

GUARNIFLON MATERIALS
- NORSOK M-710 -

A leading independent Test House has assessed the following Guarniflon materials:

- **PTFE G400** (Virgin PTFE)
- **PTFE G405** (PTFE + 25% Glass fibre)
- **PTFE G453** (PTFE + 25% Carbographite)
- **PEEK 2600** (PEEK natural - Unfilled)

to the **NORSOK M-710** Rev. 2 standard – “Qualification of non-metallic sealing materials and manufacturers” -Sour Aging Test-.

All four materials resulted suitable to the intended applications of NORSOK M-710

On the basis of examinations and analysis the independent test laboratory stated that “..the small and thermally-independent nature of the property changes indicates that they (*all four materials*) are chemically resistant to the test conditions and could be expected to maintain mechanical performance at temperatures up to the maximum used here (220°C) for long period of service”



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Note

NORSOK M-710 is a standard for thermoplastics in environments simulating those found in oil & gas production. The standard is widely used by the Oil and Gas industry in screening and selection of polymeric materials for oilfield applications, including sour (hydrogen sulfide) service.

Exposures were performed in the NORSOK standard sour service test fluid: this contains a mixture of liquid hydrocarbons with methane, carbon dioxide and hydrogen sulfide in the gas phase. A range of temperatures up to 220°C were used. NORSOK M710 provides a standardised test method for comparing material performance in conditions simulating a sour oilfield environment.

It does not guarantee suitability for any particular service application. Users should take expert advice when choosing materials.

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