

LEXANT™ HEALTHCARE RESIN HPS2

REGION AMERICAS

DESCRIPTION

LEXANT™ HPS2 resin is a 18 MFR polycarbonate, MVR of 16. Mold release. Biocompatible (ISO10993 or USP Class VI) grade for medical devices and pharmaceutical applications. It is EtO, steam, e-beam and gamma sterilizable. Subject to SABIC healthcare management of change process.

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	68	MPa	ASTM D638
Tensile Strain, yld, Type I, 50 mm/min	7	%	ASTM D638
Tensile Strain, brk, Type I, 50 mm/min	125	%	ASTM D638
Tensile Modulus, 50 mm/min	2370	MPa	ASTM D638
Flexural Stress, yld, 1.3 mm/min, 50 mm span	96	MPa	ASTM D790
Flexural Modulus, 1.3 mm/min, 50 mm span	2130	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
Tensile Stress, yield, 50 mm/min	63	MPa	ISO 527
Tensile Stress, break, 50 mm/min	65	MPa	ISO 527
Tensile Strain, yield, 50 mm/min	6	%	ISO 527
Tensile Strain, break, 50 mm/min	100	%	ISO 527
Tensile Modulus, 1 mm/min	2350	MPa	ISO 527
Flexural Stress, yield, 2 mm/min	90	MPa	ISO 178
Flexural Modulus, 2 mm/min	2300	MPa	ISO 178
IMPACT			
Izod Impact, unnotched, 23°C	3204	J/m	ASTM D4812
Izod Impact, notched (natural, tints)	694	J/m	ASTM D256
Izod Impact, notched (colors)	106.8 – 694.2	J/m	ASTM D256
Tensile Impact Strength, Type S	472	kJ/m²	ASTM D1822
Falling Dart Impact (D 3029), 23°C	169	J	ASTM D3029
Instrumented Dart Impact Energy @ peak, 23°C	62	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	12	kJ/m²	ISO 180/1A
Charpy 23°C, V-notch Edgew 80°10'4 sp=62mm	10	kJ/m²	ISO 179/1eA
Charpy Impact, notched, 23°C	35	kJ/m²	ISO 179/2C
Charpy 23°C, Unnotch Edgew 80°10'4 sp=62mm	NB	kJ/m²	ISO 179/1eU
Charpy -30°C, Unnotch Edgew 80°10'4 sp=62mm	NB	kJ/m²	ISO 179/1eU
THERMAL			
HDT, 0.45 MPa, 6.4 mm, unannealed	137	°C	ASTM D648
HDT, 1.82 MPa, 6.4 mm, unannealed	129	°C	ASTM D648

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CTE, -40°C to 95°C, flow	6.84E-05	1/°C	ASTM E831
Specific Heat	1.25	J/g·°C	ASTM C351
Thermal Conductivity	0.19	W/m·°C	ASTM C177
Thermal Conductivity	0.2	W/m·°C	ISO 8302
CTE, 23°C to 80°C, flow	7.E-05	1/°C	ISO 11359-2
Ball Pressure Test, 125°C +/- 2°C	PASSES	-	IEC 60695-10-2
Vicat Softening Temp, Rate B/50	140	°C	ISO 306
Vicat Softening Temp, Rate B/120	141	°C	ISO 306
HDT/Be, 0.45MPa Edgew 120°10*4 sp=100mm	133	°C	ISO 75/Be
HDT/Ae, 1.8 MPa Edgew 120°10*4 sp=100mm	122	°C	ISO 75/Ae
PHYSICAL			
Specific Gravity	1.2	-	ASTM D792
Specific Volume	0.83	cm³/g	ASTM D792
Density	1.19	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	17.5	g/10 min	ASTM D1238
Melt Volume Rate, MVR at 300°C/1.2 kg	16	cm³/10 min	ISO 1133
OPTICAL			
Light Transmission, 2.54 mm	88	%	ASTM D1003
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	14.9	kV/mm	ASTM D149
Relative Permittivity, 50/60 Hz	3.17	-	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
Volume Resistivity	>1.E+15	Ω.cm	IEC 60093
Surface Resistivity, ROA	>1.E+15	Ω	IEC 60093
Dielectric Strength, in oil, 3.2 mm	17	kV/mm	IEC 60243-1
Relative Permittivity, 1 MHz	2.7	-	IEC 60250
Dissipation Factor, 50/60 Hz	0.001	-	IEC 60250
Dissipation Factor, 1 MHz	0.01	-	IEC 60250
Relative Permittivity, 50/60 Hz	2.7	-	IEC 60250
FLAME CHARACTERISTICS			
Oxygen Index (LOI)	25	%	ISO 4589
INJECTION MOLDING			
Drying Temperature	120	°C	
Drying Time	3 – 4	Hrs	
Drying Time (Cumulative)	48	Hrs	
Maximum Moisture Content	0.02	%	

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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	

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