

LEXANT™ FR RESINS 953A

REGION AMERICAS

DESCRIPTION

LEXANT™ 953A resin is a 7 MFR polycarbonate, UV stabilized. Mold release. Flame retardant, UL94 V0 rated, UL746C f1 rated. Available in transparent and translucent colors.

TYPICAL PROPERTY VALUES

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PROPERTIES	TYPICAL VALUES	UNITS	TEST METHODS
MECHANICAL			
Tensile Stress, yld, Type I, 50 mm/min	62	MPa	ASTM D638
Tensile Stress, brk, Type I, 50 mm/min	55	MPa	ASTM D638
Tensile Strain, yld, Type I, 50 mm/min	7	%	ASTM D638
Tensile Strain, brk, Type I, 50 mm/min	90	%	ASTM D638
Flexural Stress, yld, 1.3 mm/min, 50 mm span	91	MPa	ASTM D790
Flexural Modulus, 1.3 mm/min, 50 mm span	2240	MPa	ASTM D790
Hardness, Rockwell M	70	-	ASTM D785
Hardness, Rockwell R	118	-	ASTM D785
Taber Abrasion, CS-17, 1 kg	10	mg/1000cy	ASTM D1044
IMPACT			
Izod Impact, unnotched, 23°C	3204	J/m	ASTM D4812
Izod Impact, notched, 23°C	640	J/m	ASTM D256
Tensile Impact Strength, Type S	525	kJ/m²	ASTM D1822
Falling Dart Impact (D 3029), 23°C	169	J	ASTM D3029
THERMAL			
Vicat Softening Temp, Rate B/50	151	°C	ASTM D1525
HDT, 0.45 MPa, 6.4 mm, unannealed	137	°C	ASTM D648
HDT, 1.82 MPa, 6.4 mm, unannealed	132	°C	ASTM D648
CTE, -40°C to 95°C, flow	6.84E-05	1/°C	ASTM E831
Thermal Conductivity	0.19	W/m·°C	ASTM C177
Relative Temp Index, Elec	130	°C	UL 746B
Relative Temp Index, Mech w/impact	120	°C	UL 746B
Relative Temp Index, Mech w/o impact	130	°C	UL 746B
PHYSICAL			
Specific Gravity	1.21	-	ASTM D792
Specific Volume	0.83	cm³/g	ASTM D792
Density	1.217	g/cm³	ASTM D792
Water Absorption, (23°C/24hrs)	0.15	%	ASTM D570
Water Absorption, (23°C/Saturated)	0.35	%	ASTM D570
Water Absorption, equilibrium, 100°C	0.58	%	ASTM D570
Mold Shrinkage, flow, 3.2 mm	0.5 – 0.7	%	SABIC method
Melt Flow Rate, 300°C/1.2 kgf	7	g/10 min	ASTM D1238
OPTICAL			
Light Transmission, 2.54 mm	85	%	ASTM D1003

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Haze, 2.54 mm	1	%	ASTM D1003
Refractive Index	1.586	-	ASTM D542
ELECTRICAL			
Volume Resistivity	>1.E+17	Ω.cm	ASTM D257
Dielectric Strength, in air, 3.2 mm	16.7	kV/mm	ASTM D149
Relative Permittivity, 50/60 Hz	3.01	-	ASTM D150
Relative Permittivity, 1 MHz	2.96	-	ASTM D150
Dissipation Factor, 50/60 Hz	0.0009	-	ASTM D150
Dissipation Factor, 1 MHz	0.01	-	ASTM D150
Arc Resistance, Tungsten {PLC}	7	PLC Code	ASTM D495
Hot Wire Ignition {PLC}	2	PLC Code	UL 746A
High Voltage Arc Track Rate {PLC}	3	PLC Code	UL 746A
High Ampere Arc Ign, surface {PLC}	2	PLC Code	UL 746A
Comparative Tracking Index (UL) {PLC}	3	PLC Code	UL 746A
FLAME CHARACTERISTICS			
UL Yellow Card Link	E121562-220896	-	-
UL Recognized, 94V-2 Flame Class Rating	1.5	mm	UL 94
UL Recognized, 94V-0 Flame Class Rating	3.0	mm	UL 94
UV-light, water exposure/immersion	F1	-	UL 746C
INJECTION MOLDING			
Drying Temperature	120	°C	
Drying Time	3 – 4	Hrs	
Drying Time (Cumulative)	48	Hrs	
Maximum Moisture Content	0.02	%	
Melt Temperature	310 – 330	°C	
Nozzle Temperature	305 – 325	°C	
Front - Zone 3 Temperature	310 – 330	°C	
Middle - Zone 2 Temperature	300 – 320	°C	
Rear - Zone 1 Temperature	290 – 310	°C	
Mold Temperature	80 – 115	°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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