

Technical Data Sheet

	DOWSIL™ 710 Fluid
	Polyphenylmethylsiloxane
Features & Benefits	<ul> <li>Retains its properties after continuous use at temperatures up to 260°C in closed systems</li> <li>Shows very low volatility even at elevated temperatures</li> <li>Highly resistant to oxidation and gumming</li> <li>Exhibits good radiation resistance by remaining serviceable after doses of up to 200 megarads at room temperature</li> <li>No change in physical properties after thousands of hours operation at 250°C in a closed system</li> </ul>
Applications	<ul> <li>Lubricant for timing devices, instruments, bearings operating at 0°C to 260°C.</li> <li>Good base oil for high temperature greases thickened with molybdenum disulphide.</li> <li>Heat exchange fluid in high temperature baths and in heat treating baths for metals.</li> </ul>

## **Typical Properties**

Specification Writers: These values are not intended for use in preparing specifications.

Property	Unit	Result
Color		Colorless to light straw
Viscosity at 25°C	mm²/s	500
Specific gravity at 25°C/15.6°C		1.11
Flash point - open cup	°C	302
Volatility 4 hours/ 250°C	%	3.0
Vapor pressure at 25°C	kPa	Negligible
Vapor pressure at 149°C	kPa	0.01
Vapor pressure at 232°C	kPa	0.2
Vapor pressure at 260°C	kPa	0.5
Vapor pressure at 288°C	kPa	1.3
Vapor pressure at 316°C	kPa	2.9
Vapor pressure at 371°C	kPa	11.0
Thermal decomposition point	°C	370
Spontaneous ignition temperature	°C	488

## **Typical Properties (Cont.)**

Property	Unit	Result
Freeze point	C°	-22
Coefficient of expansion (0°C to 154°C)	1/K	0.00043
Sound velocity at 25°C	m/s	1370
Compressability at 34.5 MPa	%	1.70
Compressability at 69 MPa	%	3.15
Compressability at 138 MPa	%	5.50
Thermal conductivity at 50°C	W/(m.K)	0.14
Specific heat at 40°C	kJ/kg. K	1.52
Specific heat at 100°C	kJ/kg. K	1.64
Specific heat at 200°C	kJ/kg. K	1.84
Molecular weight, average		2600
Refractive index at 25°C		1.533
Surface tension at 25°C	mN/m	28.5
Electric strength <sup>1</sup>	kV/mm	14
Permittivity at 25°C 100 Hz		2.95
Permittivity at 25°C 100 kHz		2.95
Dissipation factor at 25°C 100 Hz		0.002
Dissipation factor at 25°C 100 kHz		0.0002
Volume resistivity	ohm.cm	1x10 <sup>13</sup>

1. 2.5 mm gap, rapid rise.

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