ision mm			Recommen	Minimum Mounted	
rait No.	d tolerances	D_1 tolerances	$\it l$ tolerances	D_2	t tolerances	Shaft h6	Housing M7	Clearance mm
R-ARF0305	3 ^{+0.21} _{+0.16}	6 ^{+0.09} _{+0.04}	5 _{-0.20}	9	1.5 ^{+0.10}	3 _{-0.006}	6 ⁰ _{-0.012}	0.06
R-ARF0406	4 ^{+0.21} +0.16	7 ^{+0.09} _{+0.04}	6 -0.20	9	1.5 +0.10	4 -0.008	7 ⁰ _{-0.015}	0.06
R-ARF0508	5 ^{+0.21} +0.16	8 ^{+0.09} _{+0.04}	8 -0.20	11	1.5 +0.10	5 -0.008	8 _{-0.015}	0.06
R-ARF0608	6 ^{+0.21} _{+0.16}	9 +0.09	8 -0.20	12	1.5 +0.10	6 -0.008	9 -0.015	0.06
R-ARF0710	7 ^{+0.23} _{+0.18}	11 ^{+0.10} _{+0.05}	10 -0.25	15	2 +0.10	7 -0.009	11 ⁰ _{-0.018}	0.06
R-ARF0810	8 ^{+0.23} _{+0.18}	12 +0.10 +0.05	10 -0.25	16	2 +0.10	8 _{-0.009}	12 _{-0.018}	0.06
R-ARF0910	9 ^{+0.23} _{+0.18}	13 ^{+0.10} _{+0.05}	10 -0.25	17	2 +0.10	9 -0.009	13 _{-0.018}	0.06
R-ARF1015	10 ^{+0.24} _{+0.19}	14 ^{+0.10} _{+0.05}	15 ⁰ _{-0.25}	18	2 +0.10	10 -0.009	14 ⁰ _{-0.018}	0.07
R-ARF1215	12 ^{+0.24} _{+0.19}	16 ^{+0.10} _{+0.05}	15 _{-0.25}	20	2 +0.10	12 _{-0.011}	16 _{-0.018}	0.07
R-ARF1520	15 ^{+0.27} _{+0.20}	21 +0.10 +0.05	$20_{-0.25}^{0}$	27	3 +0.10	15 _{-0.011}	21 -0.021	0.08
R-ARF1720	17 ^{+0.27} _{+0.20}	23 +0.10 +0.05	$20_{-0.25}^{0}$	29	3 +0.10	17 _{-0.011}	23 -0.021	0.08
R-ARF2025	20 +0.33	26 +0.11 +0.06	25 _{-0.25}	32	3 +0.10	20 -0.013	26 _{-0.021}	0.08
R-ARF2225	22 ^{+0.33} _{+0.21}	28 +0.11 +0.06	25 _{-0.25}	34	3 +0.10	22 _{-0.013}	28 -0.021	0.08
R-ARF2530	25 ^{+0.33} _{+0.21}	31 +0.11 +0.06	30 _{-0.25}	37	3 +0.10	25 _{-0.013}	31 _{-0.025}	0.08
R-ARF2830	28 ^{+0.33} _{+0.21}	34 +0.11 +0.06	30 _{-0.25}	40	3 ^{+0.10} -0.05	28 _{-0.013}	34 _{-0.025}	0.08
R-ARF3035	30 ^{+0.33} _{+0.21}	36 ^{+0.11} _{+0.06}	35 _{-0.25}	42	3 ^{+0.10} -0.05	30 _{-0.013}	36 _{-0.025}	0.08
R-ARF3235	32 ^{+0.38} _{+0.22}	40 +0.11 +0.06	$35_{-0.25}^{0}$	48	4 +0.10 -0.05	32 _{-0.016}	40 -0.025	0.09
R-ARF3540	35 ^{+0.38} _{+0.22}	43 +0.11 +0.06	40 $^{0}_{-0.25}$	51	4 ^{+0.10} -0.05	35 _{-0.016}	43 -0.025	0.09
R-ARF4045	40 +0.38 +0.22	48 +0.11 +0.06	45 _{-0.25}	56	4 +0.10 -0.05	40 _{-0.016}	48 -0.025	0.09
R-ARF4550	45 ^{+0.39} _{+0.23}	53 ^{+0.11} _{+0.06}	50 _{-0.25}	61	4 +0.10 -0.05	45 _{-0.016}	53 -0.030	0.09
R-ARF5060	50 ^{+0.39} _{+0.23}	60 ^{+0.11} _{+0.06}	60 _{-0.25}	70	5 +0.10 -0.05	50 _{-0.016}	60 -0.030	0.09

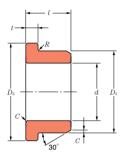
Remarks 1. The corner radius of flange is 0.2 mm or smaller.

- 2. Dimensions of chamfer is the same as Type AR for the same bore.
- 3. The minimum mounting clearance shall be the value when the product is mounted on the M7 ultra strong housing.

 4. Use 1.0x10⁻⁷ mm³/N·Em as a guide line for the specific wear rate *K*.

Dimensions to be measured at 25°C





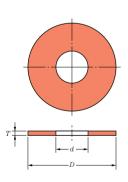
Dort No.		Dimer		Recommen	Minimum Mounted			
Part No.	d tolerances	D_1 tolerances	l tolerances	D_2	t tolerances	Shaft h7	Housing H7	Clearance mm
R-BRF0304	3 ^{+0.21} _{+0.16}	6 ^{+0.11} _{+0.06}	4 ±0.2	9	1.5±0.1	3 _{-0.010}	6 ^{+0.012}	0.05
R-BRF0404	4 ^{+0.22} _{+0.17}	7 ^{+0.12} _{+0.06}	4 ±0.2	10	1.5±0.1	4 -0.012	7 ^{+0.015}	0.05
R-BRF0505	5 ^{+0.22} _{+0.17}	8 ^{+0.12} _{+0.06}	5 ±0.2	11	1.5±0.1	5 ⁰ _{-0.012}	8 ^{+0.015}	0.05
R-BRF0605	6 ^{+0.22} _{+0.17}	9 +0.12 +0.06	5 ±0.2	12	1.5±0.1	6 _{-0.012}	9 +0.015	0.05
R-BRF0806	8 +0.26	12 ^{+0.14} _{+0.07}	6 ±0.2	15	2 ±0.1	8 ⁰ _{-0.015}	12 ^{+0.018}	0.06
R-BRF1008	10 ^{+0.27} _{+0.21}	14 ^{+0.14} _{+0.07}	8 ±0.2	17	2 ±0.1	10 _{-0.015}	14 ^{+0.018}	0.07
R-BRF1208	12 ^{+0.28} _{+0.21}	16 ^{+0.14} _{+0.07}	8 ±0.2	19	2 ±0.1	12 _{-0.018}	16 ^{+0.018}	0.07
R-BRF1510	15 ^{+0.30} _{+0.23}	21 +0.15 +0.07	10 ±0.2	24	3 ±0.1	15 ⁰ -0.018	21 +0.021	0.08
R-BRF2012	20 +0.31 +0.23	26 ^{+0.15} _{+0.07}	12 ±0.2	29	3 ±0.1	20 -0.021	26 ^{+0.021}	0.08
R-BRF2515	25 ^{+0.32} _{+0.24}	31 ^{+0.16} _{+0.08}	15 ±0.2	34	3 ±0.1	25 _{-0.021}	31 ^{+0.025}	0.08

Remarks 1. Dimension of chamfer is 0.3 mm for 6mm or smaller bore and 0.5mm for 8 mm or larger bore.

- The corner radius of flange is 0.2 mm or smaller.
 Use 1.5×10⁻⁷ mm³/N·Em as a guide line for the specific wear rate K.

Type TW

Thrust Washer



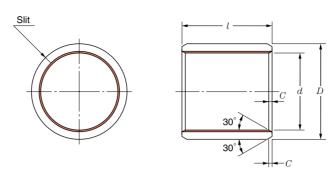
Dimensions to be measured at 25°C

	D	imension m	m
Part No.	d +0,25	\bigcup_{0}^{D}	T
	0	-0.25	±0.06
R-TW0613	6.2	12.8	0.8
R-TW0715	7.2	14.8	0.8
R-TW0815	8.2	14.8	0.8
R-TW0920	9.2	19.8	0.8
R-TW1020	10.2	19.8	0.8
R-TW1225	12.2	24.7	0.8
R-TW1530	15.3	29.7	0.8
R-TW1735	17.3	34.6	0.8
R-TW2040	20.4	39.6	0.8
R-TW2245	22.4	44.5	0.8
R-TW2550	25.4	49.5	0.8
R-TW2855	28.4	54.4	0.8
R-TW3060	30.4	59.4	0.8
R-TW3260	32.4	59.4	0.8
R-TW3565	35.6	64.3	0.8
R-TW4070	40.6	69.3	0.8
R-TW4575	45.6	74.2	0.8
R-TW5080	50.8	79.2	0.8

Remark 1. Use 1.0×10^{-7} mm³/N·Em as a guide line for the specific wear rate K.

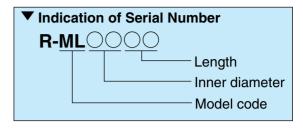
Standard Series of NTN Engineering Plastics Sliding Bearings





Inner	Outer					Part No.					
diameter d	diameter D				Length l (1	olerances ₋₀	₂₅) mm				
mm	mm	3	4	5	6	7	8	10	12	15	20
3	5	R-ML0303	R-ML0304	R-ML0305	R-ML0306						
4	6		R-ML0404		R-ML0406		R-ML0408				
5	7		R-ML0504	R-ML0505	R-ML0506		R-ML0508				
6	8			R-ML0605	R-ML0606	R-ML0607	R-ML0608	R-ML0610			
7	9			R-ML0705		R-ML0707		R-ML0710	R-ML0712		
8	10				R-ML0806		R-ML0808	R-ML0810	R-ML0812		
9	11							R-ML0910			
10	12				R-ML1006	R-ML1007	R-ML1008	R-ML1010	R-ML1012	R-ML1015	R-ML1020
12	14				R-ML1206		R-ML1208	R-ML1210	R-ML1212	R-ML1215	R-ML1220
13	15									R-ML1315	
14	16							R-ML1410	R-ML1412	R-ML1415	R-ML1420
15	17							R-ML1510	R-ML1512	R-ML1515	R-ML1520
16	18							R-ML1610	R-ML1612	R-ML1615	R-ML1620
17	19									R-ML1715	
18	20							R-ML1810	R-ML1812	R-ML1815	R-ML1820
19	22									R-ML1915	
20	23							R-ML2010	R-ML2012	R-ML2015	R-ML2020
22	25							R-ML2210	R-ML2212	R-ML2215	R-ML2220
24	27									R-ML2415	R-ML2420
25	28							R-ML2510	R-ML2512	R-ML2515	R-ML2520
26	30										R-ML2620
28	32								R-ML2812	R-ML2815	R-ML2820
30	34								R-ML3012	R-ML3015	R-ML3020
31	35										
32	36										R-ML3220
35	39								R-ML3512		R-ML3520
38	42										R-ML3820
40	44								R-ML4012		R-ML4020
45	50										R-ML4520
50	55							R-ML5010			R-ML5020
55	60										
60	65										
65	70										
70	75										

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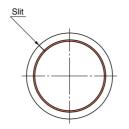


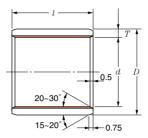
Dimensions to be measured at 25°C

	Part No.							ended Fit	Mounted clearance mm	
	Leng	th $\it l$ (Toleran	ices _{-0.25})	mm		C	m	ı m	(When mount housing m	ed in H7 ade of carbide)
25	30	40	50	60	80	mm	Shaft h7	Housing H7	Minimum	Maximum
						0.3	3 -0.010	5 ^{+0.012}	0.025	0.075
						0.5	4 -0.012	6 ^{+0.012}	0.025	0.085
						0.5	5 _{-0.012}	7 ^{+0.015}	0.025	0.095
						0.5	6 -0.012	8 ^{+0.015}	0.025	0.095
						0.5	7 ⁰ _{-0.015}	9 +0.015	0.025	0.100
						0.5	8 -0.015	10 +0.015	0.025	0.100
						0.5	9 -0.015	11 ^{+0.018}	0.025	0.100
						0.5	10 -0.015	12 ^{+0.018}	0.025	0.100
						0.5	12 -0.018	14 ^{+0.018}	0.025	0.115
						0.5	13 -0.018	15 ^{+0.018}	0.025	0.115
						0.5	14 -0.018	16 ^{+0.018}	0.025	0.115
R-ML1525						0.5	15 ⁰ _{-0.018}	17 ^{+0.018}	0.025	0.115
R-ML1625						0.5	16 _{-0.018}	18 ^{+0.018}	0.025	0.115
						0.5	17 ⁰ _{-0.018}	19 ^{+0.021}	0.025	0.115
R-ML1825						0.5	18 _{-0.018}	20 +0.021	0.025	0.115
						0.7	19 -0.021	22 +0.021	0.025	0.130
R-ML2025	R-ML2030					0.7	20 -0.021	23 +0.021	0.025	0.130
R-ML2225						0.7	22 -0.021	25 ^{+0.021}	0.025	0.130
R-ML2425	R-ML2430					0.7	24 _{-0.021}	27 ^{+0.021}	0.025	0.130
R-ML2525	R-ML2530					0.7	25 _{-0.021}	28 ^{+0.021}	0.025	0.130
R-ML2625	R-ML2630					0.9	26 _{-0.021}	30 +0.021	0.025	0.130
	R-ML2830					0.9	28 _{-0.021}	32 ^{+0.025}	0.025	0.135
R-ML3025	R-ML3030	R-ML3040				0.9	30 -0.021	34 ^{+0.025}	0.025	0.135
R-ML3125		R-ML3140				0.9	31 _{-0.025}	35 ^{+0.025}	0.035	0.165
R-ML3225	R-ML3230	R-ML3240				0.9	32 -0.025	36 ^{+0.025}	0.035	0.165
R-ML3525	R-ML3530	R-ML3540	R-ML3550			0.9	35 _{-0.025}	39 ^{+0.025}	0.035	0.165
		R-ML3840				0.9	38 -0.025	42 ^{+0.025}	0.035	0.165
R-ML4025	R-ML4030	R-ML4040	R-ML4050			0.9	40 -0.025	44 ^{+0.025}	0.035	0.165
R-ML4525	R-ML4530	R-ML4540	R-ML4550			1.1	45 -0.025	50 ^{+0.025}	0.035	0.165
	R-ML5030	R-ML5040	R-ML5050	R-ML5060		1.1	50 _{-0.025}	55 ^{+0.030}	0.035	0.165
	R-ML5530	R-ML5540		R-ML5560		1.1	55 _{-0.030}	60 ^{+0.030}	0.045	0.195
	R-ML6030	R-ML6040		R-ML6060		1.1	60 -0.030	65 ^{+0.030}	0.045	0.195
	R-ML6530	R-ML6540		R-ML6560		1.1	65 _{-0.030}	70 +0.030	0.045	0.195
		R-ML7040		R-ML7060	R-ML7080	1.1	70 -0.030	75 ^{+0.030}	0.045	0.195

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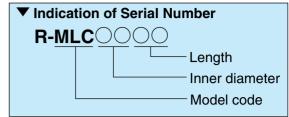


Note) The chamfering dimensions for a bush, 10mm or less in outside diameter or 7mm or less in length, should be limited to those needed for deburring, regardless of dimensioning in the drawing.

	Inner	Outer		should be limited to those needed for deburring, regardless of dimensioning in the drawing. Length ℓ (Tolerances $_{-0.4}^{0}$)											
S			3	4	5	6					15	20	25	30	
MILCORD MILC			MLC0303	MLC0304	MLC0305	MLC0306									
Miles	4	6	MLC0403	MLC0404		MLC0406		MLC0408							
MILCORO	5	7		MLC0504	MLC0505	MLC0506		MLC0508							
B	6	8			MLC0605	MLC0606	MLC0607	MLC0608	MLC0610						
9	7	9			MLC0705		MLC0707		MLC0710	MLC0712					
10 12	8	10			MLC0805	MLC0806	MLC0807	MLC0808	MLC0810	MLC0812					
12	9	11					MLC0907		MLC0910						
13	10	12				MLC1006	MLC1007	MLC1008	MLC1010	MLC1012	MLC1015	MLC1020			
14	12	14				MLC1206		MLC1208	MLC1210	MLC1212	MLC1215	MLC1220			
15	13	15						MLC1308	MLC1310		MLC1315				
Mate	14	16				MLC1406			MLC1410	MLC1412	MLC1415	MLC1420			
17	15	17						MLC1508	MLC1510	MLC1512	MLC1515	MLC1520	MLC1525		
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MIC	17	19									MLC1715	MLC1720			
MIC2010 MIC2012 MIC2015 MIC2020 MIC2025 MIC2	18	20							MLC1810	MLC1812	MLC1815	MLC1820	MLC1825		
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MIC2410	20	23							MLC2010	MLC2012	MLC2015	MLC2020	MLC2025	MLC2030	
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Mate	25	28							MLC2510	MLC2512	MLC2515	MLC2520	MLC2525	MLC2530	
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31 35	28	32							MLC2810	MLC2812	MLC2815	MLC2820	MLC2825	MLC2830	
32 36	30	34							MLC3010	MLC3012	MLC3015	MLC3020	MLC3025	MLC3030	
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38 42	32	36										MLC3220	MLC3225	MLC3230	
Material	35	39							MLC3510	MLC3512	MLC3515	MLC3520	MLC3525	MLC3530	
MLC4512	38	42										MLC3820	MLC3825	MLC3830	
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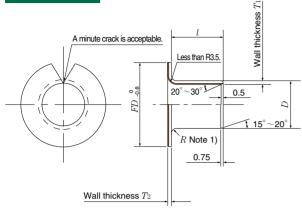
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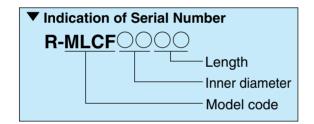
Dimensions to be measured at 25°C / unit in mm

			Length	l (Tolera	nces _{-0.4})				Wall thickness	Recommended	Recommended	
35	40	50	60	70	80	90	95	100	T	shaft $d{ m a}$	housing Da	
										3 -0.025 -0.035	5 (H7) ^{+0.012}	
										4 -0.025 -0.037	6 (H7) ^{+0.012}	
										5 -0.025 -0.037	7 (H7) ^{+0.015}	
										$6 \begin{array}{c} -0.025 \\ -0.037 \end{array}$	8 (H7) ^{+0.015}	
										7 -0.025 -0.040	9 (H7) ^{+0.015}	
										8 -0.025 -0.040	10 (H7) ^{+0.015}	
										$9 \begin{array}{c} -0.025 \\ -0.040 \end{array}$	11 (H7) ^{+0.018}	
									$1.0 {0 \atop -0.025}$	10 -0.025 -0.040	12 (H7) ^{+0.018}	
										$12 \begin{array}{c} -0.025 \\ -0.043 \end{array}$	14 (H7) ^{+0.018}	
										$13 \begin{array}{c} -0.025 \\ -0.043 \end{array}$	15 (H7) ^{+0.018}	
										$\begin{array}{ccc} 14 & ^{-0.025} \\ & ^{-0.043} \end{array}$	16 (H7) ^{+0.018}	
										$15 \begin{array}{c} -0.025 \\ -0.043 \end{array}$	17 (H7) ^{+0.018}	
										$\begin{array}{cc} -0.025 \\ -0.043 \end{array}$	18 (H7) ^{+0.018}	
										$17 \begin{array}{c} -0.025 \\ -0.043 \end{array}$	19 (H7) ^{+0.021}	
										18 ^{-0.025} -0.043	20 (H7) ^{+0.021}	
										$19 \begin{array}{c} -0.025 \\ -0.046 \end{array}$	22 (H7) ^{+0.021}	
										$20 \begin{array}{c} -0.025 \\ -0.046 \end{array}$	23 (H7) ^{+0.021}	
									$1.5 \begin{array}{c} 0 \\ -0.030 \end{array}$	$22 \begin{array}{c} -0.025 \\ -0.046 \end{array}$	25 (H7) ^{+0.021}	
										$24 \begin{array}{c} -0.025 \\ -0.046 \end{array}$	27 (H7) ^{+0.021}	
MLC2535	MLC2540									$25 \begin{array}{l} -0.025 \\ -0.046 \end{array}$	28 (H7) ^{+0.021}	
										$26 \begin{array}{l} -0.025 \\ -0.046 \end{array}$	30 (H7) ^{+0.021}	
										$28 \begin{array}{l} -0.025 \\ -0.046 \end{array}$	32 (H7) ^{+0.025}	
MLC3035	MLC3040									$30 \begin{array}{c} -0.025 \\ -0.046 \end{array}$	34 (H7) ^{+0.025}	
	MLC3140								2.0 0	$31 \begin{array}{c} -0.025 \\ -0.050 \end{array}$	35 (H7) ^{+0.025}	
MLC3235	MLC3240	MLC3250							2.0 -0.030	$32 \begin{array}{c} -0.025 \\ -0.050 \end{array}$	36 (H7) ^{+0.025}	
MLC3535	MLC3540	MLC3550								$35 \begin{array}{c} -0.025 \\ -0.050 \end{array}$	39 (H7) ^{+0.025}	
MLC3835	MLC3840									38 ^{-0.025} -0.050	42 (H7) ^{+0.025}	
MLC4035	MLC4040	MLC4050								40 ^{-0.025} -0.050	44 (H7) ^{+0.025}	
MLC4535	MLC4540	MLC4550								$45 \begin{array}{c} -0.025 \\ -0.050 \end{array}$	50 (H7) ^{+0.025}	
MLC5035	MLC5040	MLC5050	MLC5060		MLC5080				0.5	$50 \begin{array}{c} -0.025 \\ -0.050 \end{array}$	55 (H7) ^{+0.030}	
MLC5535	MLC5540	MLC5550	MLC5560						2.5 - 0.040	55 ^{-0.025} -0.055	60 (H7) ^{+0.030}	
MLC6035	MLC6040	MLC6050	MLC6060	MLC6070						60 ^{-0.025} -0.055	65 (H7) ^{+0.030}	
	MLC6540	MLC6550	MLC6560	MLC6570						65 ^{+0.035} _{+0.005}	70 (H7) ^{+0.030}	
MLC7035	MLC7040	MLC7050	MLC7060		MLC7080					70 ^{+0.035} +0.005	75 (H7) ^{+0.030}	
MLC7535	MLC7540	MLC7550	MLC7560		MLC7580					75 ^{+0.035} _{+0.005}	80 (H7) ^{+0.030}	
	MLC8040	MLC8050	MLC8060		MLC8080					80 ^{+0.035} +0.005	85 (H7) ^{+0.035} ₀	
	MLC8540	MLC8550	MLC8560		MLC8580					85 ^{+0.035}	90 (H7) ^{+0.035}	
MLC9035	MLC9040	MLC9050	MLC9060			MLC9090				90 +0.035	95 (H7) ^{+0.035}	
MLC9535	MLC9540									95 ^{+0.035}	100 (H7) ^{+0.035}	
MLC10035	MLC10040	MLC10050		MLC10070			MLC10095		$2.47 ^{0}_{-0.050}$	100 +0.035	105 (H7) ^{+0.035}	
		MLC10550				MLC10590	MLC10595			105 +0.035	110 (H7) ^{+0.035}	
MLC11035	MLC11040	MLC11050	MLC11060	MLC11070	MLC11080	MLC11090	MLC11095			110 +0.035	115 (H7) ^{+0.035} ₀	
	MLC12040	MLC12050	MLC12060	MLC12070			MLC12095			120 +0.035	125 (H7) ^{+0.040}	
		MLC13050			MLC13080					130 ^{+0.035} -0.005	135 (H7) ^{+0.040}	
		MLC14050		MLC14070	MLC14080			MLC140100		140 ^{+0.035} -0.005	145 (H7) ^{+0.040}	
	MLC15040	MLC15050			MLC15080			MLC150100		150 ^{+0.035} -0.005	155 (H7) ^{+0.040} ₀	
		MLC16050			MLC16080			MLC160100		$160 \begin{array}{l} +0.035 \\ -0.005 \end{array}$	165 (H7) ^{+0.040}	





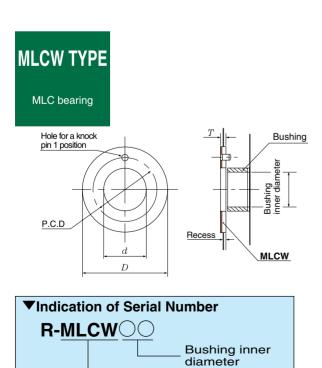
Note 1) The dimension R shown in the above drawing is less than 0.75 when the wall thickness T_1 = 1.0, but less than 1.0 when the wall thickness T_2 is larger than 1.5.



Inner	Outer diameter	Collar		Len	gth l (Tole	rances 0)	
d	D	FD	3	4	5	6	7	8
3	4.6	7	MLCF0303					
4	5.6	9		MLCF0404				
5	7	10		MLCF0504	MLCF0505			
6	8	12			MLCF0605	MLCF0606	MLCF0607	MLCF0608
7	9	13			MLCF0705		MLCF0707	
8	10	15				MLCF0806		MLCF0808
10	12	18				MLCF1006	MLCF1007	MLCF1008
12	14	20				MLCF1206		MLCF1208
14	16	22						
15	17	23						
16	18	24						
18	20	26						
20	23	31						
22	25	33						
24	27	35						
25	28	36						
26	30	38						
28	32	40						
30	34	42						
31	35	45						
32	36	46						
35	39	49						
38	42	52						
40	44	54						
45	50	60						
50	55	65						
55	60	70						
60	65	75						

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Model code

Bushing inner diameter for combination	Part No.	Inner diameter d mm	Outer diameter D mm	Wall thickness T mm
6	MLCW06	8 ^{+0.25}	16 _{-0.25}	1.5 -0.03
8	MLCW08	10 ^{+0.25}	18 _{-0.25}	1.5 ^{-0.03} _{-0.08}
10	MLCW10	12 ^{+0.25}	24 _{-0.25}	1.5 -0.03
12	MLCW12	14 ^{+0.25}	26 _{-0.25}	1.5 -0.03
14	MLCW14	16 ^{+0.25}	30 -0.25	1.5 -0.03
16	MLCW16	18 ^{+0.25}	32 _{-0.25}	1.5 ^{-0.03} _{-0.08}
18	MLCW18	20 +0.25	36 _{-0.25}	1.5 -0.03
20	MLCW20	22 ^{+0.25}	38 _{-0.25}	1.5 -0.03
22	MLCW22	24 ^{+0.25}	42 _{-0.25}	1.5 -0.03
24	MLCW24	26 ^{+0.25}	44 -0.25	1.5 -0.03
25	MLCW25	28 ^{+0.25}	48 _{-0.25}	1.5 -0.03
30	MLCW30	32 ^{+0.25}	54 _{-0.25}	1.5 -0.03
35	MLCW35	38 ^{+0.25}	62 _{-0.25}	1.5 -0.03
40	MLCW40	42 ^{+0.25}	66 _{-0.25}	1.5 -0.03
45	MLCW45	48 ^{+0.25}	74 _{-0.25}	2.0 -0.03
50	MLCW50	52 ^{+0.25}	78 _{-0.25}	2.0 -0.03

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Dimensions to be measured at 25°C / unit in mm

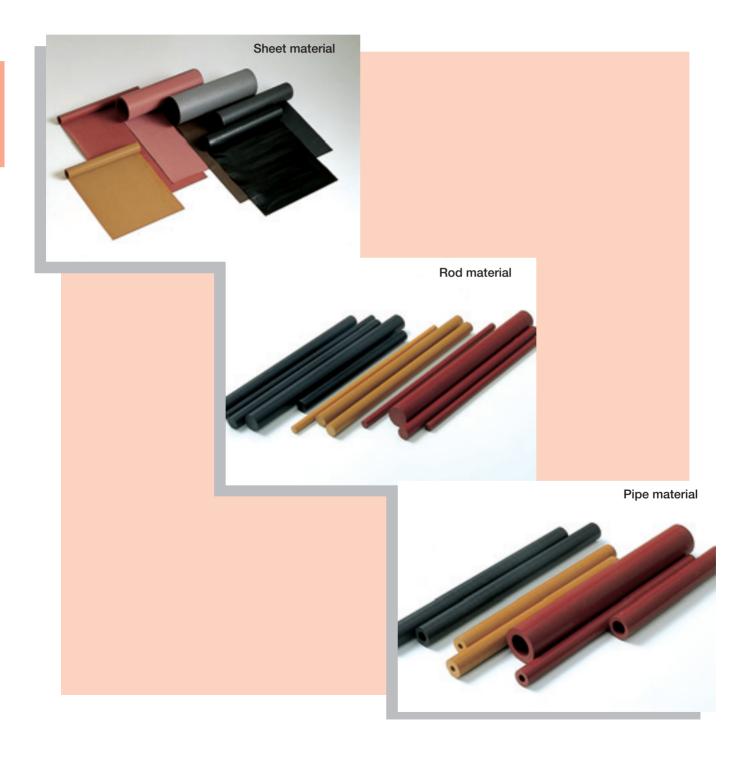
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10	12	15	20	25	30	40	45	50	60	<i>T</i> ₁	T_2	shaft da	housing Da
										0	0	3 -0.025 -0.035	4.6 (H7) ^{+0.012}
										0.8 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	$0.8_{-0.2}^{0}$	4 -0.025 -0.037	5.6 (H7) ^{+0.012}
												5 -0.025 -0.037	7 (H7) ^{+0.015}
MLCF0610												6 ^{-0.025} -0.037	8 (H7) ^{+0.015}
MLCF0710	MLCF0712											7 ^{-0.025} -0.040	9 (H7) ^{+0.015}
MLCF0810	MLCF0812											8 ^{-0.025} -0.040	10 (H7) ^{+0.015}
MLCF1010	MLCF1012	MLCF1015								1.0 -0.025	100	10 -0.025 -0.040	12 (H7) ^{+0.018}
MLCF1210	MLCF1212	MLCF1215	MLCF1220							1.0 -0.025	1.0 -0.2	12 ^{-0.025} -0.043	14 (H7) ^{+0.018}
MLCF1410	MLCF1412	MLCF1415	MLCF1420									14 ^{-0.025} -0.043	16 (H7) ^{+0.018}
MLCF1510	MLCF1512	MLCF1515	MLCF1520	MLCF1525								15 ^{-0.025} -0.043	17 (H7) ^{+0.018}
MLCF1610	MLCF1612	MLCF1615	MLCF1620	MLCF1625								16 ^{-0.025} -0.043	18 (H7) ^{+0.018}
MLCF1810	MLCF1812	MLCF1815	MLCF1820	MLCF1825								18 ^{-0.025} -0.043	20 (H7) ^{+0.021}
MLCF2010	MLCF2012	MLCF2015	MLCF2020	MLCF2025	MLCF2030							20 -0.025 -0.046	23 (H7) ^{+0.021}
MLCF2210	MLCF2212	MLCF2215	MLCF2220	MLCF2225						1.5 -0.030	4 = 0	22 ^{-0.025} -0.046	25 (H7) ^{+0.021}
		MLCF2415	MLCF2420	MLCF2425	MLCF2430					1.5 -0.030	1.5 -0.2	24 ^{-0.025} -0.046	27 (H7) ^{+0.021}
MLCF2510	MLCF2512	MLCF2515	MLCF2520	MLCF2525	MLCF2530							25 ^{-0.025} -0.046	28 (H7) ^{+0.021}
		MLCF2615	MLCF2620									26 ^{-0.025} -0.046	30 (H7) ^{+0.021}
	MLCF2812	MLCF2815	MLCF2820	MLCF2825	MLCF2830							28 ^{-0.025} -0.046	32 (H7) ^{+0.025}
	MLCF3012	MLCF3015	MLCF3020	MLCF3025	MLCF3030	MLCF3040						30 ^{-0.025} -0.046	34 (H7) ^{+0.025}
				MLCF3125						200	0 2.0 0	31 ^{-0.025} -0.050	35 (H7) ^{+0.025}
			MLCF3220	MLCF3225	MLCF3230					2.0 -0.030	2.0 -0.2	32 ^{-0.025} -0.050	36 (H7) ^{+0.025}
	MLCF3512		MLCF3520	MLCF3525	MLCF3530	MLCF3540	MLCF3545	MLCF3550				35 ^{-0.025} -0.050	39 (H7) ^{+0.025}
			MLCF3820	MLCF3825	MLCF3830	MLCF3840						38 ^{-0.025} -0.050	42 (H7) ^{+0.025}
	MLCF4012		MLCF4020	MLCF4025	MLCF4030	MLCF4040		MLCF4050				40 -0.025 -0.050	44 (H7) ^{+0.025}
			MLCF4520	MLCF4525	MLCF4530	MLCF4540		MLCF4550		2.5_0.040		45 ^{-0.025} -0.050	50 (H7) ^{+0.025}
			MLCF5020	MLCF5025	MLCF5030	MLCF5040		MLCF5050	MLCF5060		25 0	50 ^{-0.025} -0.050	55 (H7) ^{+0.030}
					MLCF5530	MLCF5540		MLCF5550	MLCF5560		2.0 -0.3	55 ^{-0.025} -0.055	60 (H7) ^{+0.030}
					MLCF6030	MLCF6040		MLCF6050	MLCF6060			60 ^{-0.025} -0.055	65 (H7) ^{+0.030}

Dimensions to be measured at 25°C

Knock pin hole diameter	Position of a knock pin P.C.D	Depth of the housing recess
mm	mm	mm
1.100~1.300	12 ±0.12	0.95~1.20
1.100~1.300	14 ±0.12	0.95~1.20
1.625~1.875	18 ±0.12	0.95~1.20
2.125~2.375	20 ±0.12	0.95~1.20
2.125~2.375	23 ±0.12	0.95~1.20
2.125~2.375	25 ±0.12	0.95~1.20
3.125~3.375	28 ±0.12	0.95~1.20
3.125~3.375	30 ±0.12	0.95~1.20
3.125~3.375	33 ±0.12	0.95~1.20
3.125~3.375	35 ±0.12	0.95~1.20
4.125~4.375	38 ±0.12	0.95~1.20
4.125~4.375	43 ±0.12	0.95~1.20
4.125~4.375	50 ±0.12	0.95~1.20
4.125~4.375	54 ±0.12	0.95~1.20
4.125~4.375	61 ±0.12	1.45~1.70
4.125~4.375	65 ±0.12	1.45~1.70

NTN Engineering Plastics Material Standard Dimensions

NTN Engineering Plastics are widely used in many areas such as the machinery, electric, chemical industries. Among the materials of NTN Engineering Plastics, the most popular series of fluoroplastics based (BEAREE FL 3000, FL 3020, FL 3030, FL 3700, FL 3305) and ultra-high-molecular-weight polyethylene (BEAREE UH 3954, UH 3000) are prepared in sheets, rods or pipes for your own fabrication.



Sheet material

Sheet material is skived (turned) from a large billet made by compression molding.

Surface treatment (etching) is required to make the sheet bondable.

In the case of using the sheet by bonding with adhesives, the material should be treated through the preparation process for bonding (TOS). BEAREE UH 3954 cannot be etched.

One side of BEAREE FL 3305 sheet is pre-etched for bonding unless otherwise requested.

Sheet material dimension table

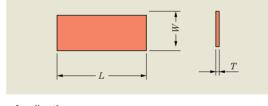
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Dimension					Mate	erial		
Thickness (T)	Width (W)	$\begin{array}{c} \textbf{Maximum} \\ \textbf{continuous length*} \\ (L) \\ \textbf{m} \end{array}$	BEAREE FL3000	BEAREE FL3020	BEAREE FL3030	BEAREE FL3700	BEAREE FL3305	BEAREE UH3954
0.1±0.02								0
0.2±0.02								0
0.3±0.03			0	0	0	0	0	0
0.4±0.04		10	0	0	0	0	0	0
0.5±0.05		10	0	0	0	0	0	0
0.6±0.06			0	0	0	0	0	
0.8±0.06	300 ⁺³⁰		0	0	0	0	0	0
1 ±0.1	-		0	0	0	0	0	0
1.2±0.1	500 +30		0	0	0	0	0	
1.5±0.1	for BEAREE	5	0	0	0	0	0	
2 ±0.2	FL3020		0	0	0	0	0	
2.5±0.2			0	0	0	0	0	
3 ±0.3			0	0	0	0	0	
4 ±0.3		1	0	0	0	0	0	
5 ±0.4			0	0	0	0	0	
6 ±0.5			0	0	0	0	0	

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* Length code for 1 m is M1.



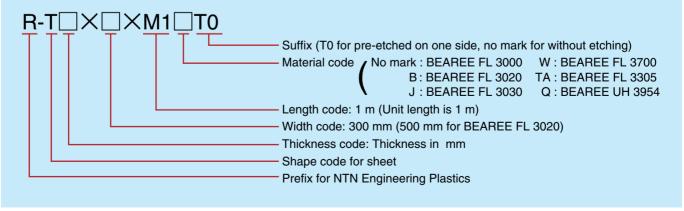


<Applications>
Slider tape

Washer

PackingOther machine parts

Use the following designation of part number when making an order.



(Example) R-T0.3 \times 300 \times M1T0 BEAREE FL 3000 sheet with 0.3mm in thickness, 300mm in width, 1m in length and pre-etched on one side.

NOTE : For more than 1m in length, designate "CONTINUOUS SHEET"

Rod material

This material is formed by ram extrusion as a round bar. This material is made by ram extrusion to size. This material can be machined to the required profile by turning or milling.

Rod material dimension table

(Unit in mm)

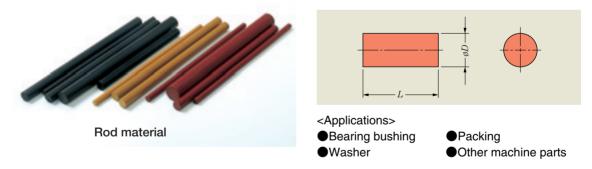
Dime	nsion		Material				
0.D. (<i>ϕ D</i>)	Length (L)	BEAREE FL3000	BEAREE FL3030	BEAREE FL3700	BEAREE UH3000		
9		0	0	0			
12		0					
13				0			
15		0		0			
17		0	0	0	0		
19		0		0			
20				0			
21	1,000*				0		
22		0		0			
23		0		0			
28		0		0			
30					0		
33		0		0			
37		0		0			

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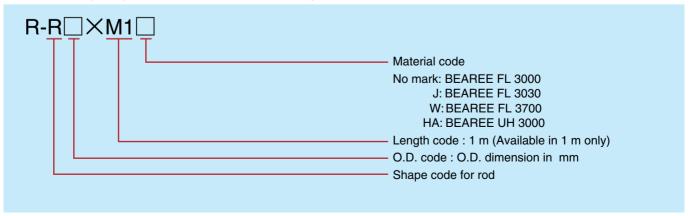
The machining allowance should be deducted from the above shown dimensions.

Material dimensions exclude the turning surplus.

^{*} Length code for 1000 mm is M1.



Use the following designation of part number when making an order.



(Example) R-R13×M1W

BEAREE FL 3700 rod material, 13mm in O.D. and 1m in length.

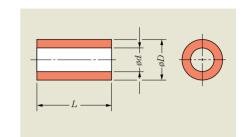
Pipe material

This pipe material is made by ram extrusion to a cylinder. This material can be machined to the required profile by turning or milling.

Dimension table for pipe material

(Unit in mm)

Dimension			Material			
I.D.(\(\phi \) d)	0.D.(\(\phi D \)	Length(L)	BEAREE FL 3000	BEAREE FL 3030	BEAREE FL 3700	BEAREE UH 3000
7	22			0		
9	19		0		0	
10	25					0
11	20		0			
13	21					0
13	23			0	0	
13	28		0			
15	20				0	
15	26		0			
15	28				0	
15	30		0			
17	26	1,000*			0	
17	27	1,000		0		
18	33		0		0	
19	34					0
21	31			0		
21	38		0		0	
21	42				0	
21	45					0
27	43		0			
27	45					0
29	36			0		
35	43			0		
38	46			0		



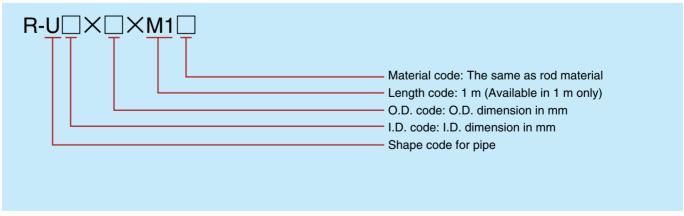


Marked \bigcirc is available however these materials are made by order. The machining allowance should be deducted from the above shown dimensions. Material dimensions exclude the turning surplus.

<Applications>

- Sliding bearing
- •Washer
- Valve seat
- Other machine parts

Use the following designation of part number when making an order.



(Example) R-U13×23×M1J

BEAREE FL 3030 pipe material, 13mm in I.D., 23mm O.D. and 1m in length.

^{*} Length code for 1000 mm is M1.



Introduction of Materials and Products for Applications

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This high performance sliding bearing uses base materials such as polyimide (PI), polyamideimide (PAI), polyphenylensulfide (PPS), polyacetal (POM), polyamide (PA), polyethylene (PE) featuring the fluoro plastics (PTFE) as a main material.

Bearings, piston rings and seal rings with unique characteristics of each base plastics can be manufactured according to orders.

Table 1 Allowable pressure, feature and applications

Properties	Base Resin	Allowable pressure		Characteristics	Applications
Grade	Duoc Hoom	MPa	kgf/cm²	Ondradionstide	Approunting
BEAREE FL 3000	PTFE	7	70	Fluoro plastics standard material.	Bearings, seal rings
BEAREE FL 3030	PTFE	7	70	Suitable material for the soft material.	Sliding bearings, seal rings
BEAREE FL 3700	PTFE	7	70	Suitable for use in water.	Bearings in water
BEAREE PI 5001	PI	50	500	Suitable for conditions of high PV .	Bearings, seal rings
BEAREE AS 5000	PPS	20	200	Standard material for extrusion forming.	Parts for standard office equipment
BEAREE DM5030	РОМ	10	100	Highly economical for the low PV .	Parts for standard office equipment
BEAREE NY 5000	PA	20	200	Highly economical for the low PV.	Parts for standard office equipment
BEAREE UH 3000	PE	5	50	Highly economical for the low PV .	Parts for standard office equipment

Allowable face pressure is the value at normal temperature.

Refer to page 51 for the allowable face pressure under the high temperature atmosphere.

Refer to the test data.

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4-2 Sliding materials for soft mating materials

The wear resistance of sliding bearing material itself is naturally required, but it is also necessary not to abrade the mating materials. Ordinary plastic materials sometimes abrade deeply the soft mating materials such as stainless steel, aluminum and brass.

<Feature>

- · Does not abrade the soft mating materials (See table 2).
- · Superior wear resistance
- · Superior chemical resistance
- · Superior electrical insulation properties
- · Stable coefficient of friction

Table 2 Wear test (PV value: 21 MPa·m/min. No lubrication)

Shaft Material	Before the test	After the test					
Silait Material	peinte me test	BEAREE FL 3030		PTFE filled with 25% glass fiber			
Aluminum			1000 hours		1 hour		
Brass			1000 hours		1 hour		
SUS304 Stainless steel			1000 hours		1 hour		

NTN developed the following materials to solve the above noted problem.

Table 3 Allowable pressure and wear factor

Properties	Base Resin	Allowable pressure		Applications	Production
Grade		MPa	kgf/cm²		
BEAREE FL 3030	PTFE	7	70	Sliding bearings	Machining
BEAREE FL 3040	PTFE	7	70	Elevator guide shoe	Machining
BEAREE FL 3050	PTFE	7	70	High temperature bearings	Machining
BEAREE PI 3018	PI	50	500	Sliding bearings	Injection molding
BEAREE AS 5000	PPS	20	200	Office machiney parts	Injection molding
BEAREE AS 5005	PPS	20	200	Office machiney parts	Injection molding
BEAREE AS 5050	РОМ	10	100	Office machiney parts	Injection molding
BEAREE DM 5010	PEEK	35	350	Seal ring for the aluminum cylinder	Injection molding



Photograph 1
Products for the soft mating materials

Refer to the test data.

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4-3 Sliding materials for use in water or chemicals

Even materials designed and suitable for exposure to air (dry) may experience premature wear and damage to the mating material. NTN has developed materials to solve these problems.

<Applications>

- · Bearing for under water (including sea water)
- · Chemical pump, medical liquid pump
- · Vane, rotor and casing for vane pump
- · Bearing for sewage processing system

Table 4 Allowable pressure and features

Grade	Allowable pressure Mpa {kgf/cm²}	Features
BEAREE FL 3700	7 {70}	Superior wear resistance under light load
BEAREE PI 3700	100 {1,000}	For heavy load
BEAREE AS 5700	20 200	Mass productivity and flexibility of part shape is possible through injection molding

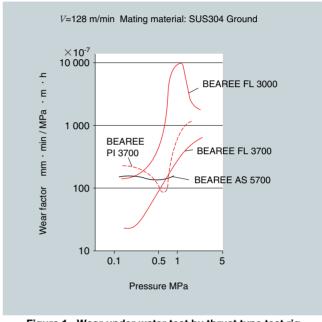


Figure 1 Wear under water test by thrust type test rig



Photograph 2 The sliding bearings use for water (chemical)

4-4 Materials for food processing equipment

So far, any material has failed to fully satisfy the functions required of a sliding material for food processing machinery. For example, an allowable operating temperature range with super molecular weight polyethylenes is small, while natural PTFE have a higher friction coefficient and are not aesthetically acceptable. Our novel fluoro resin "BEAREE FL 3642" is a unique material that positively solves these problems.

- "Plastic Container or Wrapping Standard Test (Japan Food Research Laboratories)" approved.
 - Bearing pressure: 0.98 MPa Peripheral speed : 32 m/min Mating material : SUS304 Lubrication : dry or water Test duration : 50 hrs.

◆Test conditions; Ring-on-disk tester

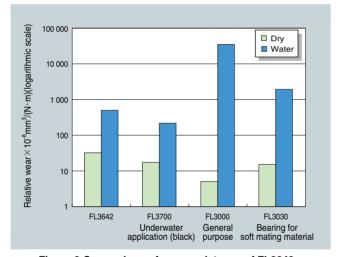


Figure 2 Comparison of wear resistance of FL3642 with other NTN beating materials

<Features>

- 1. Low friction
- 2. Superior wear resistance
- 3. High allowable PV value
- 4. Less stick-slip phenomena at start up or extremely low speed
- 5. Better non-abrading characteristics against mild steel or stainless steel
- 6. Hygienic tone -pale yellow
- 7. Super chemical resistance

<Applications>

- · Food processing machine
- · Pharmaceutical production equipment
- · Food or beverage vending machine

We also have approved materials other than BEAREE FL 3642 which are suitable for each operation condition.

Table 5 Major "Plastic Container or Wrapping Standard Test" approved material

Grade	Color	Applications
BEAREE FL 3040	Black	Bearing for soft mating material
BEAREE FL 3700	Black	Under water application
BEAREE UH 3000	White	Excellent friction / wear characteristics under low PV value
BEAREE AS 5000	Light brown	High temperature, suitable for mass production



Photograph 3 BEAREE FL 3642 Products



Photograph 4 Products for food processing equipment

4-5 Rubber with sliding capability

This material has both the elasticity of rubber and the sliding characteristics of fluoro plastics, and the following features.

<Features>

- 1. The elastic material seals well.
- 2. Superior chemical resistance (Refer to Table 21 on page 45)
- 3. Superior heat resistance (allowable continuous service temperature is 230°C)
- 4. Low friction coefficient and excellent wear resistance
- 5. Superior creep resistance
- 6. Excellent non-stick quality
- 7. Can be used for food contact application

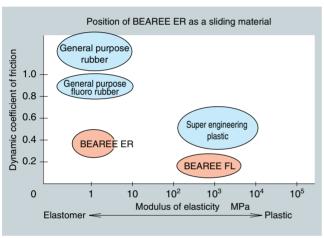


Figure 3 Position of BEAREE ER as a sliding material

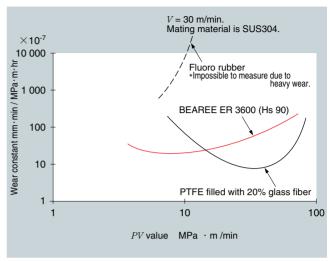


Figure 4 PV value versus wear factor



Photograph 5 Sliding rubber products

Table 6	Features and	applications of	REAREE ER
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Grade	Hardness	Color	Features	Applications	
	Hs 70				
BEAREE ER 3000	Hs 80	Black	Wear resistance	Bearings	
	Hs 90				
	Hs 70			Seals and bearings for food processing machinery	
BEAREE ER 3600	Hs 80	White	Superior sliding characteristics against soft mating material		
	Hs 90				

Refer to the test data.

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4-6 NBR rubber with sliding capability: BEAREE ER3200

Using acrylonitrile butadiene rubber (NBR) as a base material, BEAREE ER3200 boasts low friction, low wear resistance characteristics while maintaining advantages of rubber material.

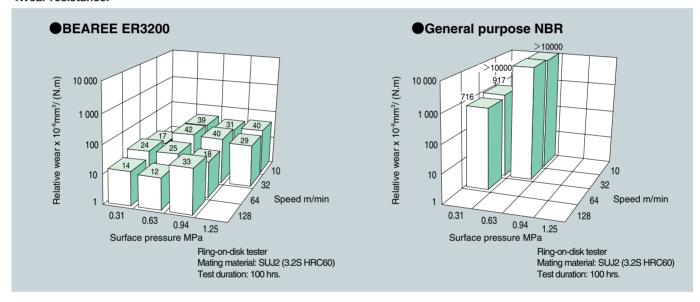
<Features>

- 1. Excellent friction and wear characteristics
- 2. Retains advantages of rubber material.
- 3. Better ozone resistance than general purpose NBR
- 4. Capable of composite molding together with metal material, etc.
- 5. More economical than sliding-capable fluoro rubber (such as BEAREE ER3000)

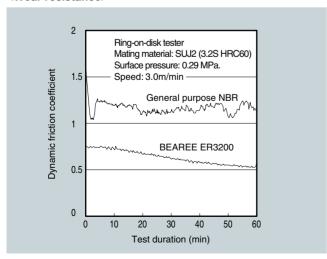
<Applications>

Field	Applications
Automobile	Glassran Wiper blade Shock absorber seal
Office equipment (photocopier, printer)	Cleaning blade Toner seal Paper feed roller Mirror slider
Industrial machinery	Mechanical seal in wet environment Grease seal Oil seal Gas seal Seal for damper

<Wear resistance>



<Wear resistance>



<Basic characteristics>

Item	Test method	Unit	Measurement
Hardness	JIS-K6253	JIS-A	70
Specific gravity	JIS-K6220	_	1.33
Tensile strength	JIS-K6251	MPa	11
Elongation	JIS-K6251	%	430
Tearing strength	JIS-K6252	N/cm	294
Permanent set	JIS-K6262	%	11
Compression set 120°C, 70 hrs.	JIS-K6262	%	24
Ozone resistance 40°C, 50 Pphm 96 hrs., elongation 20%	JIS-K6259	_	No fissure

4-7 Sliding materials with electrical conductivity (Preventing electrostatic charges)

This material has not only excellent friction and wear characteristics but also has electrical conductivity. Utilizing this material as bearings for which anti-static properties are required, the grounding device could be removed

Unlike conventional carbon brushes, these materials are less prone to cracking or chipping. They also operate more quietly.

<Applications>

- · Sliding and grounding parts for computer related equipment.
- Bearings, gears for photo copiers, printers and facsimile machines.

Table 7 Volume resistivity and major applications

Grade	Volume resistivity $(\Omega \cdot cm)$	Major applications
BEAREE FL 3900	10	Grounding button for disk drive
BEAREE PI 5040	1 ×10 ⁵	Gear
BEAREE AS 5950	5 × 10 ⁵	Bearing
BEAREE AS 5951	1 ×10 ⁴	Bearing
BEAREE NY 5910	10	Gear
BEAREE NY 5911	1 ×10 ³	Gear

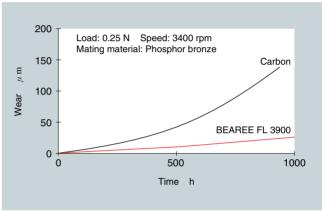


Figure 5 Wear comparison between BEAREE FL 3900 and Carbon



Photograph 7 Conductive bearings, gears



4-8 Sliding materials for high contact pressures

In general, the allowable pressure for plastics material is low when compared with metal material; however, it can be used under high pressure by bonding it to a backing metal or using a thin layer of plastics which is reinforced with filler

1. BEAREE PI

The BEAREE PI series, with a base resin of polyimide, can carry 50 to 100 MPa of allowable pressure. The grade to be adopted is selected according to temperature, sliding velocity and manufacturing method.

Table 8 Allowable pressure and manufacturing method

Grade	Allowable pressure MPa {kgf/cm²}	Manufacturing method
BEAREE PI 5001	50 { 500 }	Extrusion forming
BEAREE PI 7000	250 {2,500 }	Coating

<Applications>

Non lubrication type pillow block Anchor bearing for buoy Transmission thrust bearings

Refer to the test data.

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2. BEAREE FL 9000

This material can carry up to 200 MPa of pressure under low speed conditions.

The bronze mesh in this material prevents creep, and makes it possible for use in high pressure applications.

Figure 21 shows the section view of this material. Compact design can be achieved due to its thickness of 0.5mm. It is recommended to bond this material to a stiff material like metal in applications where the pressure is higher than 40 MPa.

Table 9 Allowable pressure and Structure

Grade	Allowable MPa \kg	e pressure uf/cm²}	Structure
BEAREE FL 9000	100	1,000	PTFE containing mesh gauze

<Applications>

Non lubrication type spherical plain bushing King-pin bearing Crane Shock absorber Door hinge

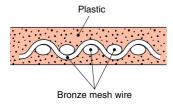


Figure 6 Structure of BEAREE FL9000

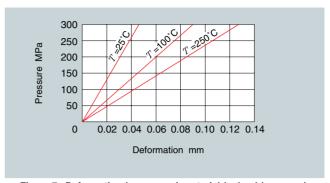


Figure 7 Deformation (compressive strain) by load (pressure)

Remarks:

The deformation is measured while BEAREE FL 9000 is clamped between steel plates with load applied for 60 minutes. The deformation lowers or, is reduced, when BEAREE FL 9000 is bonded to backing material.

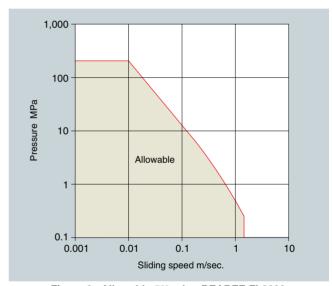


Figure 8 Allowable PV value-BEAREE FL9000



Photograph 8 The sliding bearings for high pressure (load)

4-9 Sliding materials for use in machine tools: BEAREE FL 3305

BEAREE FL 3305, which is based on fluoro plastics with a low friction coefficient, and designed with improved wear and creep resistance and thermal conductivity, is material developed exclusively for machine tools and has the lowest friction coefficient when lubricated with oil.

<Features>

- 1. The lowest coefficient of friction under oil lubrication.
- 2. No stick-slip.
- 3. No galling and/or seizure
- 4. Little compressive deformation
- No oil film shortage problem at startup; suitable for frequent startups.
- 6. Low coefficient of friction and durable.

<Remarks>

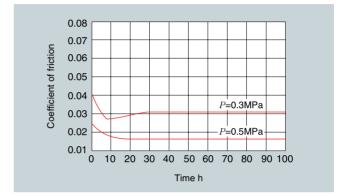
Standard thickness:mm 0.3,0.4,0.5,0.6,0.8,1.0,1.2,1.5,2.0,2.5,3.0

Reciprocating friction test (Fig.9, Fig.10)

Mating material: Mihanite cast iron(0.3S grinding finish)

Stroke: 60 mm

Lubrication: Application of Shelltoner T68.



Mating material: Mihanite cast iron (0.3S grinding finish)

Figure 11 Friction coefficient versus running time

Use the original adhesive for easy bonding.

High speed reciprocating friction test

Lubrication: Application of mineral oil.

Sliding speed: 30 m/min.

Stroke: 200 mm

- 1. N-3 bonding agent: High hardness after hardening.
- 2. AD-3000 bonding agent : Hardness after hardening is lower than N-3 so that the cutting work is easy.

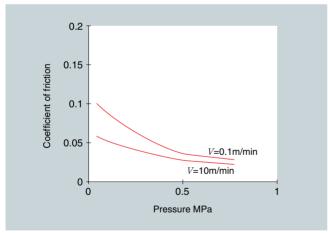


Figure 9 Friction coefficient versus face pressure

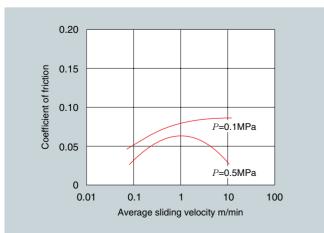
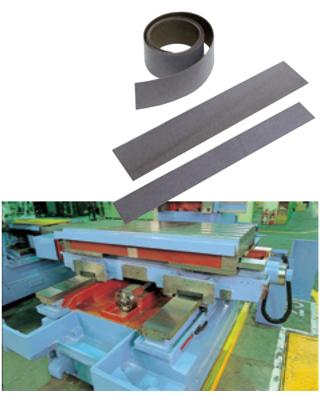


Figure 10 Friction coefficient versus sliding velocity



Photograph 9 Sliding section of machine

Table 10 Gear material and features

4-10 Plastics materials for gears

Plastics gears are used in various areas due to their light weight, no need for lubrication, low noise, corrosion resistance and ease of mass production. NTN Engineering Plastic materials for gears are widely prepared for particular applications or functions, from super engineering plastic to general purpose engineering plastic to ensure the optimum gear.

<Features>

- 1. High strength, durable
- 2. Superior sliding properties
- 3. Superior heat resistance

<Typical configuration>

Gear type: flat gear, helical gear

 $\begin{array}{l} \text{Module: 0.8} \sim \text{1.5} \\ \text{P.C.D.: 15} \sim \text{60mm} \end{array}$

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Grade	Base Resin	Heat resistance	Sliding capability	Strength	Electrical conductivity	
BEAREE PI 5030	PI	0		0		
BEAREE PI 5033		0		0		
BEAREE AI 5006	PAI	0		0		
BEAREE AS5040	DDQ	0		0		

Performance Evaluation

0

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0

0

⊚:Excellent ○:Normal

BEAREE NY5010

BEAREE NY5910

^{*} Material is selected by operating condition, material of mating gear, life, tolerances and so on.



Photograph 10 Gears

A: Anti-rotation type (D bore)

PA

- B: Anti-rotation type (With key)
- (Made of sliding material)
- D: Idler gear (Compound type sliding material on bore)
- E: Double gear
- F: Helical gear

4-11 Materials for separating pins

Photocopiers and printers fix the image formed by toner to the paper by heating and pressing of rollers. To peel off the attached paper from the roller, sharp separating pins are used. For the separating pins, rigidity at a high temperature, sliding properties so as to not to scratch the roller, and superior anti-stick properties are necessary. NTN Engineering Plastics provides a suitable pin and coating materials for the practical temperature.

<Characteristics>

- · Excellent mechanical strength and heat resistance.
- · Satisfactory fluidity and excellent performance in molding the pin tip figure.
- · Excellent shock resistance.
- · Superior friction and wear resistance.

Table 11	Combination of the separating pin material and recommended coating
	material.

Material name	Maximum operating temperature °C	Recommended coating material	Application
BEAREE PI 5022	300	BEAREE FE 7092	Pins for the fixing section, high performance.
BEAREE LC 5020	300	BEAREE FE 7090	Pins for the fixing section.
BEAREE AI 5017	230	BEAREE FE 7030	Pins for the fixing section.
BEAREE AI 5003	230	BEAREE FE 7030	Pins for the exposure drum.
BEAREE AS 5021	230	BEAREE FE 7080	Pin for the fixing section, highly economic.
BEAREE AS 5025	230		Pin for the fixing section, highly economic.

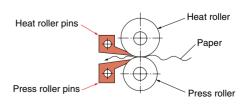


Fig.12 Application of separating pins

4-12 Sliding materials for the guide roller

As the guide roller for the high speed running of video tape recorders (VTR), computer backup devices and digital audio tape recorders (DAT), BEAREE UH 5041 presents a wide range of superior friction and wear properties with less torque change from the tape's low speed running to high speed running.

Table 12 Materials and Characteristics

Material name	Base resin	Characteristics
BEAREE UH5041	PE	Low revolution torque at high speed rotation Constant revolution at low speed rotation Superior durability in many environmental conditions

Test conditions (Revolution torque test)

Test unit : Revolution torque

measurement unit

Test sample : Guide roller
Load : 0.3N{30gf}
Revolution : 100-21,000 rpm

Lubrication : None

Ambient temp: Room temperature

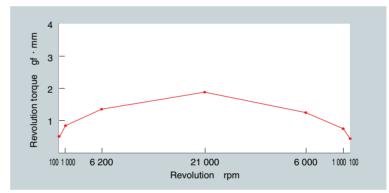


Fig.13 Revolution torque of guide roller versus revolution

Test conditions (Endurance test)

Test sample : Guide roller Load : 0.3N{30gf} Revolution : 25 000 rpm

(Revolution for measurement

of torque: 18,000 rpm)

Lubrication : None

Ambient temp: Room temperature

Operation pattern: Clockwise/

counterclockwise revolution

Test time : 1,000 hours

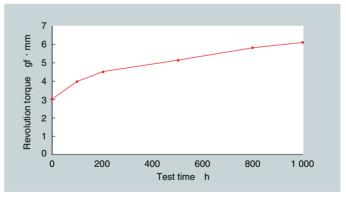


Fig.14 Revolution torque of guide roller versus test time

4-13 Seal materials for sliding applications

NTN Engineering Plastics have excellent sealing capabilities against gas and liquid, good wear resistance, and low friction characteristics.

<Features>

- 1. Superior sealing capability due to the high compliance.
- 2. Low coefficient of friction and superior wear resistance
- 3. No lubrication is necessary due to the self lubricating capability.
- 4. Superior chemical resistance; can be used in corrosive environments.

(See **Table 9** at page 17 for chemical resistance.)

Table 13 Selection and Applications

Grade	Mat	ing mate	rial	A	tmospher	е	Elongation	Processing	Application
Graue	Mild steel	Cast iron	Aluminum	Dry	Oil	Water	(%)	Method	Application
BEAREE FL 3000	0	0	×	0	0	Δ	200	Machining	General purpose, power steering A/T transmission
BEAREE FL 3030	0	0	0	0	0	×	170	Machining	Air suspension Air compressor
BEAREE FL 3050	0	0	0	0	0	Δ	160	Machining	Air suspension Air conditioner compressor
BEAREE FL 3070	0	0	0	×	0	Δ	230	Machining	Car air conditioner A/T transmission
BEAREE FL 3900	0	0	×	×	0	Δ	34	Machining	A/T transmission
BEAREE AS 5001	0	0	0	Δ	0	Δ	1.0	Injection molding	Scroll compressor
BEAREE AS 5700	0	0	0	Δ	0	0	2.0	Injection molding	Vane under water
BEAREE PK 5015	0	0	0	×	0	Δ	1.1	Injection molding	Scroll compressor
BEAREE PK 5300	0	0	0	×	0	0	1.3	Injection molding	A/T transmission

 $\bigcirc : \textbf{Satisfactory} \quad \triangle : \textbf{Normal} \quad \times : \textbf{Unsuitable}$

Refer to the test data.

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Photograph 11 Seal rings

4-14 Sound damping material for curtain walls

Tall buildings constructed with curtain wall structures require a sliding material to smooth the relative movement between the steel frame and other building materials. Movement caused by differences in thermal expansion,

earthquakes, wind, etc. is smoothed, eliminating jarring sounds. NTN Engineering Plastics include materials for this purpose.

Table 14 Features

Grade	Features					
BEAREE FL 3000	Low coefficient of friction with no lubrication Prevention of jarring sound between	 Fire or flame retardant capability Superior electric insulating characteristics 				
BEAREE UH 3954	metals	· Superior shock resistance				
BEAREE FL 7075	High load carrying capability Superior weather resistance Resistant for most of chemicals	Can be applied in this layers to complicated shapes				

Refer to the test data.

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<Remarks>

- 1) Thickness (Unit in mm)
 BEAREE FL 3000 0.3, 0.4, 0.5, 0.6, 0.8, 1.0
 BEAREE UH 3954 0.1, 0.3, 0.4, 0.5, 1.0
 BEAREE FL 7075 0.02 (Coating layer)
- 2) Pressure sensitive adhesive

Product with pressure sensitive adhesive on one side is available

3) To place your order

Specify $A \times B \times$ thickness, hole dimension (d or $C \times D$), material and requirements for pressure sensitive adhesive.

Specify the surface to be coated for coating product (BEAREE FL 7075), or the coating of your product is also available.

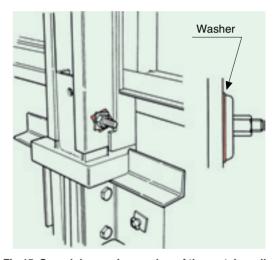
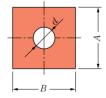
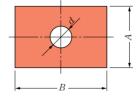
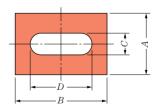


Fig.15 Sound dampening washer of the curtain wall.







<Applications>

Fastener
Liner
Bracket
Joint sleeve
Shaft
Hinge washer
Other metal sliding portion.

4-15 Sliding materials for bridges and anti-earthquake structures

A bridge repeatedly expands and contracts due to daily and seasonal temperature changes. One side of the bridge bearings smoothly slides with the bridge to relieve the generated stress on the bridge.

An anti-earthquake device has a mechanism to reduce an earthquake's power by sliding the building according to the earthquake's intensity. As one means to slide the building, sliding materials are utilized. For these bridges and anti-

earthquake devices, BEAREE FL3020 is used, which is excellent for big loads with low friction and resistant to the climate changes.

Table 15 Materials and Characteristics

Material name	Base resin	Characteristics
BEAREE FL 3020	PTFE	Low friction coefficient under the high surface pressure Superior durability in many environmental conditions

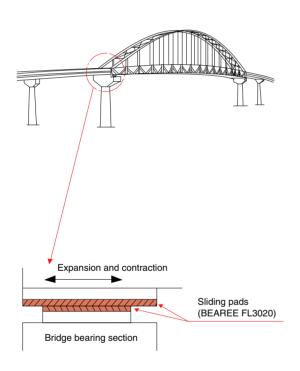


Fig.16 Sliding pad for bridge bearings

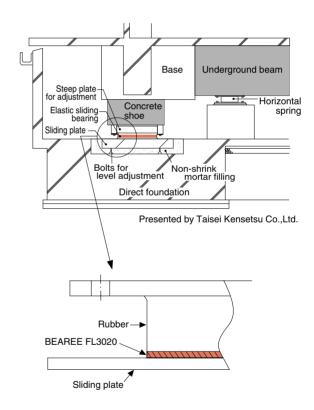


Fig.17 Anti-earthquake device with the elastic sliding bearing Presented by Tokyo Fabric Industry Co.,Ltd.

4-16 Compound products

By combining BEAREE materials with other materials, the advantages of each material can be utilized.

<Features>

- 1. Allowable pressure can be increased.
- 2. Reinforcement material can be selected by application.
- 3. Weight can be reduced.
- 4. Thermal expansion can be decreased.
- 5. Processing accuracy can be improved.
- 6. Compact design is available by integrating the mating housing.
- 7. Number of components can be decreased.

<Applications>

Copying machine: Heat roller bearing, pressure roller and mirror slide bearing

Printer carriage bearing Slide bearing for data recorder Seal ring for automobile Door guide shoe for elevator

<Examples of composite>

- · BEAREE material + Rubber
- · BEAREE material + Rubber + Metal
- · BEAREE material + Metal
- · BEAREE material + General implantation + Metal



Photograph 12 Composite products

4-17 Coating materials

BEAREE coating material provides a hard, thin and uniform layer, and is applied to the location where thermal expansion should be small or precision is required.

Also, the characteristics of wear resistance and non-stick quality can be utilized.

Coating methods such as spray, powder coating, dipping, etc., are adopted according to the kind of material.

<Features>

- 1. Superior wear and friction characteristics
- 2. Superior non-stick quality
- 3. Superior heat resistance
- 4. Superior chemical resistance

Table 23 Materials for coating and its characteristics

Grade	Low coef. of friction	Cha Wear resistance	racteristics non-stick quality	Remarks	Baking temperature (°C)	Layer thickness (μ m)	Applications
BEAREE FL 7060	0	0		Superior under low pressure	230	10~30	Guide pin
BEAREE FL 7061	0	0		For oil lubricated	230	10~30	Reciprocating bearing in oil
BEAREE FL 7075	0	0		General purpose	230	10~30	Piston, washer vane
BEAREE FE 7010		0		For high pressure, thick layer	315	500~2 000	Rotor for super charger
BEAREE FE 7080	0		0	Extremely thin layer	150	Below 1	Guide pin, picker for copier
BEAREE FE 7000	0	0		For high pressure	230	300	Bearing
BEAREE FE 7030			0		230	10~30	Slide guide picker finger for copier
BEAREE FE 7090			0		370	10~30	Picker finger for copier

^{*} Can be coated on plastics as well as metals; however, the plastics should be resistant to the baking temperature of coated BEAREE.

Refer to the test data.

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Photograph 13 The coated products

^{*} Surface treatment of BEAREE FE7080 is processed in the range from room temperature up to 250°C.

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Materials for Bearing Applications

5-1 Various grades and their characteristics

Table 17 Materials for machining (ram extrusion and compression molding)

Table 17 Waterials for i	r machining (ram extrusion and compression molding)									
Grade	Base Resin		Characteristics	Applications						
BEAREE FL 3000	PTFE	MA	*Less deformation under compression load *Superior wear, resists friction	*Sliding bearings *Valve seats *Piston rings						
BEAREE FL 3020	PTFE		*Low friction under high pressure *Superior weather resistance	*Bearing pads						
BEAREE FL 3030	PTFE	MILES	*Does not abrade soft mating material *Stable coefficient of friction	*Sliding bearings *Seal rings *Piston rings, friction plate						
BEAREE FL 3040	PTFE		*Does not abrade soft mating material	*Sliding bearings *Piston cup seals						
BEAREE FL 3050	PTFE	11118	*Does not abrade soft mating material *Superior wear resistance under high temperature	*Sliding bearings						
BEAREE FL 3060	PTFE	-	*Superior creep resistance	*Exclusively for ML bearings						
BEAREE FL 3070	PTFE	@	*Superior sliding characteristics and creep resistance	*Compressor seals						
BEAREE FL 3305	PTFE	10	*Low coefficient of friction under oil lubrication	*Sliding table for machine tools						
BEAREE FL 3641	PTFE	0000	*Passed regulations for food processing equipment *Superior wear resistance	*Sliding bearings *Seals						
BEAREE FL 3700	PTFE	1112	*Superior under water wear resistance *Superior chemical resistance	*Bearings for under water and /or chemical liquid						
BEAREE FL 3900	PTFE	/////	*Conductive (Volume resistive: 10 Ω · cm) *Superior wear, resists friction	*Grounding buttons *Brushes						
BEAREE UH 3000	PE	5000	*Superior friction resistance and wear under low PV value *Superior shock resistance	*Sliding bearings *Washers						
BEAREE UH 3954	PE	200	*Effective for anti-static *Less abrasion wear (Wear from paper or sand lapping)	*Sound damping washers *Cassette tape shims						
BEAREE FL 9000	PTFE	OB.	*Suitable under low speeds high pressures	*Sliding bearings *Rocking bearings						
BEAREE ER 3000	E ¹⁾	0	*Has elasticity and low friction *Superior sealing anti-stick property and chemical, heat wear and creep resistance	*Food processing equipment seals						
BEAREE ER 3600	E ¹⁾	ೌ	*Meets regulations for rubber packaging and containers	*Sliding bearings						

NOTE 1) E: Elastomer

²⁾ BEAREE FL 9000 is the special material for tapes.

Specific	Compressive creep	Hardness ¹⁾	Tensile	strength	Elongation	Flexura	strength	Flexural	modulus	Water absorption	Coef. of ²⁾ thermal expansion	Max. service temp.
gravity	%		MPa	kgf/cm ²	%	MPa	kgf/cm ²	MPa	kgf/cm ²	%	×10 ⁻⁵ /℃	$^{\circ}$
2.28	8.1	66	15	150	200					0.03	8.3	260
2.23	7.0	64	22	220	250					0.03		260
1.98	5.0	62	12	120	170					0.09	9.0	260
2.19	6.0	63	14	140	170					0.02	8.5	260
1.94	6.0	63	11	110	160					0.01	8.7	260
3.80	3.2	70	10	100	100					0.09	6.8	260
2.09		68	18	180	230						6.3	260
3.39	4.0	70	11	110	90						6.8	260
2.25	10.6	65	13	130	140					0.02	9.1	260
2.10	3.0	70	16	160	130					0.07	7.2	260
2.07	1.4	70	14	140	30						8.7	260
0.94	11.0	65	20	200	200	20	200	610	6 100	0.01	20.0	80
0.94	10.0	65	40	400	200					0.01	17.0	80
4.25		_	46	460	15						1.9	260
1.78		Hs70,80,90	10	100	290					0.05	10.0	230
2.10		Hs70,80,90	12	120	290					0.05	10.0	230

NOTE 1) Hardness: no code = durometer; Hs = rubber hardness; others = Rockwell hardness

Values in the above table are representative test results.

²⁾ Coefficient of linear expansion: the mean coefficient of linear expansion in the range from room temperature up to 150°C.

Table 18 Injection molding materials

Grade	Base Resin		Characteristics	Applications
BEAREE PI 5001	PI	OS C	*Excellent wear resistance	*Sliding bearings *Washers *Piston rings
BEAREE PI 5010	PI	್ಟಿ	*Non-abrasive to soft mating materials	*Sliding bearings *Thrust bearings
BEAREE PI 5022	PI	333	*Precision moldable	*Picker fingers *Electrical and electronic parts
BEAREE PI 5030	PI		*High mechanical strength	*Gears *Retainers (bearing cages)
BEAREE PI 5040	PI	0	*High rigidity and electrical conductivity	*Gears *Heat insulating sleeves
BEAREE AI 5003	PAI	0000	*Excellent impact resistance *High mechanical strength	*Heat insulation *Electrical and electronic parts
BEAREE AI 5017	PAI	11 BOO	*Excellent friction and wear properties *High mechanical strength *Small drop in heat resistance due to water absorption	*Picker fingers *Sliding bearings *Washers
BEAREE UH5000	PE	900	*Excellent impact resistance *Excellent resistance against abrasive wear	*Sliding bearings
BEAREE UH5041	PE	23.34	*Excellent sliding properties at low pressure	*Guide rollers
BEAREE AS5000	PPS		*Excellent sliding properties at high temperature *High max. allowable bearing pressure (Pmax = 20 MPa) *Non-abrading soft mating material	*Sliding bearings *Friction plates *Reciprocating bearings
BEAREE AS5005	PPS	್ಲಾಂ	*Excellent sliding properties at high temperature *High max. allowable bearing pressure (Pmax = 20 MPa) *Non-abrading soft mating material	*Sliding bearings
BEAREE AS5021	PPS	The paper	*Excellent strength for separating pins	*Picker fingers
BEAREE AS5053	PPS	90	*Excellent sliding properties at high temperature	*Fixing roller bearing
BEAREE AS5961	PPS	00000	*Excellent sliding properties at high temperature	*Fixing roller bearing

Specific	Compressive creep	Hardness ¹⁾	Tensile	strength	Elongation	Flexura	strength	Flexural	modulus	Water absorption	Coef. of ²⁾ thermal expansion	Max. service temp.
gravity	%		MPa	kgf/cm ²	%	MPa	kgf/cm ²	MPa	kgf/cm ²	%	×10 ⁻⁵ /℃	${\mathbb C}$
1.49		M94	67	670	1.3	108	1 080	8 500	85 000	0.10	2.2	240 (300) 3)
1.46	<0.2	M70	76	760	7	116	1 160	3 700	37 000	0.25	4.5	240 (300) 3)
1.80		M107	138	1 380	1	190	1 900	14 100	141 000	0.3	3.4	240 (300) 3)
1.58	<0.2	M99	160	1 600	3	250	2 500	11 000	110 000	0.22	1.5	240 (300) 3)
1.43	<0.2	M99	130	1 300	2	360	3 600	21 000	210 000	0.25	0.4	240 (300) 3)
1.40	<0.2	E91	190	1 900	12	220	2 200	4 700	47 000	0.28	4.0	250
1.51	<0.2	M105	82	820		170	1 700	8 800	88 000	0.18	4.1	250
0.94	11.0	R60	41	410	10	41	410	1 600	16 000	0.01	17.0	80
0.95			48	480	8.8	33	330	970	9 700	0.06	12.4	80
1.53	0.3	80	51	510	3	61	610			0.05	8.1	230
1.55	0.3	81	51	510	3	61	610			0.03	7.0	230
1.69			103	1 050		164	1 670	11 760	120 000	0.01		230
1.60		R95	67	670	4	86	860	3 700	37 000		10.8	230
1.56		R91	51	510	5	80	800	3 600	36 000		7.5	230

NOTE 1) Hardness: no code = durometer; others = Rockwell hardness

Values in the above table are representative test results.

²⁾ Coefficient of linear expansion: the mean coefficient of linear expansion in the range from room temperature up to 150°C.

³⁾ Max. service temperature shown in brackets (): for the products after crystallizing treatment

Table 18

Grade	Base Resin		Characteristics	Applications
BEAREE AS5700	PPS	. · · · ·	*Superior wear resistance in water *Superior chemical resistance	*Bearings in water *Bearings in chemicals
BEAREE AS5910	PPS	9	*High modulus	*Lens holders
BEAREE LC5020	ARPES	WAY.	*High mechanical strength high heat resistance *Picker fingers mold well because of material's fluidity	*Picker fingers
BEAREE PK5030 4)	PEEK	000	*Excellent wear resistance	*Washers
BEAREE PK5900	PEEK		*Excellent wear resistance *Superior shock resistance	*Sliding bearings *Bearings in oil
BEAREE PK5300	PEEK	9	*Excellent wear, friction, chemical and heat resistance *Superior sealing	*Seal rings
BEAREE NY5000	PA	در ا	*Excellent friction and wear characteristic at low PV value	*Sliding bearings *Door wheels
BEAREE DM5030	POM		*Excellent wear resistance ensuring stable low friction coefficient for a long period of time *Suitable for aluminum or copper mating material	*Gears

Table 19 Coating materials

Table 19 Coating materials			
Grade		Characteristics	Applications
BEAREE FL7075	/ ○■	*Excellent friction and wear characteristics *Strong coat layer	*Washers *Valve plates *Rollers
BEAREE FE7010	***	*Thick, strong layer is achievable	*Roots pump rotors
BEAREE FE7031	* **	*Excellent anti-stick properties *Strong coat layer	*Picker fingers *Slide guides
BEAREE FE7080	0	*Accuracy of coated parts can be maintained due to extremely thin layer of coating *Excellent anti-stick properties	*Picker fingers *Sliding bearings
BEAREE FE7092	7	*Excellent anti-stick properties	*Picker fingers

Specific	Compressive creep	Hardness ¹⁾	Tensile	strength	Elongation	Flexura	l strength	Flexural	modulus	Water absorption	Coef. of ²⁾ thermal expansion	Max. service temp.
gravity	%		MPa	kgf/cm ²	%	MPa	kgf/cm ²	MPa	kgf/cm ²	%	×10 ⁻⁵ /℃	${\mathbb C}$
1.70		R120	60	600	2	110	1 100	10 000	100 000	0.03	2.3	230
1.93		R121	41	410	1	110	1 100	35 000	350 000	0.03	1.4	230
1.82			173	1 730	3	198	1 980	23 700	237 000			300
1.30			130	1 300	100					0.13	5.0	250
1.39		R118	126	1 260	2	207	2 070	7 400	74 000		4.4	250
1.63		M79	82	820	1	130	1 300	9 900	99 000		3.0	250
1.40	0.6	68	20	200	20							100
1.42			50	500	35	80	800	2 650	26 500			100

NOTE 1) Hardness: no code = durometer; others = Rockwell hardness
2) Coefficient of linear expansion: the mean coefficient of linear expansion in the range from room temperature up to 150°C. Values in the above table are representative test results.

Layer		Bond stre	ngth		Max.	Dalda.	Co	oating metho	d
thickness _{\(\mu \)} m	Cross-cut test	Pencil ha Causing scratches	rdness test Causing tear	Pin scratching test	continuous service temperature	Baking temperature	Spray coating	Dip coating	Powder coating
10~30	100/100	Н	3H	5	180	230	0		
500~1 000	100/100	6H		5	180	315			0
10~20	100/100	ЗН	5H	5	180	230	0		
<1	100/100				180		0	0	
10~20	100/100	В	Н	4	330	370	0		

Values in the above table are representative test results.

Surface treatment temperature of BEAREE FE7080 performs in the range from room temperature up to 250°C.

Table 20 Testing methods for each property

rable 20 Testing methods				Test	ing methods		
	Unit		Fluoroplastic based material	General plastics	Rubber	Coating	FL3020
Specific gravity			ASTM D792	ASTM D792	JIS K6350		JIS K6888
Compressive creep	%		ASTM D621	ASTM D621	JIS K6301		
Hardness			ASTM D2240	ASTM D785	JIS K6301		JIS K7215
Tensile strength	MPa	{kgf/cm²}	ASTM D638	ASTM D638	JIS K6301		JIS K6888
Elongation	%		ASTM D638	ASTM D638	JIS K6301		JIS K6888
Flexural strength	MPa	{kgf/cm²}		ASTM D790			
Flexural modulus	MPa	{kgf/cm²}		ASTM D790			
Compressive strength	MPa	{kgf/cm²}	ASTM D695	ASTM D695	JIS K6301	_	JIS K7208
Water absorption	%		ASTM D570	ASTM D570	JIS K6301		JIS K7209
Coef. of thermal expansion	×10 ⁻⁵ /°C		TMA method	TMA method	TMA method		
Cross-cut	Score (0	~10)				JIS K5400	
Pencil hardness	Pencil ha	rdness				JIS K6894	
Pin scratching	Score (0	~5)				JIS K6894	

The material property values shown in the catalog are only representative test results obtained from the tests under specific test conditions.

This data may not be directly applicable to applications under different service conditions.

Those characteristic values are merely representative test results which are not to be used as specifications.

5-2 Chemical compatibility of each grade

NTN engineering plastics materials are inert against almost all chemicals. Chemical resistance of the base resins of BEAREE materials are shown in table 21.

The following table shows the characteristics of base resin on each grade, therefore they may differ according to the contained filler. Contact us for selection.

Table 21 Chemical properties of NTN Engineering Plastics materials.

	Chemicals	BEAREE FL	BEAREE FE	BEAREE PI	BEAREE AI	BEAREE UH	BEAREE AS	BEAREE LC	BEAREE PK	BEAREE NY	BEAREE DM	BEAREE ER <3000type>
	Concentrated sulfuric acid	0	0	X		0	0	0	X	X	X	0
	15% Acetic acid	0	0	Δ	0	0	0	0	0	X	X	×
	75% Acetic acid	0	0	\triangle	0	X	0	0	0	×	×	×
	Hydrochloric acid	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	X	X	
v	15% Nitric acid	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	X	×	
Acids	70% Nitric acid	0	0	Δ	×	X	X	0	\triangle	X	X	
⋖	Formic acid	0	0	Δ	X	0	0	0	X	X	X	×
	85% Phospheric acid	0	0	Δ	0	X	0	0	0	X	X	
	40% Chromic acid	0	0			X	0	0	0	X	X	0
	100% Lactic acid	0	0	Δ	0	0	0	0	0	X		0
	Hydrogen peroxide	0	0			0	0	0	0	X	0	0
	30% Ammonia aqueous solution	0	0	\triangle		0	0	X	0	X	0	0
	Iron chloride	0	0	Δ	0	0	0	0		0	0	0
Alkali	Calcium chloride	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
₹	Sulfate	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	
	Calcium hydroxide	0	0	0	0	0	0	X	0	0	0	
	Mineral water	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Methyl alcohol	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	X	0	0
w	Acetone	0	0	0	0	X	0	0	0	0	0	×
Solvents	Benzene	0	0	0	0	X	0	0	0	0	0	0
30/2	Carbon tetrachloride	0	0	X	0	X	0	0	0	0	0	0
o,	Ethyl-ether	0	0	0	0	X	0	0	0	0	0	×
	Ethylene glycol	0	0	Δ	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ē	Diesel engine oil	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Kerosene	Lubricating oil	0	0	0	0	X	0	0	0	0	0	0
(erc	Animal oil, Vegetable oil	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>ග</u>	Kerosene	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ō	Naphtha	0	0	0	0	X	0	0	0	0	Δ	0
	Nitrate	0	0	Δ	0		0	0	0	0	0	×
	Hydro-carbon fuel	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Fluorine gas	0	0	Δ	0		X*	Δ	X	X		
Others	Molten metallic sodium	X	X	×			×		×			
둳	CFC (Freon) 134a	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	×
	Liquid oxygen	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0
	Cabon dioxide	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Nitrogen dioxide	0	0		0	0	0	0				0

Description of symbols: ⊚ : Excellent, ○ : Normal X : Incompatible * Under high temperature and pressure

The above shown chemical resistance is the resistance of the base resin only, and characteristics of each grade may differ depending on its filler.

6

Design and Selection for Bearing Applications

It is important to know the required specifications, such as operating temperature, load, sliding velocity, PV value, mating material, torque, tolerances, type of motion and expected life, when designing with **NTN** Bearee.

6-1 Selection of bearing material (PV value)

When selecting the bearing material, examine the operating temperature, mating material, lubrication condition and so forth, along with the allowable pressure and sliding velocity.

PV value, the product of pressure "P" and sliding velocity "V", is often used as the criteria to determine if the operating condition is allowable for the sliding material or not.

Each sliding material has its own allowable PV value; however, it also has an independent allowable value for pressure and velocity. Therefore, the allowable range is shown in **Figure 18.**

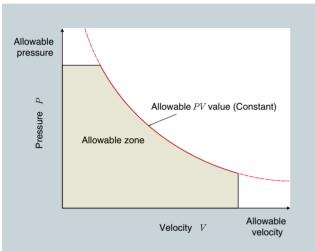


Figure 18 Allowable PV value

 $PV \leq Allowable PV$ value

 $P \leq Allowable P$

 $V \leq Allowable V$

Pressure " \bar{P} " and sliding velocity "V" is given by following formula.

 $P = Fr / d \cdot l$

 $V = \pi \cdot d \cdot n \times 10^{-3}$

P: pressure MPa

Fr: Radial load N

d: Shaft diameter mm l: Length of bearing mm

V: Sliding velocity m / min

n : Shaft rotation rpm

6-2 Estimation of wear

The life of an NTN Engineering Plastics bearing is defined by the wear of sliding surface, as with an ordinary plain bearing.

The amount of wear varies with operating conditions such as sliding velocity, pressure, type of motion, surface roughness of mating material and operating temperature. Generally, the estimation of wear is given by the following formula.

 $R = K \cdot P \cdot V \cdot T$

where

R: The amount of wear mm

K: Wear factor mm·min / MPa·m·h

P: pressure MPa

V: Sliding velocity m / min

 $T\,$: Time h

Surface roughness of the mating material influences the wear of the NTN Engineering Plastics bearing; therefore, finish the surface to 0.1 to 0.8a. Moreover, NTN recommends the hardness of shaft to be HRc 22 or higher since it is possible to reduce the wear when the shaft is harder.

<Example>

Determine the amount of wear of R-AR1515 sleeve bearing made of BEAREE FL 3000 for the following operating condition.

<Specification>

Shaft diameter $d:15 \mathrm{mm}$ Bearing load $Fr:300 \mathrm{N}$ Shaft rotation $n:300 \mathrm{rpm}$

Temperature : Room temperature Service hours : 1000 hours

Service hours : 1000 hours Lubrication : None

Pressure P (MPa) = $Fr/d \cdot l = 300 / 15 \times 15 = 1.33$ MPa Sliding velocity V (m/min) = $\pi \cdot d \cdot n = 3.14 \times 15 \times 300/1000$

≒ 14.1 m/min

Wear factor at room temperature is given by page 10

 $K = 1.0 \times 10^{-7} \text{mm}^3 / \text{N} \cdot \text{m}$

 $PV = 1.33 \times 14.1 = 18.8 \text{ MPa·m/min}$

T = 1000h = 60000 min

Therefore the amount of wear $R = K \cdot P \cdot V \cdot T$ is:

 $R = 1.0 \times 10^{-7} \times 18.8 \times 60\ 000 = 0.113$

The wear after 1000 hours of service is 0.113 mm.

6-3 Fits and clearance

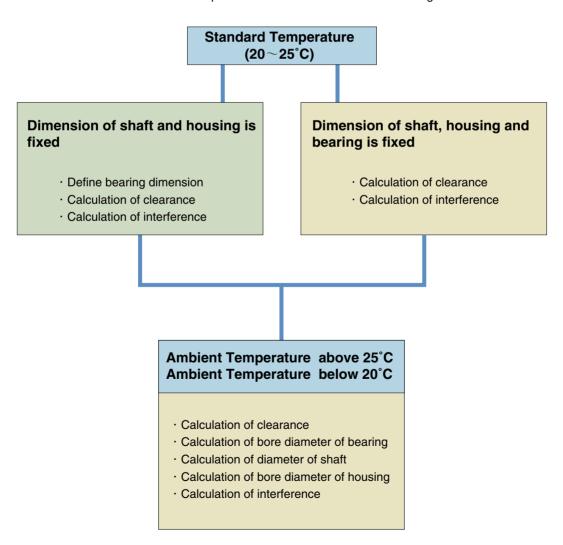
Plain bearings are usually pressed into a housing. The minimum clearance for operation varies by the size of shaft though it can be as small as 0.025mm. When the operating temperature varies widely, the thermal expansion of bearing material should be taken into consideration. Increase the clearance by the amount of thermal expansion, with decreases the operating clearance.

It is also possible to finish the bore of mounted bearing by turning or reaming when accurate operation with small clearance is required. Although recommended shaft and bore diameters and mounted clearance are listed in the tables of standard series of NTN Engineering Plastics Sliding Bearings, the mounted clearance may increase for soft material housings such as aluminum and plastics, or thin wall housing. Also, it is recommended to fix the bearing with a knock-pin, key, or bonding since the interference fit might be lost when the bearing is used under low temperature.

Calculation of bearing clearance (Except M-Liner bearing)

The calculation step for "Standard temperature", "Above 25°C" and "Below 20°C" is different. The step chart is shown below.

Calculation Step of Clearance for BEAREE Plain Bearing



Note: Usually, the calculation for standard temperature is applicable to the ambient temperature range of 15~50°C

1. Calculation of clearance for standard temperature (25°C)

1) Interference

Maximum: $F_H = D_H - H_L$ Minimum: $F_L = D_L - H_H$

2) Reduction of bearing bore dimension due to interference

Maximum: $E_{\text{max}} = \lambda \cdot F_{\text{H}}$ ($\lambda = 1.0$) Minimum: $E_{\text{min}} = \lambda \cdot F_{\text{L}}$ ($\lambda = 1.0$)

3) Bore dimension of bearing at standard temperature when mounted

 $\begin{array}{l} \text{Maximum: } d_{\text{25H}} \! = \! d_{\text{H}} \! - \! E_{\text{min}} \\ \text{Minimum: } d_{\text{25L}} \! = \! d_{\text{L}} \! - \! E_{\text{max}} \end{array}$

4) Mounted clearance at standard temperature

Maximum: $C_{\text{max}} = d_{25\text{H}} - S_{\text{L}}$ Minimum: $C_{\text{min}} = d_{25\text{L}} - S_{\text{H}}$

Where

 $S_{\rm H}$: Maximum shaft diameter

 S_{L} : Minimum shaft diameter

 H_{H} : Maximum housing bore diameter

 H_L : Minimum housing bore diameter

 $d_{\rm H}$: Maximum bore diameter of bearing

 d_1 : Minimum bore diameter of bearing

 $D_{\rm H}$: Maximum outer diameter of bearing

 $d_{\rm L}$: Minimum outer diameter of bearing

NOTE

1. The minimum clearance for NTN Engineering Plastic bearing is required $2 \sim 7/1000$ of shaft diameter to reduce heat generation when used with no lubrication.

2. Shrink ratio by fit interference usually is set as 100%

<Example>

Calculate the clearance of type AR sleeve bearing R-AR1010 made of BEAREE FL 3000.

Assume shaft and housing bore dimensions follow NTN recommendation.

Shaft: ϕ 10, h6 ($^{0}_{.0.009}$) therefore $S_{\rm H}=$ 10, $S_{\rm L}=$ 9.991 Housing: ϕ 14, M7 ($^{0}_{.0.018}$) therefore $H_{\rm H}=$ 14, $H_{\rm L}=$ 13.982 Bearing I.D.: ϕ 10 ($^{+0.24}_{.0.19}$) therefore $d_{\rm H}=$ 10.24, $d_{\rm L}=$ 10.19 Bearing O.D.: ϕ 14 ($^{+0.10}_{.0.05}$) therefore $D_{\rm H}=$ 14.10, $D_{\rm L}=$ 14.05 Maximum interference: $F_{\rm H}=D_{\rm H}-H_{\rm L}=$ 14.10 – 13.982 = 0.118 Minimum interference: $F_{\rm L}=D_{\rm L}-H_{\rm H}=$ 14.05 – 14.00 = 0.05 Reduction of bearing bore: $E_{\rm max}=F_{\rm H}\times\lambda=0.118\times1=0.118$

 $E_{\text{min}} = F_{\text{L}} \times \lambda = 0.05 \times 1 = 0.05$

Bearing bore at 25°C when mounted

 $d_{25\mathrm{H}} = d_{\mathrm{H}} - E_{\mathrm{min}} = 10.24 - 0.05 = 10.19$

 $d_{25L} = d_L - E_{\text{max}} = 10.19 - 0.118 = 10.072$

Mounted clearance at 25°C:

 $C_{\text{max}} = d_{25\text{H}} - S_{\text{L}} = 10.19 - 9.991 = 0.199 \stackrel{.}{=} 0.2$ $C_{\text{min}} = d_{25\text{L}} - S_{\text{H}} = 10.07 - 10 = 0.072 \stackrel{.}{=} 0.07$ 2. Calculation of clearance for high temperature $(T_{H}^{\circ}\mathbb{C})$

1) Housing bore dimension

Maximum: $HH_H = H_H \{1 + \alpha_1 (T_H - 25)\}$ Minimum: $HH_L = H_L \{1 + \alpha_1 (T_H - 25)\}$

2) Shaft diameter

Maximum: $SH_H = S_H \{1 + \alpha_2 (T_H - 25)\}$ Minimum: $SH_L = S_L \{1 + \alpha_2 (T_H - 25)\}$

3) Clearance during operation

Maximum:

 $CH_{\text{max}} = \sqrt{\frac{(H_{\text{H}})^2 |1 + \alpha_1 (T_{\text{H}} - 25)|^2 - |(H_{\text{H}})^2 - (d_{25\text{H}})^2| |1 + \alpha_3 (T_{\text{H}} - 25)|^2}{-S_{\text{L}} |1 + \alpha_2 (T_{\text{H}} - 25)|}}$

Minimum:

$$CH_{\min} = \sqrt{\frac{(H_{\rm L})^2 \left\{ 1 + \alpha_1 (T_{\rm H} - 25) \right\}^2 - \left\{ (H_{\rm L})^2 - (d_{25{\rm L}})^2 \right\} \left\{ 1 + \alpha_3 (T_{\rm H} - 25) \right\}^2} - S_{\rm H} \left\{ 1 + \alpha_2 (T_{\rm H} - 25) \right\}}$$

Where

 α 1: Coefficient of linear expansion of housing for $T_{\rm H}{}^{\circ}C$

 α 2: Coefficient of linear expansion of shaft for $T_{\mathsf{H}}{}^{\circ}\mathsf{C}$

 α 3: Coefficient of linear expansion of bearing for T_{H} °C

*Reference Coefficient of linear expansion of various materials (×10-5/°C)

Material	α 1, α 2
Mild steel	1.1
Aluminum	2.3
Stainless steel	1.73

3. Calculation of clearance for low temperature (TL°C)

1) Housing bore dimension

Maximum: $HL_H = H_H \{1 + \alpha_{11} (T_L - 25)\}$ Minimum: $HL_L = H_L \{1 + \alpha_{11} (T_L - 25)\}$

2) Shaft diameter

Maximum: $SL_H = S_H \{1 + \alpha_{22} (T_L - 25)\}$ Minimum: $SL_L = S_L \{1 + \alpha_{22} (T_L - 25)\}$

3) Clearance during operation Maximum:

$$CL_{\text{max}} = \sqrt{(H_{\text{H}})^2 \{1 + \alpha_{11}(T_{\text{L}} - 25)\}^2 - \{(H_{\text{H}})^2 - (d_{25\text{H}})^2\} \{1 + \alpha_{33}(T_{\text{L}} - 25)\}^2 - S_{\text{L}} \{1 + \alpha_{22}(T_{\text{L}} - 25)\}}$$

Minimum:

$$CL_{\min} = \sqrt{(H_{L})^{2} |1 + \alpha_{11}(T_{L} - 25)|^{2} - |(H_{L})^{2} - (d_{25L})^{2}| |1 + \alpha_{33}(T_{L} - 25)|^{2}} - S_{H} |1 + \alpha_{22}(T_{L} - 25)|$$

Where

 α ₁₁: Coefficient of linear expansion of housing for T_L °C α ₂₂: Coefficient of linear expansion of shaft for T_L °C α ₃₃: Coefficient of linear expansion of bearing for T_L °C

6-4 Handling

(a) Assembling method

Avoid hammering when pressing the bearing into the housing.

Use press machine with press arbor shown in **Figure 19** after centering bearing; and be sure that the housing chamfer is adequately large.

Use a knock pin or key to prevent rotation of the bearing, or use an adhesive to fasten the bearing for low temperature application, because the fitting might be loosened.

Remarks) Large-sized plastic bearings can be installed easily by cooling the bearing with dry ice.

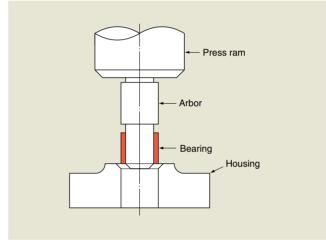


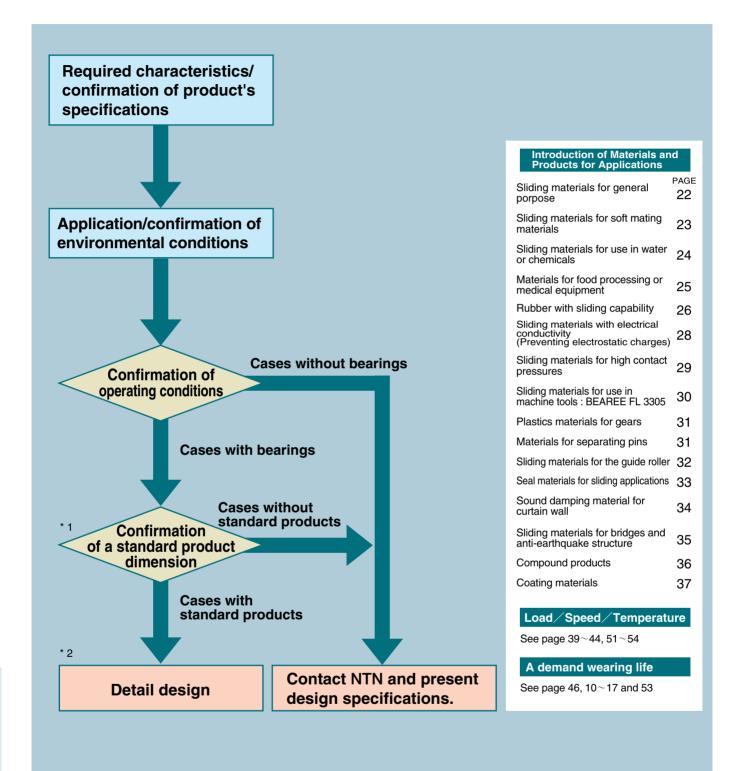
Figure 19 Assembling method

(b) Notice for handling

- (1) BEAREE FL could be deformed or scratched by a shock load, etc. and BEAREE PI could be cracked or chipped.
- (2) The surface roughness of mating material greatly affects bearing life.
 - NTN recommends surface roughness of 0.1 \sim 0.8a.
- (3) To fasten BEAREE bearing with adhesive, the bearing surface should be treated (etched) to make it bond-able. In that case, please advise us that, "Pre-etched one is required".
- (4) For bonding BEAREE bearing, an epoxy type adhesive is preferred.
- (5) Under some circumstances the operating temperature may loosen the clearance in the shaft and result in overheating, burning and seizing of the mechanism. Completely check the relation ship between fittings and clearances before application.

Technical Reference

7-1 Design guideline of sliding performance parts



- * 1) Even for selecting a standard product, determine if the materials are suitable for use. Further, if the proper dimensions can not be found, design after selecting materials.
- * 2) In the case of using the standard product, check the fittings and clearance according to the calculation on pages 47 to 49.

Remarks: If the application is for bearings and seal rings, use the "check list of conditions for use".

7-2 Temperature and allowable face pressure

The allowable face pressure of plastic sliding bearings depends on the base resin materials, it decrease when the temperature

Table 22 shows the guideline.

Table 22 Temperature and the allowable face pressure of bearings

Pa	temp	bient erature C Below	BEAREE FL3000 (PTFE)	BEAREE AS5000 (PPS)	BEAREE PI 5001 (PI)	BEAREE UH3000 (PE)	BEAREE PK5300 (PEEK)	BEAREE NY5000 (PA)	BEAREE DM5030 (POM)	BEAREE FL7075 (Coating)
P MPa	_	20	7	20	50	5	35	15	10	50
pressure	20	60	6	20	50	2	35	10	7	50
	60	100	5	15	50	0.5	30	5	3	40
e face	100	140	4	10	40	_	25	1	_	30
Allowable face	140	180	3	10	30	_	20	_	_	20
	180	220	1	7	20	_	15	_	_	10
	220	260	0.5	_	10	_	10	_	_	_
Allowable sliding velocity: V m/min			200	200	200	30	150	30	50	50
$\begin{array}{c} \textbf{Allowable pressure} \\ PV \\ \textbf{MPa} \cdot \textbf{m/min} \end{array}$			60	60	200	10	80	10	20	40

Allowable face pressure: Means the guideline for bearings. Allowable sliding velocity, allowable PV value: Means the allowable value at room temperature.

7-3 Friction coefficient

The friction coefficient of plastic sliding bearings can vary widely in application conditions. **Table 23** shows the friction coefficients and test conditions for typical material grades of **NTN** Engineering Plastics.

Table 23 Friction coefficient of NTN Engineering Plastics materials

Table 23 Friction of							
Materials	Test type	Mating material	Face pressure MPa	Sliding velocity m/min.	Lubrication	Ambient temperature °C	Friction coefficient
BEAREE FL3000	Thrust	SUJ2	1.0	10.0	None	Room temperature	0.13
BEAREE FL3030	Thrust	SUS304	1.96	36.0	None	Room temperature	0.18
DEADEE DI FOOT	Thrust	SUJ2	1.0	10.0	None	Room temperature	0.3
BEAREE PI 5001	Thrust	SUJ2	0.5	128.0	None	Room temperature	0.1
BEAREE UH5041	Thrust	SUJ2	1.0	10.0	None	Room temperature	0.12
DEADEE ACCOSO	Thrust	A5056	0.25	3.4	None	165	0.13
BEAREE AS5053	Thrust	A5056	0.35	2.8	None	200	0.09
BEAREE PK5900	Thrust	SUS304	1.0	10.0	None	Room temperature	0.28
BEAREE NY5000	Thrust	SUJ2	0.3	32.0	None	Room temperature	0.21
DEADEE DMEO20	Thrust	SUJ2	1.0	10.0	None	Room temperature	0.21
BEAREE DM5030	Thrust	A5056	1.0	10.0	None	Room temperature	0.13
DEADEE ED2000	Thrust	SUJ2	0.3	1.0	None	Room temperature	0.28
BEAREE ER3000	Thrust	SUS304	0.3	1.0	None	Room temperature	0.22
BEAREE FL7075	Thrust	A5056	0.22	2.4	None	Room temperature	0.13

7-4 Specific wear rate

The specific wear rate (wear factor) of plastic bearings can vary widely in application conditions. **Table 24** shows the specific wear rate and test conditions for typical material grades of **NTN** Engineering Plastics.

Table 24 Specific wear rate of NTN Engineering Plastics materials

		Specific wear rate					
Materials	Test type	Mating material	Face pressure MPa	Sliding velocity m/min.	Lubrication	Ambient temperature °C	×10 ⁻⁷ mm³/N·m
BEAREE FL3000	Thrust	SUJ2	0.25	128.0	None	Room temperature	1.0
BEAREE FL3030	Thrust	SUS304	1.96	36.0	None	Room temperature	1.6
DEADEE DI 5001	Thrust	SUJ2	1.95	128.0	None	Room temperature	6.23
BEAREE PI 5001	Thrust	SUJ2	0.2	128.0	None	Room temperature	1.0
BEAREE UH5041	Thrust	SUJ2	0.3	32.0	None	Room temperature	0.3
DEADEE ACCOES	Radial	A5056	0.25	3.4	None	165	13.0
BEAREE AS5053	Radial	A5056	0.35	2.8	None	200	17.0
BEAREE PK5900	Thrust	SUS304	0.5	100.0	None	Room temperature	6.2
BEAREE NY5000	Radial	S45C	0.19	70.0	None	Room temperature	8.3
DEADEE DAGGO	Thrust	SUJ2	0.3	32.0	None	Room temperature	1.5
BEAREE DM5030	Thrust	A5056	0.3	32.0	None	Room temperature	5.0
DEADEE EDAGGO	Thrust	SUJ2	0.23	128.0	None	Room temperature	3.3
BEAREE ER3000	Thrust	A2017	0.23	128.0	None	Room temperature	2.9
BEAREE FL7075	Thrust	SUS304	0.5	30.0	None	Room temperature	10.0

7-5 Thermal expansion coefficient

Table 25 shows the linear expansion coefficient of BEAREE FL. PTFE has a conversion point at 23°C, and it's volume changes drastically at this point. Therefore, the dimensions measurement should be performed at 25°C. Also, since the expansion rate is different along the longitudinal (M.D.) and lateral (C.D.) direction regarding the molding direction, more caution is requested to determine the clearance.

Table 25 Linear expansion coefficient of BEAREE(FL) (×10⁻⁵/°C)

Range of	BEAREE FL3000		BEAREE	FL3030	BEAREE FL3700		PTFE
temperature change°C	C.D.	M.D.	C.D.	M.D.	C.D.	M.D.	FIFE
-50∼+ 20	6.7	9.6	9.2	9.2			13.5
−18~+ 20	8.2	12.6	9.2	9.2	9.0	7.9	16.2
+20~+ 25	22.2	36.8	19.1	29.8	24.6	33.5	50.2
+25~+100	8.0	10.1	9.0	9.8	7.2	8.5	12.4
+25~+150	8.3	10.7	9.0	9.8	7.7	9.9	13.5
+25~+200	9.3	11.7	10.4	11.2	8.5	10.6	15.1
+25~+260	11.0	13.6	11.1	11.8	9.7	13.5	18.0

Remarks M.D.: Longitudinal direction (Compression molding, the axial direction of continuously molded rod or pipe.)

C.D.: Lateral direction (Right angled direction to the axial direction mentioned above.)

7-6 Test data

Applications of plastic bearings are rapidly increasing. The latest test data are shown as follows.

BEAREE FL3000

Test condition (Friction test)

Test unit : Thrust type friction and wear test unit.

Mating material : Bearing steel(SUJ2). Rotation sample piece

Face pressure : 0.5-10 MPa Sliding velocity : 10 m/min. Lubrication : None



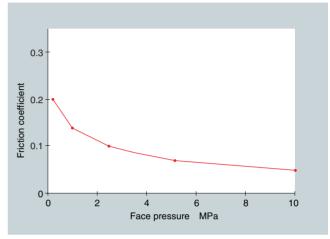


Fig.20 Friction coefficient versus face pressure

BEAREE FL3000

Test condition (Friction test)

Test unit : Thrust type friction and wear test unit.

Mating material : Bearing steel(SUJ2). Rotation sample piece

Face pressure : 1 MPa Sliding velocity : -100 m/min. Lubrication : None



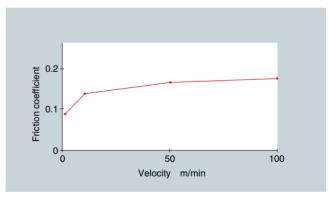


Fig.21 Friction coefficient versus sliding velocity

BEAREE FL3000

Test condition (Wear test)

Test unit : Thrust type friction and wear test unit.

Mating material : Bearing steel(SUJ2). Rotation sample piece

Face pressure : 0.08-0.8 MPa Sliding velocity : 128 m/min. Lubrication : None Test time : 100 hours



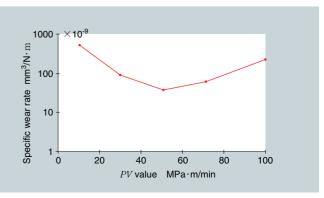


Fig.22 Specific wear rate versus PV value

BEAREE PI5001

Test condition (Friction test)

Test unit : Thrust type friction and wear test unit.

Mating material : Bearing steel(SUJ2). Rotation sample piece

Face pressure : 0.5, 0.8 MPa Sliding velocity : 128 m/min. Lubrication : None Ambient temperature: 100°C



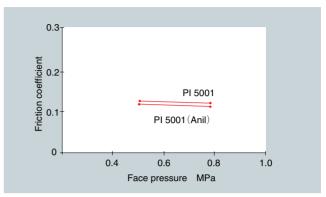


Fig.23 Friction coefficient versus face pressure

BEAREE PI5001

Test condition (Wear test)

Test unit : Thrust type friction and wear test unit.

Mating material : Bearing steel(SUJ2). Rotation sample piece

Face pressure : 0.2-2.0 MPa Sliding velocity : 128 m/min. Lubrication : None

Ambient temperature: Room temperature



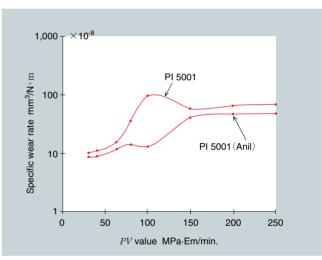


Fig.24 Specific wear rate versus PV value

BEAREE AS5053

Test condition (Wear test)

Test unit : Radial type friction and wear test unit.

Mating material: A5056(3.2S, HV45)

Face pressure : 0.35 MPa Sliding velocity : 2.8 m/min. Lubrication : None Ambient temperature: 200°C Test time : 50 hours

Specific wear rate: 1.7x10⁻⁶ mm³/N⋅m

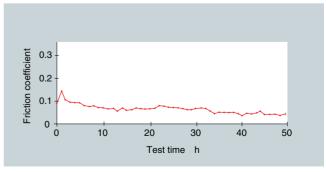


Fig.25 Friction coefficient during the wear test



BEAREE DM5030

Test condition (Friction test)

Test unit : Thrust type friction and wear test unit.

Mating material : Bearing steel(SUJ2). A5056

Face pressure : 1 MPa
Sliding velocity : 10 m/min.
Lubrication : None

Ambient temperature : Room temperature

Test time : 60 minutes



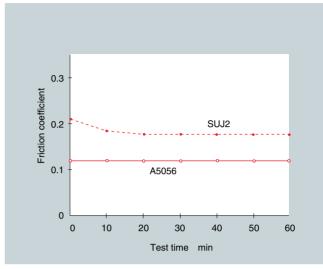


Fig.26 Friction coefficient versus running time

BEAREE ER3000

Test condition (Friction test)

Test unit : Thrust type friction and wear test unit.

Mating material : Bearing steel(SUJ2)

Face pressure : 0.3 MPa Sliding velocity : 1.0 m/min. Lubrication : None

Ambient temperature: Room temperature



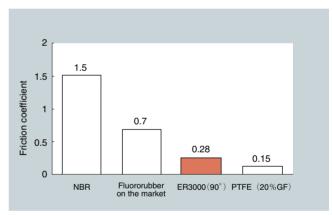


Fig.27 Friction coefficient comparison mating SUJ2

BEAREE FL7075 (Coating)

Test condition (Friction test)

Test unit : Thrust type friction and wear test unit.

Mating material : SUS304
Face pressure : 0.01, 0.2 MPa
Sliding velocity : 0.01-10 m/min.

Lubrication : None

Ambient temperature: Room temperature



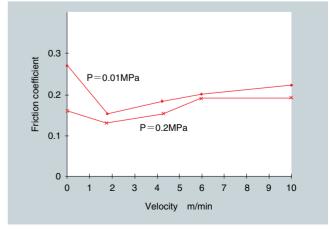
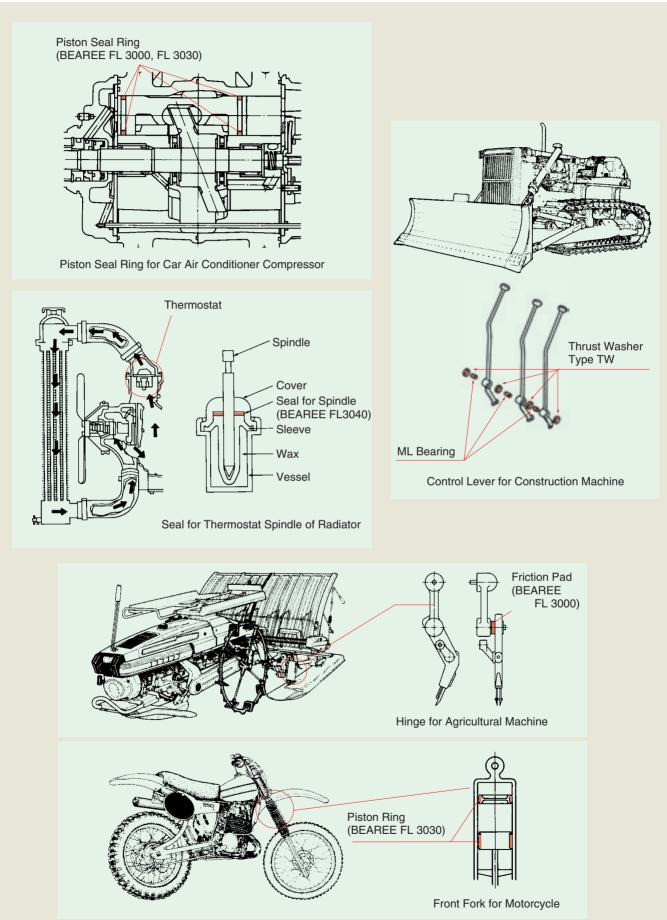
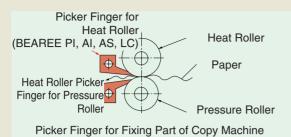


Fig.28 Friction coefficient versus sliding velocity

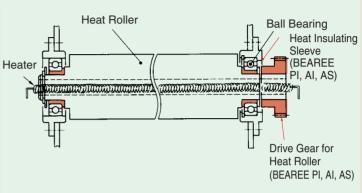
Application Examples



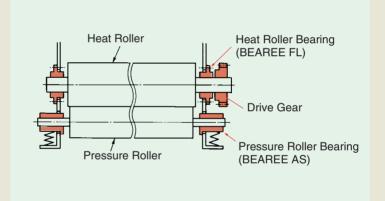




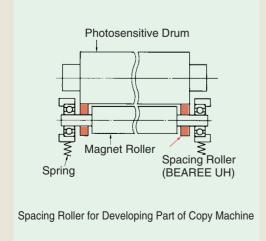


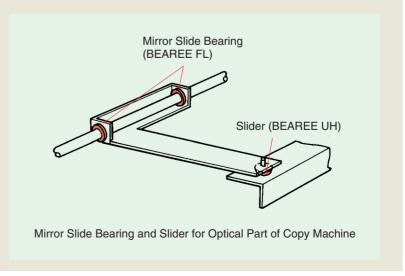


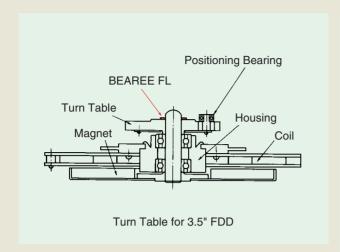
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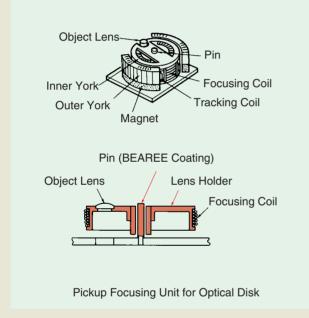


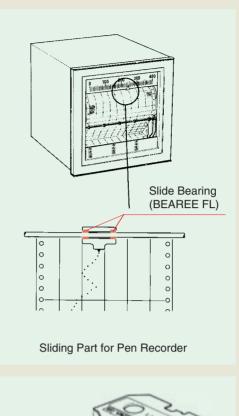
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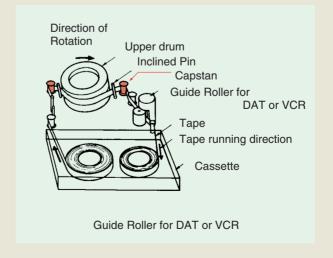


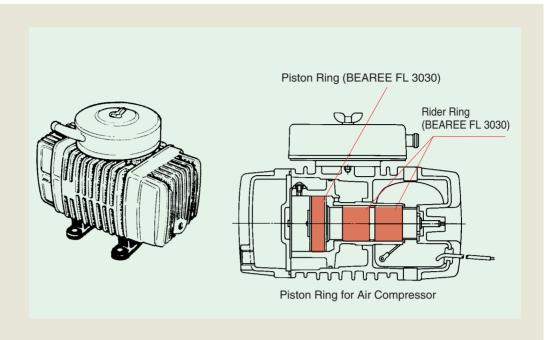


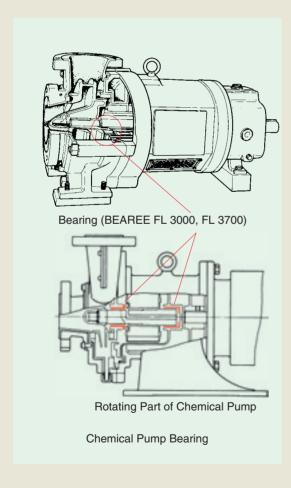


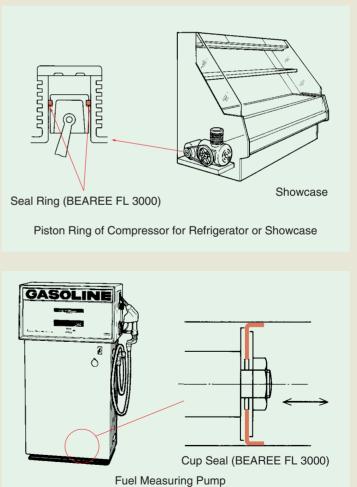


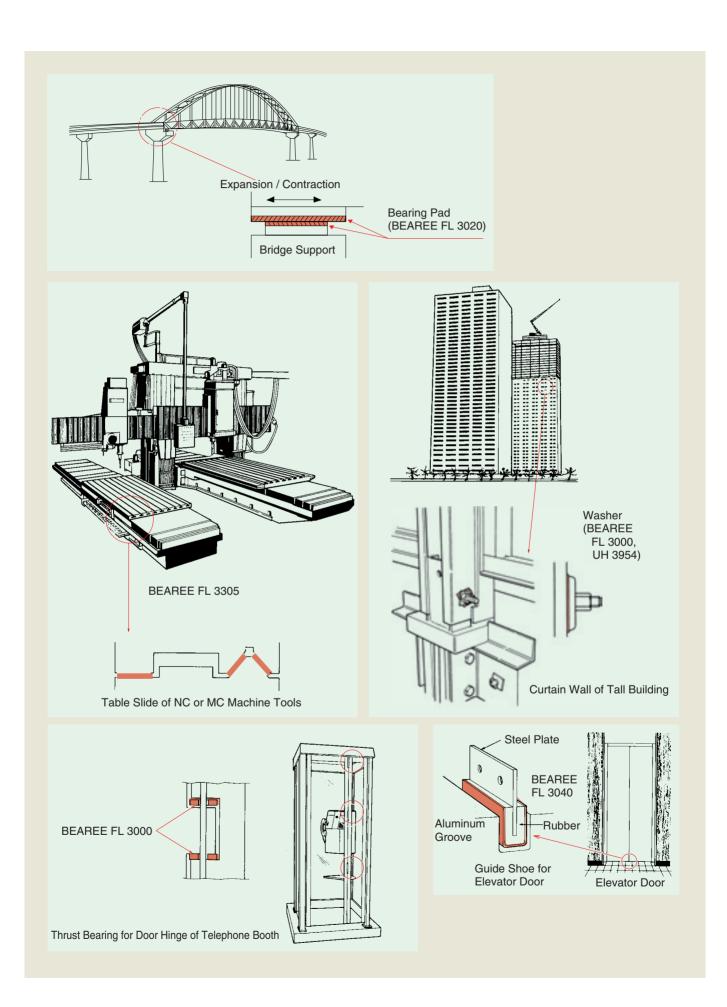


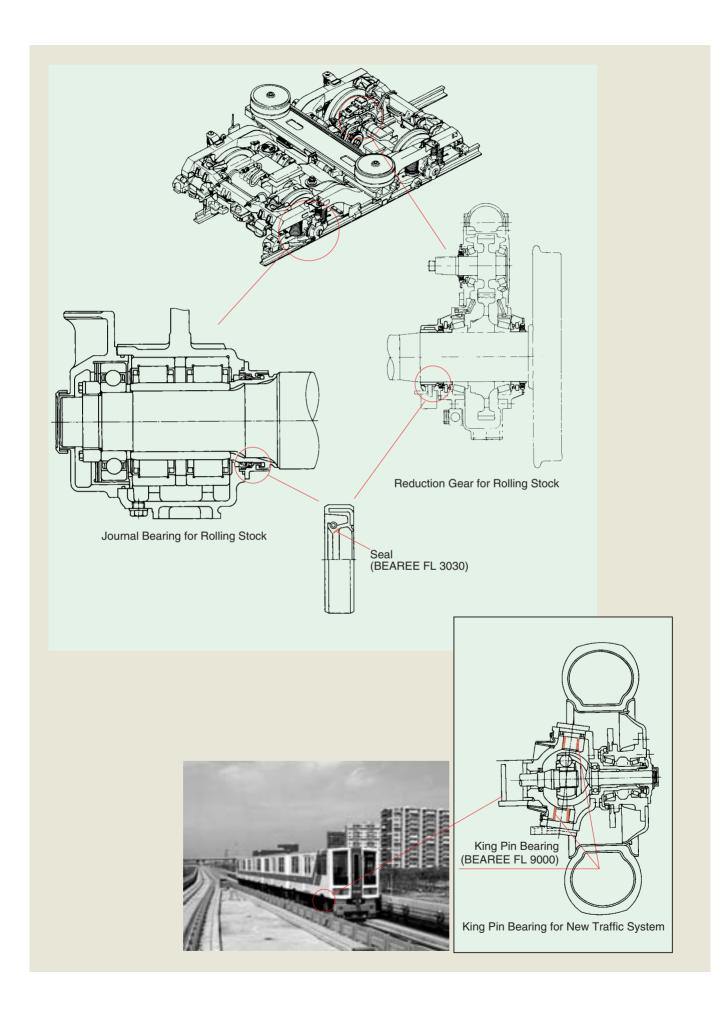












NTN Engineering Plastics Application Inquiry

Items	Confirmation						
1. Equipment							
2. Application							
3. Ambient temperature	Max. Min. °C						
4. Ambient humidity	%						
5. Environment	Air, Water, Sea Water						
6. Type of load	Static, Dynamic, Shock, Vibration, Repetition Other()						
7. Type of motion	Rotation, Rocking, Oscillation, Other()						
8. Operating time	h/day cycle/min						
9. Speed	rpm						
10. Sliding velocity	m/min						
11. Load	Axial, Radial, N {kgf}						
12. Pressure(Seal ring)	MPa {kgf/cm²}						
13. Lubrication							
	Dimension:						
14. Shaft	Material :						
	Hardness :						
	Roughness:						
	Dimension:						
15. Housing	Material :						
	Hardness :						
	Roughness:						
16. Remarks							

