

ULTEM™ RESIN AUT230

REGION ASIA

DESCRIPTION

Transparent polyetherimide (Tg 247°C). Very low outgassing and plateout, for automotive lighting applications where highly metallized, reflective surfaces are required. Haze onset temperature of 230°C (SABIC Innovative Plastics method)

INDUSTRY	SUB INDUSTRY
Automotive	Automotive Under the Hood

TYPICAL PROPERTY VALUES

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PROPERTIES	TYPICAL VALUES	UNITS	TEST METHODS
MECHANICAL			
Tensile Stress, yld, Type I, 5 mm/min	96	MPa	ASTM D638
Tensile Stress, brk, Type I, 5 mm/min	96	MPa	ASTM D638
Tensile Strain, yld, Type I, 5 mm/min	6	%	ASTM D638
Tensile Strain, brk, Type I, 5 mm/min	25	%	ASTM D638
Tensile Modulus, 5 mm/min	3510	MPa	ASTM D638
Flexural Modulus, 1.3 mm/min, 50 mm span	3170	MPa	ASTM D790
Tensile Stress, yield, 5 mm/min	95	MPa	ISO 527
Tensile Stress, break, 5 mm/min	78	MPa	ISO 527
Tensile Strain, yield, 5 mm/min	8.5	%	ISO 527
Tensile Strain, break, 5 mm/min	16.8	%	ISO 527
Tensile Modulus, 1 mm/min	3110	MPa	ISO 527
Flexural Stress, yield, 2 mm/min	123	MPa	ISO 178
Flexural Modulus, 2 mm/min	3080	MPa	ISO 178
IMPACT			
Izod Impact, unnotched, 23°C	NB	J/m	ASTM D4812
Izod Impact, notched, 23°C	69	J/m	ASTM D256
Izod Impact, notched, -30°C	74	J/m	ASTM D256
Instrumented Dart Impact Total Energy, 23°C	33	J	ASTM D3763
Izod Impact, unnotched 80°10°4 +23°C	NB	kJ/m²	ISO 180/1U
Izod Impact, unnotched 80°10°4 -30°C	NB	kJ/m²	ISO 180/1U
Izod Impact, notched 80°10°4 +23°C	4	kJ/m²	ISO 180/1A
Izod Impact, notched 80°10°4 -30°C	5	kJ/m²	ISO 180/1A
THERMAL			
Vicat Softening Temp, Rate B/50	242	°C	ASTM D1525
HDT, 1.82 MPa, 3.2mm, unannealed	217	°C	ASTM D648
HDT, 0.45 MPa, 6.4 mm, unannealed	237	°C	ASTM D648
HDT, 1.82 MPa, 6.4 mm, unannealed	230	°C	ASTM D648
CTE, -40°C to 150°C, flow	5.E-05	1/°C	ASTM E831
CTE, -40°C to 150°C, xflow	5.E-05	1/°C	ASTM E831
CTE, 23°C to 150°C, flow	5.E-05	1/°C	ISO 11359-2
CTE, 23°C to 150°C, xflow	5.E-05	1/°C	ISO 11359-2

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Ball Pressure Test, 125°C +/- 2°C	Passes	-	IEC 60695-10-2
Vicat Softening Temp, Rate B/50	242	°C	ISO 306
Vicat Softening Temp, Rate B/120	238	°C	ISO 306
HDT/Af, 1.8 MPa Flatw 80*10*4 sp=64mm	228	°C	ISO 75 /Af
Metallized Haze Onset	230	°C	SABIC method
PHYSICAL			
Specific Gravity	1.3	-	ASTM D792
Mold Shrinkage on Tensile Bar, flow	0.5 – 0.7	%	SABIC method
Mold Shrinkage, flow, 3.2 mm	0.5 – 0.7	%	SABIC method
Mold Shrinkage, xflow, 3.2 mm	0.5 – 0.7	%	SABIC method
Melt Flow Rate, 367°C/6.6 kgf	15.5	g/10 min	ASTM D1238
Density	1.3	g/cm³	ISO 1183
Water Absorption, (23°C/saturated)	1.75	%	ISO 62-1
Moisture Absorption (23°C / 50% RH)	0.6	%	ISO 62
Melt Volume Rate, MVR at 360°C/5.0 kg	8	cm³/10 min	ISO 1133
INJECTION MOLDING			
Drying Temperature	150	°C	
Drying Time	4 – 6	Hrs	
Drying Time (Cumulative)	24	Hrs	
Maximum Moisture Content	0.02	%	
Melt Temperature	350 – 400	°C	
Nozzle Temperature	345 – 400	°C	
Front - Zone 3 Temperature	345 – 400	°C	
Middle - Zone 2 Temperature	340 – 400	°C	
Rear - Zone 1 Temperature	330 – 400	°C	
Mold Temperature	135 – 165	°C	
Back Pressure	0.3 – 0.7	MPa	
Screw Speed	40 – 70	rpm	
Shot to Cylinder Size	40 – 60	%	
Vent Depth	0.025 – 0.076	mm	

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