



# GNP Graystar

Specialty Materials

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## TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

### SiCS - 13LP

Ready-to-Press Silicon Carbide Granules for liquid phase (LP-SiC) sintered ceramics.

#### Typical Composition (approx. weight on dry basis)

Alumina (Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> )	5.50 %
Yttria (Y <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> )	3.50 %
Moisture Content	1 %
Binder Content (Total Organic)	6 %

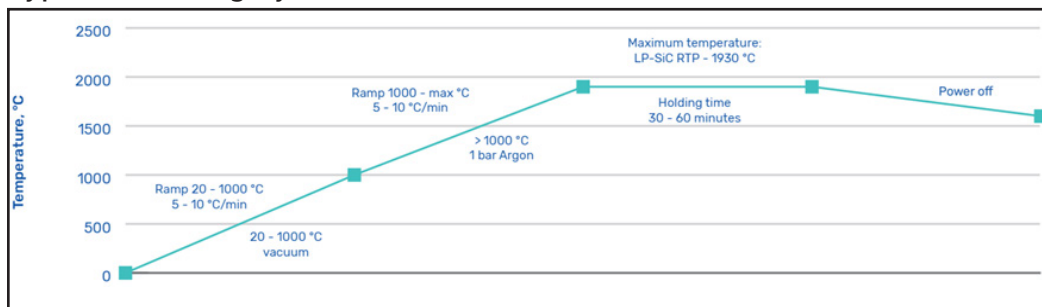
#### Typical Physical Properties

Granule Size	100 µm (average); 250 µm (maximum)
Bulk Density	0.86 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Hall Flowmeter	45 Sec/25gr
Green Density (axial pressure, incl. organics & moisture)	
125 MPa	1.87 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
175 MPa	1.92 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
225 MPa	1.95 g/cm <sup>3</sup>

#### Typical Properties of Sintered Parts

Density	3.21 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Microhardness HV 1000	24 GPa
Indentation Fracture Toughness (K <sub>IC</sub> )	4.5 MPa/m
Linear Shrinkage	19 %
Bending Strength (4 Point)	470 MPa

#### Typical Sintering Cycles



Remarks: Properties given have been achieved on a test specimen that has been pressureless sintered without a powder bed. A recommended sintering cycle is shown above curve. It must be emphasized that the cycle is furnace and load dependent.

#### Description:

GNP Graystar's SiCS-13LP is a spray granulated powder doped with oxides, temporary binders, and pressing aids. It is ready to be pressed into a green body.

#### Applications:

GNP Graystar's SiCS-13LP are Silicon Carbide ready-to-press granules for use in liquid phase (LP-SiC) sintered ceramics.

#### Packaging:

15 kg plastic pails

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