

Barium Fluoride (BaF₂)

Custom sizes and specifications are available

CRYSTALLOGRAPHIC

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| Syngony | Cubic |
| Symmetry Class | m3m |
| Lattice Constants, Angstrom | a=6.196 |
| | c=a |
| Cleavability | (111), perfect |

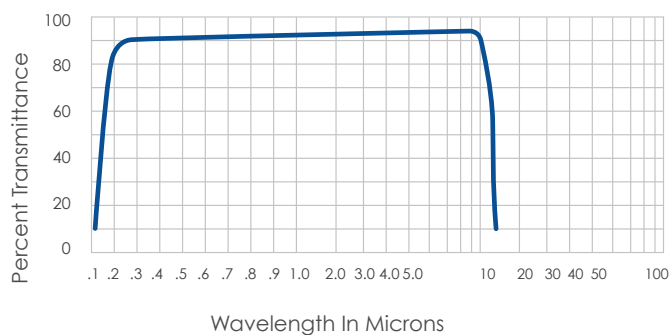
OPTICAL

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| Refractive Index at n_e | 1.4759 |
| Refractive Index n_F , $-n_C$ | 0.0059 |
| Refractive Index at $n_{10.6}$ | 1.3926 |
| Refractive Index $n_{8.0}$, $-n_{12.5}$ | 0.0673 |
| Thermal Coefficient of Refractive Index at 3.39 microns for +/- 60 deg C | (-1.27)... (-1.51) x 10 ⁻⁵ |
| Transmission Range, Microns | 0.15 - 12.5 |
| Absorbance μ (λ), cm ⁻¹ | |
| at 0.2 microns | 0.2 |
| at 0.4 microns | 0.08 |
| at 10.6 microns | 0.13 |

THERMAL

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| Thermal Linear Expansion, deg C ⁻¹ for +/- 60 deg C | (16.5...19.2) x 10 ⁻⁶ |
| Thermal Conductivity, W/(m * deg C) at 38 deg C | 7.1 |
| Specific Heat Capacity, J/(kg * deg C) | 0.456 x 10 ³ |
| Thermal Stability, deg C | 10 +/-2 |
| Melting Point, deg C | 1354 |

Transmittance τ (λ) vs. Wavelength λ



MECHANICAL

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| Density, g/cm ³ at 20 deg C | 4.83 |
| Mohs Hardness | 3 |
| Vickers Microhardness, Pa | 82 x 10 ⁷ |
| Constants of Elastic Compliance, Pa ⁻¹ | $S_{11}=15.30 \times 10^{-12}$ $S_{12}=-4.69 \times 10^{-12}$ $S_{44}=39.47 \times 10^{-12}$ |
| Young Modulus E , Pa | |
| in <100> direction | 6.54 x 10 ¹⁰ |
| in <111> direction | 6.63 x 10 ¹⁰ |
| Shear Modulus (G), Pa | |
| in <100> direction | 2.51 x 10 ¹⁰ |
| in <111> direction | 2.53 x 10 ¹⁰ |
| Poisson Ratio | 0.307 |

CHEMICAL

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| Molecular Weight | 175.3 |
| Solubility | |
| in water, gram/100cm ³ | 0.17 |
| in acids | soluble |

Refr. Index n vs. Wavelength λ

| WAVELENGTH, MICRONS | REFRACTIVE INDEX |
|---------------------|------------------|
| 0.2 | 1.5573 |
| 0.5 | 1.4779 |
| 1.0 | 1.4686 |
| 2.0 | 1.4647 |
| 3.0 | 1.4612 |
| 4.0 | 1.4558 |
| 5.0 | 1.4511 |
| 6.0 | 1.4441 |
| 7.0 | 1.4357 |
| 8.0 | 1.4258 |
| 9.0 | 1.4144 |
| 10.0 | 1.4014 |
| 11.0 | 1.3865 |
| 12.0 | 1.3696 |
| 12.5 | 1.3585 |
| 15.0 | 1.3050 |

Internal Transmittance T_i (λ) vs. Wavelength λ

| WAVELENGTH, MICRONS | INTERNAL TRANSMITTANCE |
|---------------------|------------------------|
| 0.2 | 0.70 |
| 0.5 | 0.96 |
| 1.0 | 0.97 |
| 3.0 | 0.97 |
| 5.0 | 0.97 |
| 6.0 | 0.97 |
| 7.0 | 0.97 |
| 8.0 | 0.97 |
| 9.0 | 0.97 |
| 10.0 | 0.85 |
| 12.0 | 0.42 |

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