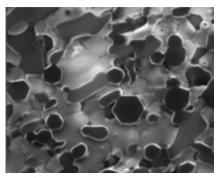




KA-EDM

Electroconductive Alumina Composite



Typical microstructure

Main properties

- · Very high hardness
- · Excellent trade-off strength/toughness
- · High thermal conductivity
- \cdot Ra < 0.1 μ m after mirror polishing
- · Machinable by EDM (electro-discharge machining)

Applications

- $\cdot \, \text{Cutting tools} \\$
- · Wear resistant tools for stamping
- · Cold drawing dies

| Physical properties | | |
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| Parameters | Units | Value |
| Density | g/cm³ | 4.2 |
| Flexural Strength | MPa | 850 |
| Hardness | GPa | 22.5 |
| Fracture toughness | MPa∙√m | 8.0 |
| Young Modulus | GPa | 370 |
| Thermal conductivity | W/m·k | 35 |
| Thermal Expansion Coefficient (20-900°C) | 10 ⁻⁶ K ⁻¹ | 8.0 |
| Maximum working temperature | °C | 1000 |
| Electrical resistivity | Ω·cm | 3.1·10 ⁻⁵ |

^{*} All properties measured at 20°C unless otherwise stated