

# Microtherm® Hydrophobic Panel Clean, waterproof high temperature insulation



Microtherm® Hydrophobic Panels are water repellent high temperature insulation panels. Microporous insulation provides a thermal conductivity even lower than that of still air.

#### **Properties**

- Opacified blend of filament reinforced silica
- High temperature microporous insulation specially treated to repel water during installation.
- Continuous operation at temperatures up to 1000 °C (1832 °F)
- Environmentally friendly with no respirable
- Environmentally friendly with no known health hazards
  - Clean to use
  - Simple to cut and shape.

#### **Typical applications**

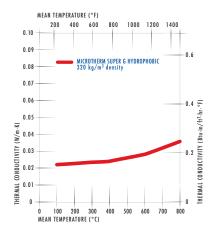
- Water repellent insulation
- Steel making
- Marine insulation applications
- All applications where water may be present.



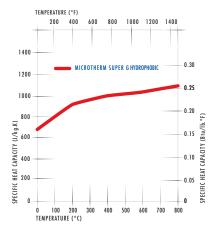
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#### TYPICAL PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS

# Thermal Conductivity



#### Specific Heat Capacity



#### Size Availability

Panel dimensions are normally specified by customer. A range of standard panel sizes available from stock. Thickness normally in range of 3 - 30 mm in 0.5 mm steps ( $\frac{1}{8}$ " to  $1\frac{1}{8}$ "). Greater thickness can be made but it is often better to use the alternative of two thinner layers.

#### Performance

Maximum temperature limits Microtherm® Super G Hydrophobic - 1000 °C (1832 °F) for long term exposure. Thermal conductivity (ISO 8302, ASTM C177) - Microtherm® Super G Hydrophobic @ 320 kg/m³ density.

Tolerance on panel width dimension.

 $\pm$  6 mm ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ") for circular panels.

 $\pm$  3 mm (1/8") for panel widths < 1.6 m (5' 3").

Specific heat capacity 680 J/kg.K at 0 °C

920 J/kg.K at 200 °C 1000 J/kg.K at 400 °C 1040 J/kg.K at 600 °C 1080 J/kg.K at 800 °C

Compressive Modulus (ASTM C165) @  $320 \text{ kg/m}^3$  density - 2.1 MPa Resistance at 10% deformation (ASTM C165) @  $320 \text{ kg/m}^3$  density - 0.2 MPa

## **Manufacturing Tolerances**

Tolerance on panel length dimension.

- $\pm$  3 mm ( $\frac{1}{8}$ ") for panel lengths  $\leq$  1.6 m (5' 3").
- $\pm$  6 mm ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ") for panel lengths > 1.6 m (5' 3").
- $\pm$  6 mm ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ") for circular panels.

Tolerance on panel thickness.

- $\pm$  0.5 mm (0.02") for panel thickness  $\leq$ 10 mm ( $\leq$   $^{3}/_{8}$ ")
- $\pm$  0.8 mm (0.03") for panel thickness 10.1 30 mm ( $\frac{3}{8}$ "  $\frac{11}{8}$ ")
- $\pm$  1.5 mm (0.06") for panel thickness 30.1 50 mm (1½" 2.0")
- $\pm~2$  mm (0.08") for panel thickness  $\,>50$  mm (> 2.0")

#### Density

Typically  $260 - 350 \text{ kg/m}^3$ .

### Standard finish styles available

Woven E glass cloth on both faces with selvedge.

#### Typical Values

Performance values quoted here are for general guidance.

For more precise information and assistance with design please contact our materials specialists.

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