## **Industrial & Precious Metals Limited**

Data sheet RG Series AgWC

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## **Silver Tungsten Carbide Materials**

**RG Series** 

#### **Technical Data**

Grade *	Nominal Composition	Density (gm/cm³)	Electrical Conductivity (m.Ω/mm²)	Hardness (HV)
IPM RG G12	Ag60%/WC40%	11.7	34	130-160
IPM RG G13	Ag50%/WC50%	12.2	29	140-170
IPM RG G14	Ag40%/WC60%	12.8	22	150-180
IPM RG G15	Ag35%/WC65%	13	20	150-190

<sup>\*</sup> Other grades may be available - please ask

# **Application**

Typical: Circuit Breakers: (ACB/MCCB), Earth Leakage Breakers (RCCB), Miniature Circuit Breakers (MCB)

#### Comments

Produced by sintering and infiltration the IPM RG Series of materials maintain a more stable contact resistance than Silver Tungsten (IPM RS Series), resulting in a lower voltage drop across the contacts, therefore reducing operating temperature: Particularly useful in MCB applications where the temperature rise under load must be kept to a minimum.

#### Forms of Supply:

Although the manufacturing route is similar to the IPM RS Series, the material is significantly more difficult to press therefore there are more limitations on sizes of contact available - please refer to us with your design.

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