

LEXAN™ COPOLYMER CFR743 1

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DESCRIPTION

LEXAN CFR7431 Polycarbonate (PC) resin is a non-filled, injection moldable grade. This non-chlorinated, non-brominated flame retardant PC has an UL-94 V0 rating at 1.2 mm / 5VA rating at 3.0mm and is UV stabilized(F1 rating) providing additional weathering capability. LEXAN CFR7431 is available in clear transparent and tinted color options that is an excellent candidate for a wide variety of applications.

TYPICAL PROPERTY VALUES

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PROPERTIES	TYPICAL VALUES	UNITS	TEST METHODS
MECHANICAL ⁽¹⁾			
Tensile Stress, yld, Type I, 50 mm/min	67	MPa	ASTM D638
Tensile Stress, brk, Type I, 50 mm/min	55	MPa	ASTM D638
Tensile Strain, yld, Type I, 50 mm/min	6	%	ASTM D638
Tensile Strain, brk, Type I, 50 mm/min	55	%	ASTM D638
Tensile Modulus, 50 mm/min	2520	MPa	ASTM D638
Flexural Stress, yld, 1.3 mm/min, 50 mm span	107	MPa	ASTM D790
Flexural Modulus, 1.3 mm/min, 50 mm span	2450	MPa	ASTM D790
Tensile Stress, yield, 50 mm/min	66	MPa	ISO 527
Tensile Stress, break, 50 mm/min	53	MPa	ISO 527
Tensile Strain, yield, 50 mm/min	6	%	ISO 527
Tensile Strain, break, 50 mm/min	56	%	ISO 527
Tensile Modulus, 1 mm/min	2350	MPa	ISO 527
Flexural Stress, yield, 2 mm/min	101	MPa	ISO 178
Flexural Modulus, 2 mm/min	2450	MPa	ISO 178
IMPACT ⁽¹⁾			
Izod Impact, unnotched, 23°C	NB	J/m	ASTM D4812
Izod Impact, unnotched, -30°C	NB	J/m	ASTM D4812
Izod Impact, notched, 23°C	100	J/m	ASTM D256
Izod Impact, notched, -30°C	81	J/m	ASTM D256
Instrumented Dart Impact Total Energy, 23°C	64	J	ASTM D3763
Izod Impact, unnotched 80*10*3 +23°C	NB	kJ/m ²	ISO 180/1U
Izod Impact, unnotched 80*10*3 -30°C	NB	kJ/m ²	ISO 180/1U
Izod Impact, notched 80*10*3 +23°C	9	kJ/m ²	ISO 180/1A
Izod Impact, notched 80*10*3 -30°C	8	kJ/m ²	ISO 180/1A
Charpy 23°C, V-notch Edgew 80*10*3 sp=62mm	10	kJ/m ²	ISO 179/1eA
Charpy -30°C, V-notch Edgew 80*10*3 sp=62mm	7	kJ/m ²	ISO 179/1eA
Charpy 23°C, Unnotch Edgew 80*10*3 sp=62mm	NB	kJ/m ²	ISO 179/1eU
Charpy -30°C, Unnotch Edgew 80*10*3 sp=62mm	NB	kJ/m ²	ISO 179/1eU
THERMAL ⁽¹⁾			
Vicat Softening Temp, Rate B/50	136	°C	ASTM D1525
HDT, 0.45 MPa, 3.2 mm, unannealed	131	°C	ASTM D648
HDT, 1.82 MPa, 3.2mm, unannealed	120	°C	ASTM D648
CTE, -40°C to 40°C, flow	6.7E-05	1/°C	ASTM E831
CTE, -40°C to 40°C, xflow	6.7E-05	1/°C	ASTM E831

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CTE, 23°C to 80°C, flow	7.7E-05	1/°C	ISO 11359-2
CTE, 23°C to 80°C, xflow	7.9E-05	1/°C	ISO 11359-2
Ball Pressure Test, 125°C +/- 2°C	Pass	-	IEC 60695-10-2
Vicat Softening Temp, Rate B/50	137	°C	ISO 306
Vicat Softening Temp, Rate B/120	139	°C	ISO 306
HDT/Be, 0.45MPa Edgew 120*10*4 sp=100mm	131	°C	ISO 75/Be
HDT/Ae, 1.8 MPa Edgew 120*10*4 sp=100mm	120	°C	ISO 75/Ae
Relative Temp Index, Elec ⁽²⁾	125	°C	UL 746B
Relative Temp Index, Mech w/impact ⁽²⁾	120	°C	UL 746B
Relative Temp Index, Mech w/o impact ⁽²⁾	125	°C	UL 746B
PHYSICAL ⁽¹⁾			
Specific Gravity	1.19	-	ASTM D792
Mold Shrinkage, flow, 3.2 mm ⁽³⁾	0.55 – 0.75	%	SABIC method
Mold Shrinkage, xflow, 3.2 mm ⁽³⁾	0.6 – 0.8	%	SABIC method
Melt Flow Rate, 300°C/1.2 kgf	10	g/10 min	ASTM D1238
Density	1.2	g/cm ³	ISO 1183
Water Absorption, (23°C/saturated)	0.13	%	ISO 62-1
Moisture Absorption (23°C / 50% RH)	0.1	%	ISO 62
Melt Volume Rate, MVR at 300°C/1.2 kg	9	cm ³ /10 min	ISO 1133
OPTICAL ⁽¹⁾			
Light Transmission at 1.0 mm	>90	%	SABIC method
Light Transmission at 2.0 mm	>89	%	SABIC method
Light Transmission at 3.0 mm	>88	%	SABIC method
ELECTRICAL ⁽¹⁾			
Comparative Tracking Index (UL) {PLC}	3	PLC Code	UL 746A
Hot-Wire Ignition (HWI), PLC 0	≥3	mm	UL 746A
Hot-Wire Ignition (HWI), PLC 3	≥1.2	mm	UL 746A
High Amp Arc Ignition (HAI), PLC 0	≥1.2	mm	UL 746A
Dielectric Constant (Dk), 1.1 GHz	2.79	-	ASTM ES 7-83
Dissipation Factor (Df), 1.1 GHz	0.0057	-	ASTM ES 7-83
FLAME CHARACTERISTICS ⁽²⁾			
UL Yellow Card Link	E121562-100922880	-	-
UL Recognized, 94V-2 Flame Class Rating	≥0.4	mm	UL 94
UL Recognized, 94V-1 Flame Class Rating	≥1	mm	UL 94
UL Recognized, 94V-0 Flame Class Rating	≥1.2	mm	UL 94
UL Recognized, 94-5VA Flame Class Rating	≥3	mm	UL 94
Glow Wire Ignitability Temperature, 3.0 mm	850	°C	IEC 60695-2-13
Glow Wire Ignitability Temperature, 1.2 mm	850	°C	IEC 60695-2-13
Glow Wire Flammability Index, 3.0 mm	960	°C	IEC 60695-2-12
Glow Wire Flammability Index, 1.2 mm	960	°C	IEC 60695-2-12
UV-light, water exposure/immersion	F1	-	UL 746C
INJECTION MOLDING ⁽⁴⁾			
Drying Temperature	120	°C	
Drying Time	3 – 4	Hrs	
Drying Time (Cumulative)	48	Hrs	

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Maximum Moisture Content	0.02	%	
Melt Temperature	280 – 305	°C	
Nozzle Temperature	275 – 300	°C	
Front - Zone 3 Temperature	280 – 305	°C	
Middle - Zone 2 Temperature	270 – 295	°C	
Rear - Zone 1 Temperature	260 – 280	°C	
Mold Temperature	70 – 95	°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	

- (1) The information stated on Technical Datasheets should be used as indicative only for material selection purposes and not be utilized as specification or used for part or tool design.
- (2) UL Ratings shown on the technical datasheet might not cover the full range of thicknesses and colors. For details, please see the UL Yellow Card.
- (3) Measurements made from laboratory test coupon. Actual shrinkage may vary outside of range due to differences in processing conditions, equipment, part geometry and tool design. It is recommended that mold shrinkage studies be performed with surrogate or legacy tooling prior to cutting tools for new molded article. The information stated on Technical Datasheets should be used as indicative only for material selection purposes and not be utilized as specification or used for part or tool design.
- (4) Injection Molding parameters are only mentioned as general guidelines. These may not apply or may need adjustment in specific situations such as low shot sizes, large part molding, thin wall molding and gas-assist molding.

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