



ULTEM™ Resin HU1000E

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Transparent, standard flow Polyetherimide (Tg 217C) with internal mold release. ECO Conforming. For medical devices and pharmaceutical applications. Healthcare management of change, biocompatible (ISO 10993 or USP Class VI), food contact compliant. EtO and steam sterilizable.

TYPICAL PROPERTIES ¹	TYPICAL VALUE	Unit	Standard
MECHANICAL			
Tensile Stress, yld, Type I, 5 mm/min	1120	kgf/cm ²	ASTM D 638
Tensile Stress, brk, Type I, 5 mm/min	860	kgf/cm ²	ASTM D 638
Tensile Strain, yld, Type I, 5 mm/min	7	%	ASTM D 638
Tensile Strain, brk, Type I, 5 mm/min	60	%	ASTM D 638
Tensile Modulus, 5 mm/min	36600	kgf/cm ²	ASTM D 638
Flexural Stress, yld, 1.3 mm/min, 50 mm span	1760	kgf/cm ²	ASTM D 790
Flexural Modulus, 1.3 mm/min, 50 mm span	35000	kgf/cm ²	ASTM D 790
Tensile Stress, yield, 5 mm/min	105	MPa	ISO 527
Tensile Stress, break, 5 mm/min	85	MPa	ISO 527
Tensile Strain, yield, 5 mm/min	6	%	ISO 527
Tensile Strain, break, 5 mm/min	60	%	ISO 527
Tensile Modulus, 1 mm/min	3200	MPa	ISO 527
Flexural Stress, yield, 2 mm/min	160	MPa	ISO 178
Flexural Modulus, 2 mm/min	3300	MPa	ISO 178
IMPACT			
Izod Impact, unnotched, 23°C	136	cm-kgf/cm	ASTM D 4812
Izod Impact, notched, 23°C	5	cm-kgf/cm	ASTM D 256
Izod Impact, notched, -30°C	5	cm-kgf/cm	ASTM D 256
Instrumented Impact Total Energy, 23°C	387	cm-kgf	ASTM D 3763
Izod Impact, unnotched 80°10'4 +23°C	NB	kJ/m ²	ISO 180/1U
Izod Impact, unnotched 80°10'4 -30°C	NB	kJ/m ²	ISO 180/1U
Izod Impact, notched 80°10'4 +23°C	6	kJ/m ²	ISO 180/1A

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IMPACT			
Izod Impact, notched 80*10*4 -30°C	6	kJ/m ²	ISO 180/1A
Charpy 23°C, V-notch Edgew 80*10*4 sp=62mm	4	kJ/m ²	ISO 179/1eA
Charpy -30°C, V-notch Edgew 80*10*4 sp=62mm	4	kJ/m ²	ISO 179/1eA
Charpy 23°C, Unnotch Edgew 80*10*4 sp=62mm	NB	kJ/m ²	ISO 179/1eU
Charpy -30°C, Unnotch Edgew 80*10*4 sp=62mm	NB	kJ/m ²	ISO 179/1eU
THERMAL			
Vicat Softening Temp, Rate B/50	219	°C	ASTM D 1525
HDT, 0.45 MPa, 3.2 mm, unannealed	207	°C	ASTM D 648
HDT, 1.82 MPa, 3.2mm, unannealed	199	°C	ASTM D 648
HDT, 1.82 MPa, 6.4 mm, unannealed	201	°C	ASTM D 648
CTE, -40°C to 150°C, flow	5.5E-05	1/°C	ASTM E 831
CTE, -40°C to 150°C, xflow	5.5E-05	1/°C	ASTM E 831
CTE, 23°C to 150°C, flow	5.5E-05	1/°C	ISO 11359-2
CTE, 23°C to 150°C, xflow	5.5E-05	1/°C	ISO 11359-2
Vicat Softening Temp, Rate B/50	211	°C	ISO 306
Vicat Softening Temp, Rate B/120	212	°C	ISO 306
HDT/Ae, 1.8 MPa Edgew 120*10*4 sp=100mm	190	°C	ISO 75/Ae
HDT/Af, 1.8 MPa Flatw 80*10*4 sp=64mm	188	°C	ISO 75/Af
PHYSICAL			
Specific Gravity	1.27	-	ASTM D 792
Mold Shrinkage, flow, 3.2 mm (5)	0.5 - 0.7	%	SABIC Method
Melt Flow Rate, 337°C/6.6 kgf	12	g/10 min	ASTM D 1238
Density	1.27	g/cm ³	ISO 1183
Water Absorption, (23°C/sat)	1.25	%	ISO 62
Moisture Absorption (23°C / 50% RH)	0.7	%	ISO 62

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PHYSICAL Melt Volume Rate, MVR at 360°C/5.0 kg	17	cm ³ /10 min	ISO 1133

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PROCESSING PARAMETERS	TYPICAL VALUE	Unit
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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