

MAGNUM™ 555

ABS Resin

Overview

MAGNUM™ 555 ABS resin is low gloss, low flow ABS resin that has a sheet Izod impact strength of 8.0 ft-lb/in. MAGNUM ABS resins are thermoplastic materials that provide an excellent balance of processability, impact resistance, and heat resistance as imparted by the various polymer compositions. MAGNUM ABS resins are available in a wide range of melt flow rates, impact strengths, and heat resistances for both high and low gloss applications manufactured by injection molding, sheet or profile extrusion, and thermoforming. The sheet and thermoforming grades of MAGNUM ABS resins provide excellent high and low gloss aesthetics, good thermal color stability, heat and impact resistance, and stiffness. MAGNUM ABS resins can fill a variety of needs by offering ranges in melt flow rates from 1.0 to 4.0, sheet Izod impacts from 2.5 to 10.5 ft-lb/in and sheet flexural modulus from 285,000 to 300,000 psi.

Applications

- Burial vault liners
- Tool cases
- Recreational vehicles
- Luggage
- Signs

Complies with:

- U.S. FDA 21 CFR 181.32

Consult the regulations for complete details.

Physical	Nominal Value (English)	Nominal Value (SI)	Test Method
Density	1.04 g/cm ³	1.04 g/cm ³	ASTM D792
Melt Mass-Flow Rate (MFR) (230°C/3.8 kg)	2.4 g/10 min	2.4 g/10 min	ASTM D1238
Molding Shrinkage - Flow	4.0E-3 to 7.0E-3 in/in	0.40 to 0.70 %	ASTM D955
Mechanical	Nominal Value (English)	Nominal Value (SI)	Test Method
Tensile Modulus ¹	340000 psi	2340 MPa	ASTM D638
Tensile Strength ¹			ASTM D638
Yield	6300 psi	43.4 MPa	
Break	5100 psi	35.2 MPa	
Flexural Modulus ²	370000 psi	2550 MPa	ASTM D790
Flexural Strength ²	11300 psi	77.9 MPa	ASTM D790
Impact	Nominal Value (English)	Nominal Value (SI)	Test Method
Notched Izod Impact ³			ASTM D256
0°F (-18°C), 0.126 in (3.20 mm)	2.7 ft-lb/in	140 J/m	
73°F (23°C), 0.126 in (3.20 mm)	8.0 ft-lb/in	430 J/m	
Thermal	Nominal Value (English)	Nominal Value (SI)	Test Method
Vicat Softening Temperature	227 °F	108 °C	ASTM D1525
Electrical	Nominal Value (English)	Nominal Value (SI)	Test Method
Dielectric Constant (100 Hz)	2.79	2.79	ASTM D150
Dissipation Factor (100 Hz)	4.0E-3	4.0E-3	ASTM D150
Flammability	Nominal Value (English)	Nominal Value (SI)	Test Method
Flame Rating ⁴ (0.06 in (1.5 mm))	HB	HB	UL 94
Optical	Nominal Value (English)	Nominal Value (SI)	Test Method
Gardner Gloss (60°)	85	85	ASTM D523
Injection	Nominal Value (English)	Nominal Value (SI)	
Drying Temperature	180 to 190 °F	82 to 88 °C	

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Drying Time	2.0 to 4.0 hr	2.0 to 4.0 hr
Suggested Max Moisture	0.10 %	0.10 %
Processing (Melt) Temp	425 to 525 °F	218 to 274 °C
Mold Temperature	80 to 140 °F	27 to 60 °C
Back Pressure	50.0 to 500 psi	0.345 to 3.45 MPa
Clamp Tonnage	2.0 to 5.0 tons/in ²	2.8 to 6.9 kN/cm ²
Screw L/D Ratio	20.0:1.0	20.0:1.0
Screw Compression Ratio	1.5:1.0 to 3.5:1.0	1.5:1.0 to 3.5:1.0

Injection Notes

Some applications such as plating may require moisture levels as low as 0.05%.

Notes

These are typical properties only and are not to be construed as specifications. Users should confirm results by their own tests.

¹ Type I, 2.0 in/min (51 mm/min)

² Type I, 0.050 in/min (1.3 mm/min)

³ 10 mil (0.25 mm) Notch Depth

⁴ This rating not intended to reflect hazards presented by this or any other material under actual fire conditions.



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