## DodecaPhenyl POSS®

MS0802

MS0802 is a hybrid molecule with an inorganic silsequioxane at the core and organic phenyl groups attached at the corners of the cage. MS0802 can used as a porogen in plastics and as a nanoreinforcement in rubber. It has also been used to improve laser marking in fluoropolymers.

 $C_{72}H_{60}O_{18}Si_{12}$ 

R = phenyl

FW 1550.26

 $D_4^{20}$  1.26

 $n_{\rm D}^{20}$  1.56

## **Key Properties**

Appearance: white powder

Thermal Stability (5% wt loss): 387°C Solvent Solubility: slightly soluble in THF, chloroform, toluene

**Solvent Insolubility:** acetone, acetonitrile, methanol **Resin Solubility:** thermoplastic resins including

fluoropolymers

## **Relevant Literature**

- Pigments and compositions for use in laser marking US. Patent 6825265
- Nanoreinforced rubber compound US Patent 6852794
- Porous plastic film US Patent 7452593

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