TB Wood's Dura-Flex® Couplings

Dura-Flex is a flexible coupling consisting of two hubs and a two-piece axially split flex element. The flex element features a tire-shaped polyurethane flexing portion permanently bonded to stamped steel "shoes" that attach to the shaft mounted hubs with radially oriented Capscrews.

- Stocks in the UK at Huco\*
- Local technical support
- · Bore & keyway service
- · Fast shipping available
- \*Subject to availability

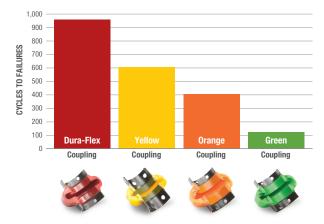
#### **FEATURES & BENEFITS**

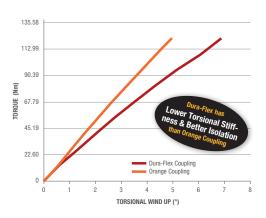
- Up to 4.50 kNm; 39,500 in.lb.
- Easy to assemble/replace
- · High misalignment ratings
- No maintenance/lubrication
- Better performance in hot / humid environments
- Versatile spacer design can accommodate many configurations with few parts
- Easy two-piece element installation. No need to move the hubs during replacement.
- Light weight element absorbs shock loading and torsional vibration.

- Superior urethane that provides longer life in hot and humid environments
- Patented bond design that provides longer life in demanding applications (frequent stop/starts, torque spikes, etc)
- Part for part interchange with industry standard design
- 5-15 times stronger than competitor's product in 82°C water vapour



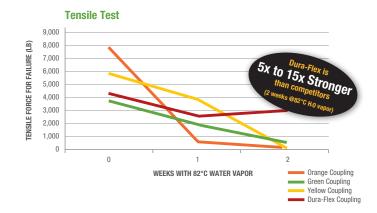
### Fatigue Test - 2 Weeks 82°C H20 Vapor



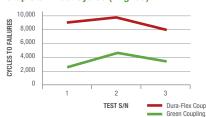


The Dura-Flex elastomer coupling has been proven to optimize torque transmission, while minimizing parallel, angular, and axial

Remember the 3 L's: Lower Stiffness = Less bearing loads = Longer equipment life

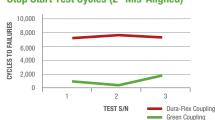


## **Stop Start Test Cycles (Aligned)**



When a new, out-of-thebox, Dura-Flex coupling and a green coupling were subjected to a stop-start cycle test, Dura-Flex was 2X –100X better.

# Stop Start Test Cycles (2° Mis-Aligned)



Dura-Flex outlasted the competitor in the cycle testing with up to 2 degrees of shaft misalignment.

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