Makrolon® RW2407

Designation according to ISO 1043: PC-MDx

Product description

Polycarbonate; MVR (300 °C/1.2 kg) 19 cm³/10 min; low viscosity; easy release; UV stabilized; variable content of filler for high reflectance application

Applications

Injection molding

Typical Values

Rheological properties

Property	Test Condition	Value	Unit	Standard
Melt Volume-flow Rate (MVR)	300 °C/1.2 kg	19	cm³/10 min	ISO 1133-1

Mechanical properties (23 °C/50 % r. h.)

Property	Test Condition	Value	Unit	Standard
Tensile modulus	1 mm/min	2,500 - 2,700	MPa	ISO 527-1,-2
Yield Stress	5 mm/min	60	MPa	ISO 527-1,-2
Yield Strain	5 mm/min	5.5	%	ISO 527-1,-2
Nominal Strain at Break	5 mm/min	> 50	%	ISO 527-1,-2
Strain at Break	5 mm/min	80 - 110	%	ISO 527-1,-2
Stress at Break	5 mm/min	50 - 60	MPa	ISO 527-1,-2
Flexural Modulus	2 mm/min	2,500 - 2,750	MPa	ISO 178
Flexural Strength	2 mm/min	96	MPa	ISO 178
Flexural Strain at Flexural Strength	2 mm/min	6 - 6.5	%	ISO 178
Flexural Stress at 3.5 % Flexural Strain	2 mm/min	75 - 80	MPa	ISO 178
Izod Notched Impact Strength	23 °C	15C	kJ/m²	ISO 21305/b. o. ISO 180/A
Charpy Impact Strength	23 °C	N	kJ/m²	ISO 179/1eU
Puncture Impact Properties - Maximum Force	23 °C	4,800 - 5,100	N	ISO 6603-2
Puncture Energy	23 °C	43 - 50	J	ISO 6603-2

Impact properties: N = non-break, P = partial break, C = complete break

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Thermal properties

Property	Test Condition	Value	Unit	Standard
Temperature of Deflection under Load	1.80 MPa	120	°C	ISO 75-1,-2
Temperature of Deflection under Load	0.45 MPa	135	°C	ISO 75-1,-2
Vicat Softening Temperature	50 N; 50 °C/h	144	°C	ISO 306
Burning Behavior	1.5 mm	V-2 (WT)		UL 94
Burning Behavior	3.0 mm	HB (WT)		UL 94
Burning Behavior	0.75 mm	V-2 (WT)		UL 94
Burning Behavior	2.7 mm	HB (WT)		UL 94
Relative Temperature Index (Tensile Strength)	1.5 mm	125	°C	UL 746B
Relative Temperature Index (Tensile Impact Strength)	1.5 mm	115	°C	UL 746B
Relative Temperature Index (Electric Strength)	1.5 mm	125	°C	UL 746B
Glow Wire Test (GWFI)	0.75 mm	850	°C	IEC 60695-2-12
Glow Wire Test (GWFI)	3.0 mm	960	°C	IEC 60695-2-12

Other properties (23 °C)

Property	Test Condition	Value	Unit	Standard
Density		1,240 - 1,340	kg/m³	ISO 1183-1

Material specific properties

Property	Test Condition	Value	Unit	Standard
Light Reflection	4 mm	96 - 97	%	JIS 8722

Processing conditions for test specimens

Property	Test Condition	Value	Unit	Standard
Injection Molding - Melt Temperature		280	°C	ISO 294
Injection Molding - Mold Temperature		80	°C	ISO 294

Recommended processing and drying conditions

Property	Test Condition	Value	Unit	Standard
Melt Temperatures		280 - 320	°C	
Standard Melt Temperature		300	°C	
Barrel Temperatures	Rear	250 - 260	°C	
Barrel Temperatures	Middle	270 - 280	°C	
Barrel Temperatures	Front	280 - 290	°C	
Barrel Temperatures	Nozzle	290 - 300	°C	
Mold Temperatures		80 - 120	°C	
Hold Pressure (% of Injection Pressure)		50 - 75	%	
Plastic Back Pressure (specific)		50 - 150	bar	

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Property	Test Condition	Value	Unit	Standard
Peripheral Screw Speed		0.05 - 0.2	m/s	
Shot-to-Cylinder Size		30 - 70	%	
Dry Air Drying Temperature		120	°C	
Dry Air Drying Time		2 - 3	h	
Moisture Content max. (%)		≤ 0.02	%	
Vent Depth		0.025 - 0.075	mm	

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Sample

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Typical Value

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Recommended Processing and Drying Conditions

Barrel temperatures are valid for a standard 3-zone barrel. Temperature set-up for different barrel types may change according to configuration. Values for hold pressure as percentage of injection pressure may vary depending on, amongst others, part geometry, injection molding machine and injection mold. Drying conditions are for dry air dryers only. Drying times and drying temperatures may differ depending on valid dryer type.

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