



Product Data Sheet

Tenite™ Butyrate 485E3720008 Clear, Trsp

Application/Uses

■ Toys/Sporting goods

Product Description

Tenite™ cellulosic plastics are noted for their excellent balance of properties including toughness, hardness, strength, surface gloss, clarity, and a warm feel. The mechanical properties of Tenite™ cellulosic plastics differ with plasticizer levels. Lower plasticizer content yields a harder surface, higher heat resistance, greater rigidity, higher tensile strength, and better dimensional stability. Higher plasticizer content increases impact strength. Tenite™ cellulosic plastics are available in natural, clear, selected ambers, or smoke transparents and black translucents. Color concentrates are available in let-down ratios from 10:1 to 40:1. Tenite™ Cellulose Acetate Butyrate 485-08 contains an odor mask and an ultra-violet inhibitor(UVI). It has a plasticizer level of 8%.

Typical Properties

Property ^a	Test ^b Method	Typical Value, Units ^c	
Plasticizer		8%	
Specific Gravity	D 792	1.20	
Mechanical Properties			
Tensile Stress @ Yield	D 638	37.2 MPa (5400 psi)	
Tensile Stress @ Break	D 638	47.6 MPa (6900 psi)	
Elongation @ Break	D 638	50%	
Flexural Modulus	D 790	1586 MPa (2.30 x 10 ⁵ psi)	
Flexural Yield Strength	D 790	51.0 MPa (7400 psi)	
Rockwell Hardness, R Scale	D 785	88	
Izod Impact Strength, Notched			
@ 23°C (73°F)	D 256	198 J/m (3.7 ft·lbf/in.)	
@ -40°C (-40°F)	D 256	91 J/m (1.7 ft·lbf/in.)	
Thermal Properties			
Deflection Temperature d			
@ 1.82 MPa (264 psi)	D 648	79°C (174°F)	
@ 0.455 MPa (66 psi)	D 648	89°C (192°F)	

Permanence Properties			
Water Absorption, 24 h immersion	D 570	1.5%	
Soluble Matter Loss	D 570	0.1%	
Weight Loss on Heating [72 hours @ 80°C (176°F)]	D 707	0.3%	

Miscellaneous Butyrate Properties		
Refractive Index, n _D	D 542	1.46-1.49
Light Transmission e	E 308	>90%
Haze e	D 1003	<8.5%
Specific Heat @ 23°C (73°F)	DSC	1.26-1.67 kJ/kg·K (0.301- 0.399 Btu/lb·°F)
Thermal Conductivity	C 177	0.17-0.33 W/m·K (1.2- 2.3 Btu·in./h·ft ² ·°F)
Coefficient of Linear Thermal Expansion	D 696	11-17 x 10 ⁻⁵ /°C (mm/mm⋅ °C) (6-9 x 10 ⁻⁵ /°F (in./in.⋅ °F))
Mold Shrinkage	D 955	0.2-0.6%
Dielectric Strength	D 149	11.8-18.7 kV/mm (300- 475 V/mil)
Dielectric Constant 1 MHz	D 150	3.3-3.8
Dissipation Factor 1 MHz	D 150	0.01-0.15
Volume Resistivity	D 257	10 ¹³ -10 ¹⁵ ohm∙cm

^a Unless noted otherwise, all tests are run at 23°C (73°F) and 50% relative humidity.

Characteristics

Formula 485 - odor mask; UVI.

Comments

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b Unless noted otherwise, the test method is ASTM.

c Units are in SI or US customary units.

d Conditioned 4 hours @ 70°C (158°F)

e 1.52-mm (0.06-in.) specimen thickness