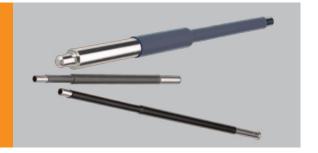


MT-1000

PVDF Heat Shrink Tubing

Applications

- Abrasion protection for laparoscopic and in-vivo instruments
- High performance insulation for electrosurgical devices
- Strain relief applications



PROFILE

- Shrink ratio ≤ 2:1
- Full recovery at 175°C (347°F) minimum
- · Supports sterilization environments: gamma, ethylene oxide (ETO), steam, dry heat and autoclave
- Manufactured to ISO 10993 standards
- Registered with the FDA: MAF-444
- · Custom sizing, colors, finishing and value-add options available
- Radiopacity can be customized

ABOUT

- MT-1000 is a crosslinked polyvinylidene fluoride (PVDF) heat shrink tubing. PVDF offers excellent chemical and abrasion resistance, high dielectric strength and superior tensile strength. Its homogeneous structure (properties evenly distributed) contributes to its consistency and high performance, making our MT-1000 tubing essentially free from flaws, defects, pinholes, seams, cracks or inclusions.
- MT-1000 is rigid and highly-lubricious, and works very well at providing abrasion protection for rigid laparoscopic and in-vivo instruments.

TABLE 1: DIMENSIONS

| Standard Since | As Supplied | | Recovered | | | | | | | | |
|----------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------|---------------|------|---------|--------------------------|---------|------|--|
| Standard Sizes | Inside Diameter | Minimum (D) | Inside Diameter | Maximum (d) | Wall Thicknes | | | s (in., <i>mm.</i>) (W) | | | |
| Size | in. | mm. | in. | mm. | Minimum | | Maximum | | Nominal | | |
| 3/64 | 0.046 | 1.17 | 0.023 | 0.58 | .008 | 0.20 | 0.12 | 0.31 | .010 | 0.25 | |
| 1/16 | 0.063 | 1.60 | 0.031 | 0.79 | .008 | 0.20 | 0.12 | 0.31 | .010 | 0.25 | |
| 3/32 | 0.093 | 2.36 | 0.046 | 1.17 | .009 | 0.20 | 0.12 | 0.31 | .010 | 0.25 | |
| 1/8 | 0.125 | 3.18 | 0.062 | 1.58 | .009 | 0.20 | 0.12 | 0.31 | .010 | 0.25 | |
| 3/16 | 0.187 | 4.75 | 0.093 | 2.36 | .009 | 0.20 | 0.12 | 0.31 | .010 | 0.25 | |
| 1/4 | 0.250 | 6.35 | 0.125 | 3.18 | .011 | 0.28 | 0.15 | 0.38 | .013 | 0.33 | |
| 3/8 | 0.375 | 9.53 | 0.187 | 4.75 | .011 | 0.28 | 0.15 | 0.38 | .013 | 0.33 | |
| 1/2 | 0.500 | 12.70 | 0.250 | 6.35 | .011 | 0.28 | 0.15 | 0.38 | .013 | 0.33 | |

TABLE 2: PROPERTIES

| Property | Unit | Requirement | Test Method |
|---|-------------------------|--|---|
| Physical | | | |
| Dimensions* | inches (mm) | In accordance with Table 1 | |
| Longitudinal change* | percent | +0, -10 maximum | ASTM D 2671 |
| Concentricity as supplied* | percent | 70 minimum | ASTM D 2671 |
| Tensile strength* | psi (MPa) | 5000 minimum (34.5) | ASTM D 2671, |
| JItimate elongation* | percent | 150 minimum | 20"/minute |
| Secant modulus* (expanded) | psi (MPa) | 1 x 10 ⁵ minimum <i>(690)</i> | ASTM D 2671 |
| Heat resistance 168 hours at 250 ± 5°C (482°F) Followed by test for: Ultimate elongation | percent | 50 minimum | ASTM D 2671, 20"/minute |
| Electrical Dielectric strength | p 0. 00c | | |
| Sizes 3/64 through 1/2 Sizes 3/4 through 2 | volts/mil (volts/mm) | 800 minimum <i>(31.500)</i> 600 minimum <i>(23.600)</i> | ASTM D 2671 |
| Dielectric withstand 3000V, 60Hz | sec | 60 minimum | ASTM D 2671 |
| Chemical Fluid resistance 24 hours at 23 ± 3°C (73 ± 5°F) Isopropyl alcohol 5% saline solution Disinfectant | | | ASTM D 2671 |
| Followed by tests for: Dielectric strength Sizes 3/64 through 1/2 Sizes 3/4 through 2 | volts/mil (volts/mm) | 700 minimum <i>(27.600)</i> 500 minimum <i>(19.700)</i> | |
| Tensile strength | psi (MPa) | 5000 minimum (34.5) | ASTM D 2671, 2"/minute |
| Heavy metals analysis Cadmium Mercury Lead Bismuth Antimony | ppm | 1 maximum (total of all metals) | USP XXII Physiochemical tests-plastic (Note 1) |

^{*}Denotes lot acceptance test

Note 1: Sample preparation and extraction is per USP XXII. Metals analysis may be colorimetric as described in USP XXII or by equivalent quantitative analytical method.

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