

OnForce™ LFT PP-50LGF/000 UV-LW Black

Polypropylene Homopolymer

Key Characteristics

Product Description

PolyOne's Long Fiber Thermoplastic (LFT) compounds are formulated for demanding applications which require high stiffness and good impact such as metal replacement or other structural applications. These products exhibit enhanced physical and mechanical properties versus standard short fiber products. Benefits of LFT compounds include improved impact strength, elastic modulus, and material strength across wide temperature ranges from subambient to highly elevated. Furthermore, LFT compounds have been shown to offer improved performance in the areas of creep and fatigue performance, improved dimensional stability, and exhibit an exceptional surface finish when compared to traditional highly filled short fiber products.

General			
Material Status	 Commercial: Active 		
Regional Availability	 Africa & Middle East Asia Pacific	EuropeLatin America	North America
Filler / Reinforcement	 Long Glass Fiber, 50% Fi 	ller by Weight	
Features	 Heat Stabilized 	 Low Warpage 	 UV Resistant
Forms	 Pellets 		

Technical Properties 1

Physical	Typical Value (English)	Typical Value (SI)	Test Method
Density	1.32 g/cm ³	1.32 g/cm ³	ISO 1183
Molding Shrinkage ²	0.30 %	0.30 %	ISO 294-4
Mechanical	Typical Value (English)	Typical Value (SI)	Test Method
Tensile Stress (Break)	19600 psi	135 MPa	ISO 527-2
Tensile Strain (Break)	2.0 %	2.0 %	ISO 527-2
Flexural Modulus	1.52E+6 psi	10500 MPa	ISO 178
Flexural Stress	28300 psi	195 MPa	ISO 178
Impact	Typical Value (English)	Typical Value (SI)	Test Method
Charpy Notched Impact Strength	15 ft·lb/in²	31 kJ/m²	ISO 179
Thermal	Typical Value (English)	Typical Value (SI)	Test Method
Heat Deflection Temperature			ISO 75-2/A
264 psi (1.8 MPa), Unannealed	306 °F	152 °C	
Heat Deflection Temperature			ISO 75-2/C
1160 psi (8.0 MPa), Unannealed	291 °F	144 °C	

Processing Information

Injection	Typical Value (English)	Typical Value (SI)	
Drying Temperature	176°F	80.0°C	
Drying Time	2.0 hr	2.0 hr	
Processing (Melt) Temp	410 to 446 °F	210 to 230 °C	
Mold Temperature	140 °F	60.0 °C	
Injection Rate	Slow-Moderate	Slow-Moderate	
Back Pressure	145 psi	1.00 MPa	
Late office Makes			

Injection Notes

LFT compounds can be processed using equipment similar to that used for short fiber products. The mechanical properties of finished parts depend greatly on the length of the fibers in the molded part; therefore processing conditions must be set carefully in order to minimize fiber breakage. A "low shear process" is advised, with low back pressure, low screw speed and low-to-medium injection speed.

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Notes

- ¹ Typical values are not to be construed as specifications.
- ² Measured on a tensile specimen. Actual mold shrinkage values are highly dependant on part geometry, mold configuration, and processing conditions.

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