



# The first truly universal purging compound

for all materials 160°C-340°C



**Barrel Blitz Universal (BBU)** is a true evolution in purging, comprising a stable, easy clearing polymer and Aquapurge's proprietary Scrubber Concentrate. Its three primary uses are: colour changes, material changes and – where it truly comes into its own – clearing carbon.

This clearing carbon – by which we mean fully degraded materials and plate-out from concentrated pigments or additives – can be done in isolation. But, more importantly, it will be done every time you use **BBU** for colour or material changes.







a Screw processing TPU, extracted	
for photo and replaced "uncleaned"	
<b>b</b> Purged with <b>BBU</b> until clean	
C Screw extracted for photo inspectio	n



Mixing section of POM Ø30mm screw extracted for photo and replaced "uncleaned"



**BBU** purging clearly shows carbon evident in purge

**Barrel Blitz Universal (BBU)** is evolutionary for cleaning the screw, barrel and nozzle of the injection moulding machine. Its many advantages include:

- amazing carbon removal
- above average colour and material changing
- effective from 160°C (320°F) to 340°C (644°F)
- easily cleaned out by any material, including clear ones as well (no milky mouldings)
- can be used as a strip-down material (ask for instructions)
- effective for much higher temperature materials if reduced to 340°C (644°F) while purging

### So what does all this mean?

#### **Changing to clear**

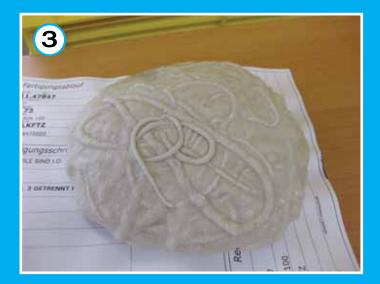
If you want to change from FR PC/ABS to clear SAN as soon as the flame retardant job finishes, purge immediately with **BBU**, change the tool, reduce heats to SAN temperatures and purge with SAN until clear.

#### **Removing black specks**

If you start getting specks during a POM run, stop and purge with **BBU** until the purgings look clean, and then go back to POM. (Depending on your quality requirements you may need to check the purge with a loop or magnifying instrument. Photos 1-4 give a demonstration of just this point.)

#### **Pulling screws**

If you want to pull the screw after running GF Nylon 66, purge with **BBU**, reduce heats to 240°C (464°F), purge with some more **BBU**, dismantle the equipment and remove **BBU** while hot.



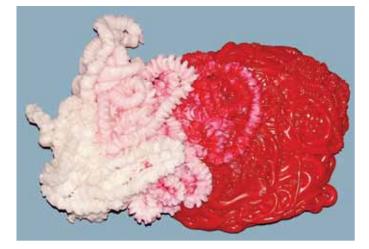


"Clean" **BBU** purge

Clean mixing section extracted for photo and inspection

Ton	Colour/Material Changes	1st Time Carbon Removal	Regular Use Carbon Removal
50	0.25	Up to 1.5	0.5
100	0.5	Up to 3	1
250	1.25	Up to 7.5	2.5
500	2.5	Up to 15	5
750	3.75	Up to 22.5	7.5
1000	5	Up to 30	10

## How would you prefer your machine?



Normal cleaning with purging compounds



Barrel Blitz Universal (BBU) clean



Unit 7, Craufurd Business Park, Silverdale Road, Hayes, Middlesex UB3 3BN. UK. T: +44 (0) 20 8813 7990 F: +44 (0) 20 8848 8404 e: enquiries@aquapurge.com

www.aquapurge.com