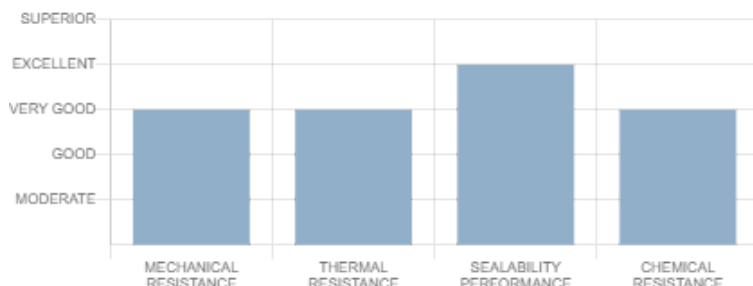


TESNIT® BA-U combines very good thermal, chemical, and mechanical properties that makes TESNIT® BA-U as a general-purpose gasket material. It is well designed for gas and potable water supplies.



PROPERTIES



APPROPRIATE INDUSTRIES & APPLICATIONS

- AUTOMOTIVE AND ENGINE
- BUILDING INDUSTRIES
- FOOD INDUSTRY
- GENERAL PURPOSE
- PETROCHEMICAL INDUSTRY
- REFRIGERATION & COOLING
- VALVES
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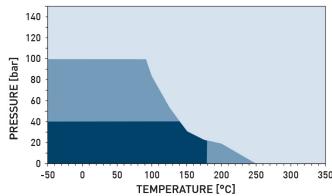
Composition	Aramid fibers, inorganic fillers, NBR binder. Optional steel wire mesh reinforcement.		
Color	Blue		
Approvals and compliances	ABS DNV GL EC 1935/2004 TA Luft (VDI 2440)	AGA AS 4623 DVGW DIN 30653 ELL (hot) TZW W270	BAM (oxygen) DVGW DIN 3535-6 SVGW DIN 3535-6 WRAS
Sheet dimensions	Size (mm): 1500 x 1500 3000 x 1500 4500 x 1500 Thickness (mm): 0.5 1.0 1.5 2.0 3.0 Other sizes and thicknesses available on request		
Tolerances	± 5 % on length and width On thickness up to 1.0 mm ± 0.1 mm On thickness above 1.0 mm ± 10 %		
Surface finish	Standard: 4AS. Optional: graphite or PTFE.		

TECHNICAL DATA

Typical values for 2 mm thickness

Density	DIN 28090-2	g/cm ³	1.7
Compressibility	ASTM F36J	%	11
Recovery	ASTM F36J	%	60
Tensile strength	ASTM F152	MPa	14
Residual stress	DIN 52913		
50 MPa, 175°C, 16 h		MPa	27
50 MPa, 300°C, 16 h		MPa	23
Specific leak rate	DIN 3535-6	mg/(s·m)	0.02
Thickness increase	ASTM F146		
Oil IRM 903, 150°C, 5 h		%	2
ASTM Fuel B, 23°C, 5 h		%	5
Compression modulus	DIN 28090-2		
At room temperature: ϵ_{KSW}		%	9.5
At elevated temperature: $\epsilon_{WSW/200^\circ C}$		%	16.1
Creep relaxation	DIN 28090-2		
At room temperature: ϵ_{KRW}		%	4.7
At elevated temperature: $\epsilon_{WRW/200^\circ C}$		%	0.8
Maximum operating conditions			
Peak temperature		°C/°F	350/662
Continuous temperature		°C/°F	250/482
Continuous temperature with steam		°C/°F	200/392
Pressure		bar/psi	100/1450

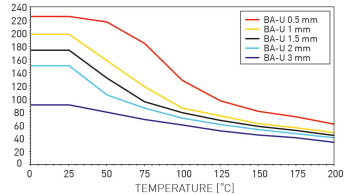
P-T diagram EN 1514-1, Type IBC, PN 40, DIN 28091-2 / 3.8, 2 mm



P-T diagrams indicate the maximum permissible combination of internal pressure and service temperature which can be simultaneously applied to a given gaskets thickness, size and tightness class. Given the wide variety of gasket applications and service conditions, these values should only be regarded as a guidance for the proper gasket assembly. In general, thinner gaskets exhibit better P-T properties.

- General suitability - Under common installation practices and chemical compatibility
- Conditional suitability - Appropriate measures ensure maximum performance for joint design and gasket installation. Technical consultation is recommended
- Limited suitability - Technical consultation is mandatory.

σ_{80} DIAGRAMS DIN 28090-1



σ_{80} diagrams represent σ_{80} values for different gasket material thicknesses. These values indicate the maximum in-service compressive pressures which can be applied on the gasket area involved without destructing or damaging the gasket material.

CHEMICAL RESISTANCE CHART

The recommendations made here are intended as a guideline for the selection of a suitable gasket type. As the function and durability of products are dependent upon a number of factors, the data may not be used to support any warranty claims. If there are specific type-approval regulations, these have to be complied with.

Legend: + Recommended ○ Recommendation depends on operating conditions, - Not recommended

Acetamide	+	Calcium chloride	+	Freon-12 (R-12)	+	Motor oil	+	Sodium bisulfite	+
Acetic acid 10%	+	Calcium hydroxide	+	Freon-134a (R-134a)	+	Naphtha	+	Sodium carbonate	+
Acetic acid 100% (Glacial)	-	Carbon dioxide (gas)	+	Freon-22 (R-22)	○	Nitric acid 10%	-	Sodium chloride	+
Acetone	○	Carbon monoxide (gas)	+	Fruit juices	+	Nitric acid 65%	-	Sodium cyanide	+
Acetonitrile	-	Cellosolve	○	Fuel oil	+	Nitrobenzene	-	Sodium hydroxide	○
Acetylene (gas)	+	Chlorine (gas)	-	Gasoline	+	Nitrogen (Gas)	+	Sodium hypochlorite (Bleach)	○
Acid chlorides	-	Chlorine (in water)	+	Gelatin	+	Nitrous gases (NOx)	○	Sodium silicate (Water glass)	+
Acrylic acid	○	Chlorobenzene	○	Glycerine (Glycerol)	+	Octane	+	Sodium sulfate	+
Acrylonitrile	-	Chloroform	-	Glycols	+	Oils (Essential)	+	Sodium sulfide	+
Adipic acid	+	Chloroprene	○	Helium (gas)	+	Oils (Vegetable)	+	Starch	+
Air (gas)	+	Chlorosilanes	-	Heptane	+	Oleic acid	+	Steam	+
Alcohols	+	Chromic acid	-	Hydraulic oil (Mineral)	+	Oleum (Sulfuric acid, fuming)	-	Stearic acid	+
Aldehydes	○	Citric acid	○	Hydraulic oil (Glycol based)	+	Oxalic acid	○	Styrene	○
Alum	+	Copper acetate	+	Hydraulic oil (Phosphate ester-based)	○	Oxygen (gas)	+	Sugars	+
Aluminium acetate	+	Copper sulfate	+	Hydrazine	-	Palmitic acid	-	Sulfur	○
Aluminium chlorate	○	Creosote	○	Hydrocarbons	+	Paraffin oil	+	Sulfur dioxide (Gas)	○
Aluminium chloride	○	Cresols (Cresylic acid)	-	Hydrochloric acid 10%	○	Pentane	+	Sulfuric acid 20%	-
Aluminium sulfate	○	Cyclohexane	+	Hydrochloric acid 37%	-	Perchloroethylene	-	Sulfuric acid 98%	-
Amines	-	Cyclohexanol	+	Hydrofluoric acid 10%	-	Petroleum (Crude oil)	+	Sulfuryl chloride	-
Ammonia (Gas)	○	Cyclohexanone	○	Hydrofluoric acid 48%	-	Phenol (Carbolic acid)	-	Tar	+
Ammonium bicarbonate	+	Decalin	+	Hydrogen (gas)	+	Phosphoric acid, 40%	+	Tartaric acid	○
Ammonium chloride	+	Dextrin	+	Iron sulfate	+	Phosphoric acid, 85%	-	Tetrahydrofuran (THF)	-
Ammonium hydroxide	+	Dibenzyl ether	○	Isobutane (Gas)	+	Phthalic acid	+	Titanium tetrachloride	-
Amyl acetate	○	Dibutyl phthalate	○	Isooctane	+	Potassium acetate	+	Toluene	+
Anhydrides	○	Dimethylacetamide (DMA)	○	Isoprene	+	Potassium bicarbonate	+	2,4-Toluenedisocyanate	○
Aniline	-	Dimethylformamide (DMF)	○	Isopropyl alcohol (Isopropanol)	+	Potassium carbonate	+	Transformer oil (Mineral type)	+
Anisole	○	Dioxane	-	Kerosene	+	Potassium chloride	+	Trichloroethylene	-
Argon (gas)	+	Diphenyl (Dowtherm A)	+	Ketones	○	Potassium cyanide	+	Vinegar	+
Asphalt	+	Esters	○	Lactic acid	○	Potassium dichromate	○	Vinyl chloride (gas)	-
Barium chloride	+	Ethane (Gas)	+	Lead acetate	+	Potassium hydroxide	○	Vinylidene chloride	-
Benzaldehyde	-	Ethers	○	Lead arsenate	+	Potassium iodide	+	Water	+
Benzene	+	Ethyl acetate	○	Magnesium sulfate	+	Potassium nitrate	+	White spirits	+
Benzoic acid	○	Ethyl alcohol (Ethanol)	+	Maleic acid	○	Potassium permanganate	+	Xylenes	+
Bio-diesel	+	Ethyl cellulose	+	Malic acid	○	Propane (gas)	+	Xylenol	-
Bio-ethanol	+	Ethyl chloride (gas)	-	Methane (Gas)	+	Propylene (gas)	+	Zinc sulfate	+
Black liquor	○	Ethylene (gas)	+	Methyl alcohol (Methanol)	+	Pyridine	-		
Borax	+	Ethylene glycol	+	Methyl chloride (Gas)	○	Salicylic acid	○		
Boric acid	+	Formaldehyde (Formalin)	○	Methylene dichloride	○	Seawater/brine	+		
Butadiene (gas)	+	Formamide	○	Methyl ethyl ketone (MEK)	○	Silicones (oil/grease)	+		
Butane (gas)	+	Formic acid 10%	+	N-Methyl-pyrrolidone (NMP)	○	Soaps	+		
Butyl alcohol (Butanol)	+	Formic acid 85%	○	Milk	+	Sodium aluminate	+		
Butyric acid	+	Formic acid 100%	-	Mineral oil type ASTM 1	+	Sodium bicarbonate	+		

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