Aluweave is a versatile, highly conductive gasket medium produced by filling a woven aluminium mesh with silicone, fluorosilicone or neoprene rubber. It is particularly useful where thicker gaskets are unsuitable but, because it is woven, it is not viable for 'landwidths' of less than 3mm for die-cut gaskets. Surface irregularities should not exceed 0.05mm. This material is generally supplied as pre-cut gaskets constructed to the customer's specific requirements but can also be supplied in sheets. Connector gaskets in the DC Series include Aluweave materials.

MAXSHIELD | Aluweave GA Shielding



Aluweave is used for connector gaskets and other 'thin' gasket applications. If aluminium is unsuitable because of galvanic compatibility or shielding effectiveness, the expanded Monel based GX Shielding may be more appropriate.

Aluweave gaskets provide good 'point contact' where each crossover occurs, while the rubber filler ensures excellent environmental sealing. Aluweave, like nearly all other conductive gasket materials, should not be fixed with a conductive or pressure sensitive adhesive and should be fixed as a friction fit utilising the fixing screws to position the gasket before tightening.



Aluminium Mesh	AMS 4182A
Silicone Rubber	AMS 3220B
Fluorosilicone	MIL-R-25988
Neoprene	AMS 3222C

Temperature range:

Silicone - 55 to + 250°C Neoprene - 40 to +107°C

Performance: Typical dB

FREQUENCY	FIELD	ATTENUATION
10 KHz	Н	45
100 KHz	Н	55
1 MHz	Н	70
1 MHz	E	>100
10 MHz	E	>100
100 MHz	E	>100
400 MHz	Р	100
1 GHz	Р	69
10 GHz	Р	50

How to order:

Specify: Series - Filler Code - Thickness - Size or drawing number

Example:

GA-SX-0005-Drawing No, specifies a cut gasket fabricated from 0.5 mm thick Silicone Aluweave



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FILLER CODE

SX=Silicone

SF=Fluorosilicone

NX=Neoprene

THICKNESS

0005=0.5 mm xxxx-xxxx

SI7F

SERIES

GA=Aluweave

MAXSHIELD | Monex GX Shielding

Monex is an expanded Monel foil filled with silicone rubber. The exposed foil surface provides excellent conductivity combined with good corrosion resistance. Monex is also a 'thin' gasket medium, similar to Aluweave, and is particularly suitable for connector or waveguide gaskets where a pressure seal and EMI shield is required. The material cannot be effectively joined so gaskets should be cut in one piece wherever possible. Thicknesses of 0.5mm and 0.75mm are available and it can be supplied in sheet form.

To retain the strength of the foil, we recommend that a minimum land-width of 3mm should remain at any point around the edge of a Monex gasket. We also suggest that gaskets with intricate outlines are die-cut at the factory.

Applications:

Like Aluweave, Monex is used for connector gaskets and other 'thin' gasket applications. Mating surfaces should ideally be within $\pm\,0.05$ mm. Where hermetic sealing is not necessary, Monex NF is available without the silicone filler.

Monex gaskets provide good 'point contact', while the rubber filler ensures excellent environmental sealing. Monex, like nearly all other conductive gasket materials, should not be fixed with a conductive or pressure sensitive adhesive and should be fixed as a friction fit utilising the fixing screws to position the gasket before tightening.

Specifications:

Monel Foil QQ-N-281B Silicone Rubber AMS 3220B

Temperatures:

Silicone - 55 to + 250°C

Performance: Typical dB

FREQUENCY	FIELD	ATTENUATION
10 KHz	Н	52
100 KHz	Н	68
1 MHz	Н	88
1 MHz	Е	>100
10 MHz	Е	>100
100 MHz	Е	>100
400 MHz	Р	100
1 GHz	Р	84
10 GHz	Р	42
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How to order:

Specify: Series - Filler Code - Thickness - Size or drawing number

Example:

GX-SX-0005-Drawing number specifies a cut gasket fabricated from 0.5 mm thick Monex



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0007=0.75 mm