

Technical Data Sheet

Eastman Tritan™ Copolyester HM1060 Glass Filled

Applications

- Appliances (food contact)
- Consumer housewares - food contact (fc)
- Consumer housewares-nfc
- Small appliances non-food contact

Key Attributes

- Contact clarity
 - Ease of processing
- Excellent hydrolytic stability
 - Good chemical resistance
 - Good heat resistance
 - Good toughness
 - Increased modulus or stiffness

Product Description

Eastman Tritan™ HM1060 is a glass-reinforced version of Tritan (amorphous copolyester) that provides increased modulus and strength versus unreinforced versions. Eastman Tritan™ HM1060 contains 30% glass fiber as well as a mold release agent derived from vegetable based sources. Its most outstanding features are excellent chemical resistance, toughness, heat resistance, contact clarity, ease of processing, hydrolytic stability, and increased modulus or stiffness. Combined with Tritan™ copolyester's outstanding chemical resistance and hydrolytic stability, these features give molded products improved modulus and strength in applications that are exposed to certain chemicals, aggressive cleaners, and disinfectants. Contact clarity is also advantageous for secondary operations such as laser welding.

Typical Properties

| Property ^a | Test Method ^b | Typical Value, Units ^c |
|---|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| General Properties | | |
| % Glass Fiber | | 30 |
| Specific Gravity | D 792 | 1.41 |
| Mold Shrinkage | D 955 | 0.001 mm/mm |
| Mechanical Properties (ISO Method) | | |
| Tensile Stress @ Yield | ISO 527 | 104 MPa |
| Tensile Strength @ Break | ISO 527 | 104 MPa |
| Elongation @ Yield | ISO 527 | 3 % |
| Elongation @ Break | ISO 527 | 3 % |
| Tensile Modulus | ISO 527 | 7278 MPa |
| Flexural Modulus | ISO 178 | 6846 MPa |
| Flexural Strength | ISO 178 | 145 MPa |
| Izod Impact Strength, Notched | | |
| @ 23°C | ISO 180 | 16 kJ/m ^{1/2} |
| @ -40°C | ISO 180 | 13 kJ/m ^{1/2} |
| Mechanical Properties | | |
| Tensile Stress @ Yield | D 638 | 114 MPa |
| Tensile Stress @ Break | D 638 | 114 MPa |
| Elongation @ Yield | D 638 | 3 % |
| Elongation @ Break | D 638 | 3 % |
| Tensile Modulus | D 638 | 7660 MPa |
| Flexural Modulus | D 790 | 7288 MPa |
| Flexural Yield Strength | D 790 | 162 MPa |
| Rockwell Hardness, R Scale | D 785 | 116 |
| Izod Impact Strength, Notched | | 122 J/m |

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|--------|-------------------------|
| @ 23°C | D 256 | |
| Impact Strength, Unnotched | | |
| @ 23°C | D 4812 | 995 J/m |
| Optical Properties | | |
| Total Transmittance | D 1003 | 70 % |
| Haze | D 1003 | 99 % |
| Thermal Properties | | |
| Deflection Temperature | | |
| @ 0.455 MPa | D 648 | 103 °C |
| @ 1.82 MPa | D 648 | 98 °C |
| Typical Processing Conditions | | |
| Drying Temperature | | 88 °C (190 °F) |
| Drying Time | | 4-6 hrs |
| Processing Melt Temperature | | 277-282 °C (531-540 °F) |
| Mold Temperature | | 48-76 °C (118-169 °F) |

^a Unless noted otherwise, all tests are run at 23°C (73°F) and 50% relative humidity.

^b Unless noted otherwise, the test method is ASTM.

^c Units are in SI or US customary units.

Comments

Properties reported here are based on limited testing. Eastman makes no representation that the material in any particular shipment will conform exactly to the values given.

Eastman and its marketing affiliates shall not be responsible for the use of this information, or of any product, method, or apparatus mentioned, and you must make your own determination of its suitability and completeness for your own use, for the protection of the environment, and for the health and safety of your employees and purchasers of your products. No warranty is made of the merchantability of fitness of any product, and nothing herein waives any of the Seller's conditions of sale.