PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

**RF34** is a rigid molded *Non-Asbestos, Metallic* friction material suitable for use in *Medium Friction* brake/clutch applications in a wide variety of equipment. RF 34 is non-corrosive, smooth, kind to mating surfaces and keeps the interface temperatures down on both clutches and brakes. RF 34 can be molded into wide range of shapes and sizes to satisfy virtually all industrial applications.

CHARACTERISTICS

- Exceptional dimensional stability
- Extremely low noise operation
- Excellent corrosion resistance
- Excellent wear rate.
- High Compressibility

MECHANICAL PROPERTIES

- Specific Gravity (SAE J380): 2.0-2.25
- Gogan Hardness (SAE J379A): 15-35
- Tensile Strength, PSI (ASTM D638): 2500 min
- Compressive Strength: 13904 min

FRICIONAL PROPERTIES

- Coefficient of Friction (SAE J661):
  - Normal*: 0.34
  - Hot*: 0.34
- Wear Rate (SAE J661) (inch³/hp-hr): 0.0057 max
- Friction Code: EE
- Maximum Operating Limits:
  - Rubbing Speed**: 7500 fps
  - Pressure**: 2000 psi
  - Drum Temperature for
    - Constant Operation**: 650°F

SAE J661A TEST CURVES

*Note 1. – Friction values shown are for guide purposes only since values deviate with changes in temperature, pressure and speed. Practical design should include a 25 to 50 percent safety factor.

**Note 2. – Rubbing speed, drum temperature, and pressure are directly related. Changing any one value will change the others. The values shown represent typical conditions, but are not the ultimate limits of the material.