

# Specification Sheet

# **Fibre-Kork General Specifications**

**A. SCOPE:** FIBRE-KORK is a composition cork and fibre glue-glycerine impregnant gasket material manufactured and tested to the below-listed specifications. FIBRE-KORK consists of a special base fibre containing 40% granulated cork particles by volume. FIBRE-KORK is saturated with a glue-glycerine impregnant which makes the sheet impervious to oil, water and gasoline. The incorporation of the cork with the fibre makes FIBRE-KORK a soft compressible material adaptable for gasket application with low internal pressures.

B. CERTIFICATION: FIBRE-KORK is certified to meet the below listed specifications:

MIL-G-12803A MIL-G-128030B & MIL-G-12803C ASTM D 1170 and SAE J90 ASTM F 104 and SAE J90 Ident. No. P3415A Ident. No. F328148M4 Ident. No. P3415A Ident. No. F328148-E41-M4

## C. PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Fibre (60% by volume) and Cork (40% by volume)	45% to 55%
Moisture	6% to 10%
Chemical Solids	35% to 45%

**D. CONDITIONING:** All samples conditioned prior to testing as specified by applicable application--usually 50% RH -70 to 850 F for a period of 22 or 24 hours.

**E. STANDARDS:** (Using American Society of Testing Materials Specification ASTM F 104 prepared jointly with the Society of Automotive Engineers and similar in requirements to MIL-G-12803C.

Original	Test Load	1000 p.s.i. min.
Physical	Compressibility	40% to 55%
Properties	Tensile Strength	1000 p.s.i. min.
Physical Properties After Impression	Fuel BThickness increase #3 OilThickness increase Fuel BWeight increase #3 OilWeight increase WaterWeight increase	5% maximum (Not Applicable to MIL-G-12803C) 5% maximum 30% maximum (Not Applicable to MIL-G-12803C) 30% maximum 100% maximum

#### **F. THICKNESS TOLERANCES**

Thickness	Plus or Minus
.006", .010" and .015"	.0035″
.021", .031", .046" and .062"	.005″
.096" (3/32")	.008″
.125" (1/8") and up	.016″

**G. FLEXIBILITY:** FIBRE-KORK is capable of withstanding bending around a rod with a diameter of twice the thickness of the material under test, without cracking, breaking, or excessive marring of the surfaces.

### H. TEMPERATURE LIMIT: 250° F

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