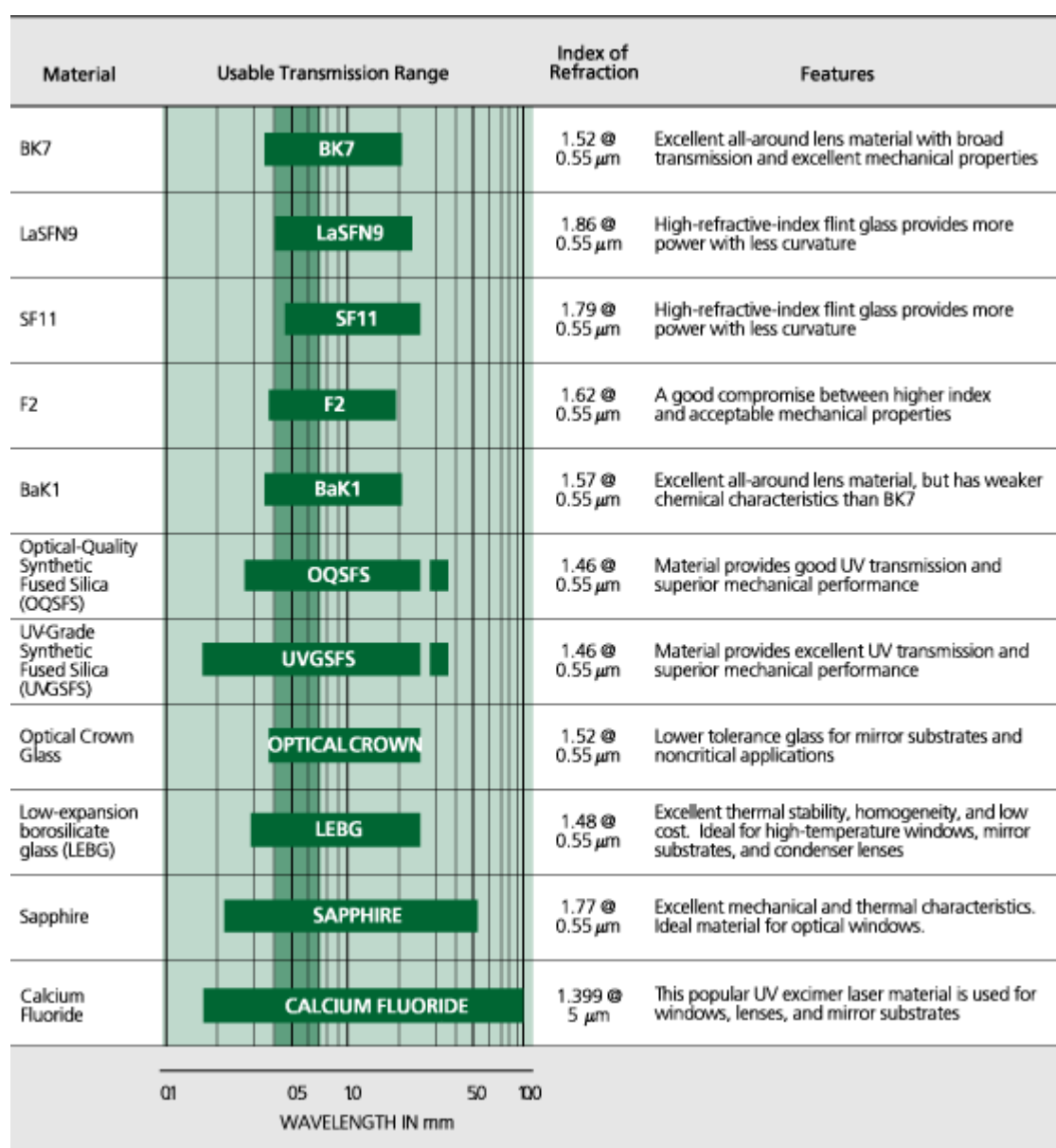


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Material Properties

Material Properties Overview

The chart below gives a thumbnail view of the materials used to manufacture Melles Griot optics. In this section we discuss the broad characteristics of optical materials (e.g., dispersion, birefringence, chemical and mechanical properties. Detailed specifications for individual materials can be found in the section *Melles Griot Optical Materials*

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