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POLYSTYRENE COMPOUND 827

Technical data sheet Flame Retardant Polystyrene Produced in Europe

Description

POLYSTYRENE (PS) COMPOUNDS (CPDS) 827 is a high impact flame retardant polystyrene for use in HGW applications. PS CPDS 827 can be supplied in both natural and colored forms.

Main Characteristics

- DBDPE and Antimony Trioxide free \checkmark
- \checkmark Excellent UV stability
- \checkmark Hot Glow Wire (HGW) rated to 750°C (IEC 695-2-1)
- \checkmark High Flow

Applications

Insulated enclosures. Junction boxes.

Properties

Flammability rating	<u>Method</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Value</u>
Hot Glow Wire	IEC 695-2-1	°C	750
Rheological			
Melt Flow index (200°C-5Kg)	ISO 1133H	g/10mn	6.0
Thermal			
Vicat softening point 50N (T° increase of 50°C/h)	ISO 306B50	°C	90
<u>Mechanical</u>			
Izod notched impact strength at 23°C	180/1A	KJ/m²	7.0
Tensile yield strength	ISO 527-2	MPa	27
Elongation at break	ISO 527-2	%	39
Flexural modulus	ISO 178	MPa	2400
<u>Miscellaneous</u>			
Density at 23°C	ISO 1183	g/cm³	1.04
Moulding shrinkage		%	0.4 – 0.7
Water absorption	ISO 62	%	<0.1
Processing conditions			

- Maximum melt temperature is 220°C. \geq
- This product is heat and shear sensitive. Avoid prolonged residence time in the moulding machine. \triangleright
- \triangleright If possible, use low shear screw profile, and check ring assembly.
- \triangleright Where possible only use tools with cold runner systems.
- \triangleright Use chemically resistant tooling where possible.
- \triangleright Always purge machine into natural PS or PP, or propriety purging agent, when machine stops or finishes production.

General information

- Standard properties: All tests carried out at 23°C unless stated otherwise. Mechanical properties are measured on injection moulded tests specimens.
- \geq Bulk density: bulk density of all natural grades is approximately 0.6 g/cm3.

