

Product Data Sheet

Tenite™ Butyrate 565A2R30016, Natural, Trsp

Application/Uses

- Tool handles

Product Description

Tenite™ cellulosic plastics are noted for their excellent balance of properties - 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 translucent. Color concentrates are available in let-down ratios from 10:1 to 40:1. Tenite™ Cellulose Acetate Butyrate 565-16 contains an odor mask and has a plasticizer level of 16%.

Typical Properties

| Property ^a | Test ^b Method | Typical Value, Units ^c |
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| Plasticizer | | 16% |
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| Specific Gravity | D 792 | 1.17 |
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Mechanical Properties

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| Tensile Stress @ Yield | D 638 | 25.5 MPa (3700 psi) |
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| Tensile Stress @ Break | D 638 | 33.8 MPa (4900 psi) |
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| Elongation @ Break | D 638 | 50% |
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| Flexural Modulus | D 790 | 1103 MPa (1.60 x 10 ⁵ psi) |
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| Flexural Yield Strength | D 790 | 33.1 MPa (4800 psi) |
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| Rockwell Hardness, R Scale | D 785 | 40 |
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| Izod Impact Strength, Notched | | |
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| @ 23°C (73°F) | D 256 | 331 J/m (6.2 ft·lbf/in.) |
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| @ -40°C (-40°F) | D 256 | 107 J/m (2.0 ft·lbf/in.) |
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Thermal Properties

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| Deflection Temperature ^d | | |
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| @ 1.82 MPa (264 psi) | D 648 | 64°C (147°F) |
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| @ 0.455 MPa (66 psi) | D 648 | 77°C (171°F) |
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| Vicat Softening Temperature ^d | D 1525 | 96°C (205°F) |
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| Permanence Properties | | |
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| Water Absorption, 24 h immersion | D 570 | 1.3% |
| Soluble Matter Loss | D 570 | 0.1% |
| Weight Loss on Heating [72 hours @ 80°C (176°F)] | D 707 | 0.8% |
| 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.

^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

Characteristics

Formula 565 - odor mask.

Comments

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