

Geon™ Vinyl Packaging 2188GC Rigid Polyvinyl Chloride

Key Characteristics

General			
Material Status	Commercial: Active		
Regional Availability	 Africa & Middle East Asia Pacific	EuropeLatin America	North America
Features	 Food Contact Acceptable 	e • High Gloss	 High Impact Resistance
Uses	Bottles	 Packaging 	
Agency Ratings	FDA Food Contact, Unspecified Rating		
Appearance	 Clear/Transparent 		
Forms	• Pellets		
Processing Method	Blow Molding		

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Physical	Typical Value (English)	Typical Value (SI)	Test Method
Specific Gravity	1.32	1.32	ASTM D792
Density	0.801 g/cm ³	0.801 g/cm ³	ASTM D1505
Mechanical	Typical Value (English)	Typical Value (SI)	Test Method
Tensile Modulus ²	346000 psi	2390 MPa	ASTM D638
Tensile Strength ² (Yield)	6300 psi	43.4 MPa	ASTM D638
Flexural Modulus	374000 psi	2580 MPa	ASTM D790
Flexural Strength	11200 psi	77.2 MPa	ASTM D790
Impact	Typical Value (English)	Typical Value (SI)	Test Method
Notched Izod Impact			ASTM D256A
73°F (23°C), 0.125 in (3.18 mm), Injection Molded	21 ft·lb/in	1100 J/m	
Hardness	Typical Value (English)	Typical Value (SI)	Test Method
Rockwell Hardness (R-Scale)	105	105	ASTM D785
Durometer Hardness (Shore D)	79	79	ASTM D2240
Thermal	Typical Value (English)	Typical Value (SI)	Test Method
Deflection Temperature Under Load			ASTM D648
264 psi (1.8 MPa), Unannealed, 0.125 in (3.18 mm)	139 °F	59.4 °C	
Optical	Typical Value (English)	Typical Value (SI)	Test Method
Transmittance			Internal Method
33.5 mil (851 µm), 400 nm	81.0 %	81.0 %	
33.5 mil (851 μm), 700 nm	86.5 %	86.5 %	
Additional Information	Typical Value (English)	Typical Value (SI)	
Blow Molding Temperature	395 to 415 °F	202 to 213 °C	

Notes

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¹ Typical values are not to be construed as specifications.

² Type I, 0.20 in/min (5.1 mm/min)

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