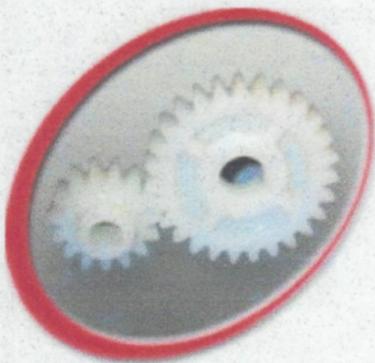


Hello All,

I want to take a brief moment to thank those that I have had the pleasure met the past 6 months since joining the ZL team. I appreciate the warm welcome I have received from the plastics community.

Most of you are aware of the basic mechanical materials we carry such as: Nylon, Acetal/Delrin, PET, Ultem, PVDF, and PEEK. But are you aware that we also produce specialty variations of some select basics such as our Nylon 202XN? ZL's 202XN is a proprietary filled type 6 extruded nylon with the load capacity/strength similar to that of 30% glass filled nylon without the glass so it is FDA/USDA compliant! Some other benefits include: machinability compared to unfilled; very robust when compared to other sanitary products such as PET, UHMW and Acetal which is ideal in wear applications. I'd like to present to you a possible application for where our 202XN may be used for, which brings me to a new segment I like to call "Good Application/Bad Application":

Good Application:



202XN Rod to be machined into gears for use in the sanitary and food industry for wear applications.

Bad Application:



202XN Rod used to roast marshmallows.

If you have any questions regarding any of our other specialty products, please contact myself or anybody else from the ZL team to assist you.

Best wishes for 2009 and beyond!


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