CI26 TECHNICAL DATA



Cl26 is now firmly established as the leading hydrophilic material for the production of intraocular lenses.

It offers the perfect balance between superior machining characteristics, refractive index and foldability. Its mechanical properties ensure that the lens can be folded and injected easily, while allowing for a smooth and controlled unfolding. Cl26 is suitable for a wide range of lens designs using an incision size as low as 1.8mm.

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Material Characteristics

PROPERTY	Cl 26	
Water Content at 20°C by Weight (%)	26	
Swell Factor at 20°C	1.12	
Refractive Index at 20°C - Dry	1.51	
Refractive Index at 20°C - Hydrated	1.460	
Refractive Index at 35°C - Hydrated	1.458	
10% Cut-Off Wavelength (nm)	378	
Blue Light Absorber	Available	

Please note: Some values may have been rounded for presentation purposes. Please contact your account manager for further details.

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Material and Lathing Recommendations

L	ATHE FUNCTION	DAC INCHES/MINUTE	REM _p /second	OPTOFORM mm/MINUTE
Ro	ough Cut Amount (mm)	0.40 (0.30 - 0.50)	0.40 (0.30 - 0.50)	0.40 (0.30 - 0.50)
Ro	ough Feed Rate	3 (3 - 4)	1250 (833 - 1666)	75 (50 - 100)
Ro	ough Spindle Speed	8500 (7000 - 9000)	8500 (7000 - 9000)	8500 (7000 - 9000)
Ro	ough Cut Amount (mm) (Last Pass)	0.15 (0.10 - 0.20)	0.15 (0.10 - 0.20)	0.15 (0.10 - 0.20)
Ro	ough Feed Rate (Last Pass)	1.5 (1 - 2)	666 (500 - 833)	40 (30 - 50)
Ro	ough Spindle Speed (Last Pass)	8000 (7000 - 9000)	8000 (7000 - 9000)	8000 (7000 - 9000)
Fi	inal Feed Rate	0.60 (0.40 - 1)	250 (166 - 500)	15 (10 - 30)
Fi	inal Spindle Speed	8000 (7000 - 9000)	8000 (7000 - 9000)	8000 (7000 - 9000)
Fi	inal Cut Amount (mm)	0.05 (0.05 - 0.10)	0.05 (0.05 - 0.10)	0.05 (0.05 - 0.10)

Environment Control

For best manufacturing conditions Contamac recommends 19- 23°C with a relative humidity of 45% - 60%.

Polishing

Contamac's CI26 material can be polished using tumble polishing methods.

Hydration

Hydrate the finished IOL in borate buffered pH 7.2 isotonic saline or a similar buffered saline solution.

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