

TEKNOR APEX Chemion[®] A60XTH Teknor Apex Company - Polyamide 66

General Information

Product Description

A60XTH is a modified nylon 66 grade that contains a heat stabilisation system to extend product life at elevated temperatures. This grade offers excellend toughness coupled with good rigidity.

General			
Material Status	Commercial: Active		
Availability	Europe		
Additive	Heat Stabilizer	Impact Modifier	
Features	Good ToughnessHeat Stabilized	Impact ModifiedMedium Rigidity	
Processing Method	Injection Molding		

ASTM & ISO Properties ¹					
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method		
Density	1.10	g/cm³	ISO 1183		
Molding Shrinkage ²	1.6 to 2.3	%	Internal Method		
Water Absorption (Equilibrium, 73°F, 50% RH)	2.3	%	ISO 62		
Mechanical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method		
Tensile Modulus	305000	psi	ISO 527-1		
Tensile Stress	8410	psi	ISO 527-2		
Tensile Strain (Yield)	6.0	%	ISO 527-2		
Tensile Strain (Break)	30	%	ISO 527-2		
Flexural Modulus	290000	psi	ISO 178		
Flexural Stress	9430	psi	ISO 178		
Impact	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method		
Charpy Notched Impact Strength	17	ft·lb/in²	ISO 179/1eA		
Charpy Unnotched Impact Strength	No Break		ISO 179/1eU		
Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method		
Deflection Temperature Under Load (66 psi, Unannealed)	365	°F	ISO 75-2/B		
Deflection Temperature Under Load			ISO 75-2/A		
264 psi, Unannealed	158	°F			
Electrical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method		
Surface Resistivity	1.0E+14	ohms	IEC 60093		
Volume Resistivity	1.0E+16	ohms∙cm	IEC 60093		
Flammability	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method		
Flame Rating (0.06 in, Teknor Apex test result)	HB		UL 94		
Oxygen Index	22	%	ISO 4589-2		

Processing Information		
Injection	Nominal Value Unit	
Drying Temperature	176 °F	
Drying Time	2.0 hr	
Rear Temperature	518 to 554 °F	
Middle Temperature	518 to 554 °F	
Front Temperature	518 to 554 °F	
Processing (Melt) Temp	518 to 554 °F	



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Mold Temperature	140 to 176 °F
Injection Rate	Fast
Back Pressure	Low
Screw Speed	Moderate
Intertion Notes	

Injection Notes

No drying is necessary unless the material has been exposed to air for longer than three hours. The appearance of splash marks on the surface of mouldings indicates excessive moisture is present.

Notes

¹ Typical properties: these are not to be construed as specifications.

² Mould shrinkage is significantly influenced by many factors including wall thickness, gating, moulding shape and processing conditions. The range values given are determined from specimen bar mouldings of 1.5mm to 4mm wall thickness. They are provided as a guide for comparison purposes only and no guarantee should be inferred from their inclusion. (Specimens measured in the dry state, 24 hours after moulding).