

Product Information

## VESTAMID® eCO E40 CC50

### HEAT- AND LIGHT-STABILIZED POLYAMIDE 12 ELASTOMER FOR MOLDING OF SPORT SHOE SOLES

**VESTAMID® eCO E40 CC50** is a PA 12 elastomer consisting of PA 12 segments and softening segments. The material is free of volatile or migrating plasticizer.

The VESTAMID® E represents thermoplastic elastomers generically characterized as polyether block copolyamides (PEBA) consisting of PA 12 and polyether segments.

VESTAMID® eCO E40 CC50 is especially developed for sport shoe soles. It has good impact strength at low temperatures.

eCO stands for Evoniks aim to reduce CO<sub>2</sub> through use of renewable or circular feedstocks via mass-balance approach.

VESTAMID® eCO E40 CC50 is supplied as spherical pellets in moisture-proof packaging, ready for processing.

The process temperatures should be within a range of 170°C – 210°C.

The use of colorants may affect property values.

Inside the original and undamaged packaging, the product has a shelf life of at least 2 years when stored in dry rooms at temperatures not exceeding 30°C.

The results presented were generated from a small number of production lots. They are therefore provisional and not yet the result of a statistical analysis.

#### Key Features

##### Industrial Sector

Sustainable, Industry and Engineering, Sports and Lifestyle

##### Delivery form

Pellets, Granules

##### Sustainability

RFP (reduced foot print), eCO

##### Resistance to

Heat (thermal stability), UV / light / weathering

**Processing**  
Injection molding, Extrusion

**Additives**  
Unfilled

LCA-values	dry	Unit	Test Standard
LCA name of certificate	<a href="#">VESTAMID® eCO E40 - CC50 - circular content</a>	-	ISO 14040, 14044
LCA certifier	<a href="#">TÜV Rheinland</a>	-	ISO 14040, 14044
Blue water consumption	<b>11.3</b>	kg	ISO 14040, 14044
Global Warming Potential incl. bio. C incl. LUC	<b>4.3</b>	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq./kg	ISO 14040, 14044
Global Warming Potential excl. bio. C incl. LUC	<b>4.5</b>	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq./kg	ISO 14040, 14044
Land use (ReCiPe 2016)	<b>0.1</b>	Annual crop eq. y	ISO 14040, 14044

Mechanical properties ISO	dry / cond	Unit	Test Standard
Tensile modulus	<b>12600 / -</b>	psi	ISO 527
Tensile strength	<b>2470 / -</b>	psi	ISO 527
Stress at 50% strain	<b>1310 / -</b>	psi	ISO 527
Typical for the mat. nom. strain at br., tB	<b>200</b>	%	ISO 527
Tensile creep modulus, 0,5% Strain, 1h	<b>* / 11600</b>	psi	ISO 899-1
Tensile creep modulus, 0,5% Strain, 1000h	<b>* / 8700</b>	psi	ISO 899-1
Charpy impact strength, +23°C	<b>N / N</b>	ftlb/in <sup>2</sup>	ISO 179/1eU
Charpy impact strength, -30°C	<b>N / N</b>	ftlb/in <sup>2</sup>	ISO 179/1eU
Charpy notched impact strength, +23°C	<b>N / N</b>	ftlb/in <sup>2</sup>	ISO 179/1eA
Charpy notched impact strength, -30°C	<b>N / N</b>	ftlb/in <sup>2</sup>	ISO 179/1eA
Tensile-impact strength, notched, atN +23°C	<b>76.1 / 99.9</b>	ftlb/in <sup>2</sup>	ISO 8256/1
Flexural modulus, 23°C	<b>13100 / -</b>	psi	ISO 178
Puncture - maximum force, +23°C	<b>198 / -</b>	lbf	ISO 6603-2
Puncture - maximum force, -30°C	<b>391 / -</b>	lbf	ISO 6603-2
Puncture energy, +23°C	<b>124 / -</b>	in-lb	ISO 6603-2

Puncture energy, -30°C	221 / -	in-lb	ISO 6603-2
Taber Abrasion Resistance, S33, 2x 500g	< 15 / -	mg/100 cycles	DIN 53754

Mechanical properties (TPE)	dry / cond	Unit	Test Standard
Stress at 5% elongation	624 / -	psi	ISO 527
Stress at 10% elongation	928 / -	psi	ISO 527
Stress at 20% elongation	1230 / -	psi	ISO 527
Stress at 50% elongation	1450 / -	psi	ISO 527
Stress at 100% elongation	1680 / -	psi	-
Stress at 300% elongation	3030 / -	psi	ISO 527
Strain at break TPE	333 / -	%	ISO 527
Stress at break TPE	3250 / -	psi	ISO 527
Compression set at 70 °C, 24h	47 / -	%	ISO 815
Compression set at 100 °C, 24h	84 / -	%	ISO 815
Compression set at 23 °C, 24h	32 / -	%	-

Thermal properties	dry / cond	Unit	Test Standard
Melting temperature	302 / *	°F	ISO 11357-1/-3
Glass transition temperature, DSC	-76 / *	°F	ISO 11357-1/-2
Temp. of deflection under load B, 0.45 MPa	131 / *	°F	ISO 75-1/-2
Vicat softening temperature A, 10 N, 50 K/h	257 / *	°F	ISO 306
Vicat softening temperature B, 50 N, 50 K/h	140 / *	°F	ISO 306
Coeff. of linear therm. expansion, 23°C to 55 °C, parallel	0.000133 / *	in/in/°F	ISO 11359-1/-2
Coeff. of linear therm. expansion, 23°C to 55 °C, normal	0.000117 / *	in/in/°F	ISO 11359-1/-2
Melting Temperature	302	°F	ASTM D 3418

Physical properties	dry / cond	Unit	Test Standard
Density	1.01 / 1.02	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	ISO 1183
Water absorption	1 / *	%	Sim. to ISO 62

Humidity absorption	<b>0.4 / *</b>	%	Sim. to ISO 62
Shore D hardness	<b>40<sup>[b]</sup> / -</b>	-	ISO 7619-1
Compression Set under constant strain, 23°C	<b>32 / -</b>	%	ISO 815
Compression Set under constant strain, 70°C	<b>47 / -</b>	%	ISO 815
Compression Set under constant strain, 100°C	<b>84 / -</b>	%	ISO 815
Density	<b>1.01</b>	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	ASTM D 792

b: 3 seconds

<b>Burning Behav.</b>	<b>dry / cond</b>	<b>Unit</b>	<b>Test Standard</b>
UL Yellow Card available	<b>yes / *</b>	-	-
Burning behav. at 1.5 mm nom. thickn.	<b>HB / *</b>	class	IEC 60695-11-10
Thickness tested	<b>0.0591 / *</b>	in	-

<b>Electrical properties</b>	<b>dry / cond</b>	<b>Unit</b>	<b>Test Standard</b>
Volume resistivity, V	<b>2E9 / 3E8</b>	Ohm*m	IEC 62631-3-1
Surface resistivity, E	<b>* / 2E13</b>	Ohm	IEC 62631-3-2
Relative permittivity, 100Hz	<b>7.5 / 9.5</b>	-	IEC 62631-2-1
Relative permittivity, 1MHz	<b>4.9 / 5.5</b>	-	IEC 62631-2-1
Dissipation factor, 100Hz	<b>700 / 3000</b>	E-4	IEC 62631-2-1
Dissipation factor, 1MHz	<b>1200 / 1200</b>	E-4	IEC 62631-2-1
Dielectric strength, AC, S20/S20, t. 1 mm	<b>- / 914</b>	kV/in	IEC 60243-1
Dielectric strength, AC, S20/P50	<b>889 / -</b>	V/mil	Sim. to IEC 60243-1

<b>Rheological properties</b>	<b>dry / cond</b>	<b>Unit</b>	<b>Test Standard</b>
Melt volume-flow rate, MVR	<b>40 / *</b>	cm <sup>3</sup> /10min	ISO 1133
Temperature	<b>240 / *</b>	°C	-
Load	<b>2.16 / *</b>	kg	-
Molding shrinkage, parallel	<b>0.5 / *</b>	%	ISO 294-4, 2577
Molding shrinkage, normal	<b>1.1 / *</b>	%	ISO 294-4, 2577

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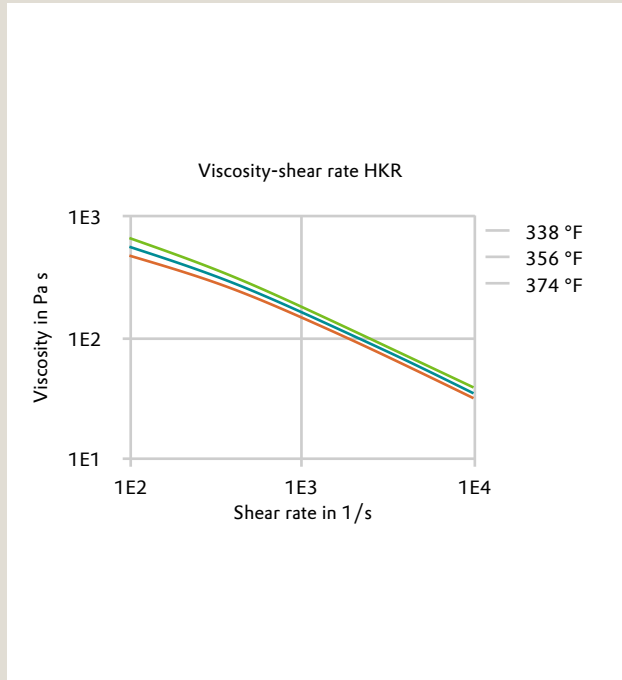
Mold temperature	<b>95 / *</b>	°F	-
Melt temperature	<b>392 / *</b>	°F	-

Polymer analytics	dry / cond	Unit	Test Standard
Viscosity number	<b>5260 / *</b>	in <sup>3</sup> /lb	ISO 307, 1157, 1628

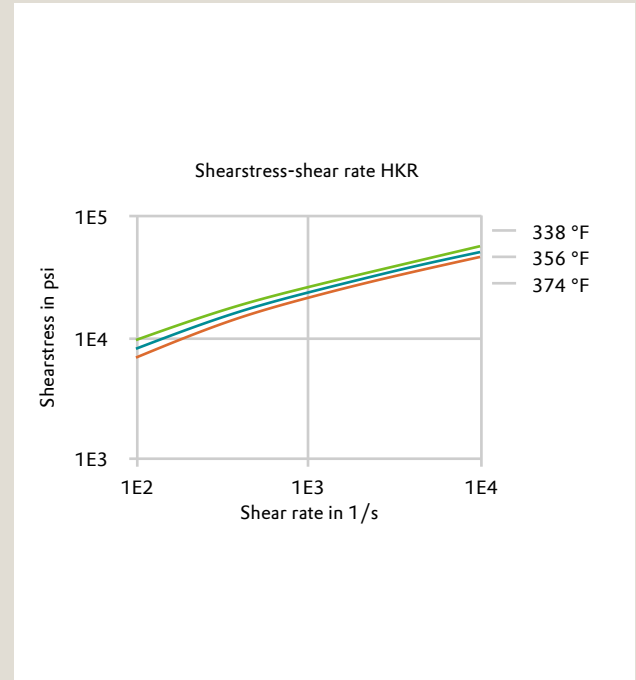
Test specimen production	dry	Unit	Test Standard
Injection Molding, melt temperature	<b>356</b>	°F	ISO 294
Injection Molding, mold temperature	<b>95</b>	°F	ISO 294
Injection Molding, injection velocity	<b>7.87</b>	in/s	ISO 294
Injection Molding, pressure at hold	<b>10200</b>	psi	ISO 294

Diagrams

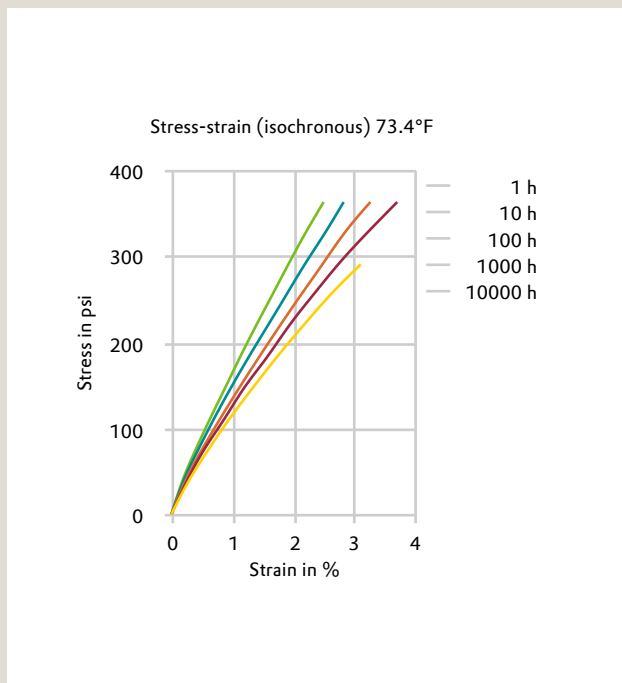
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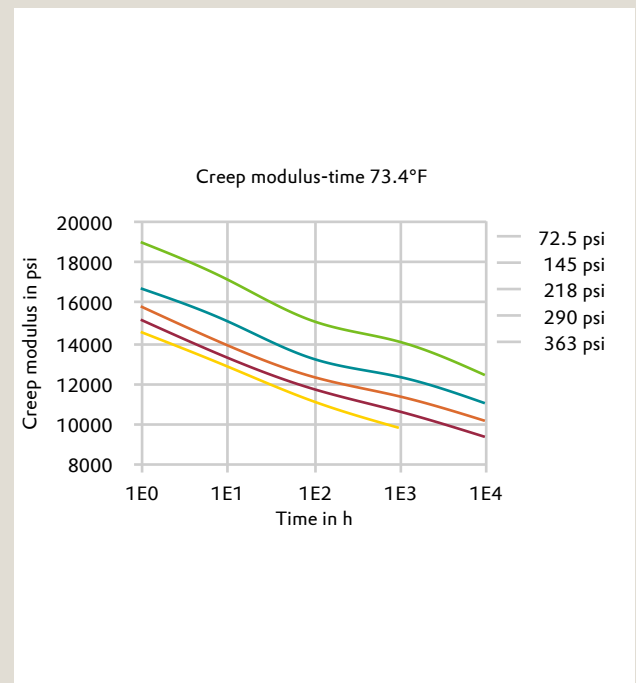
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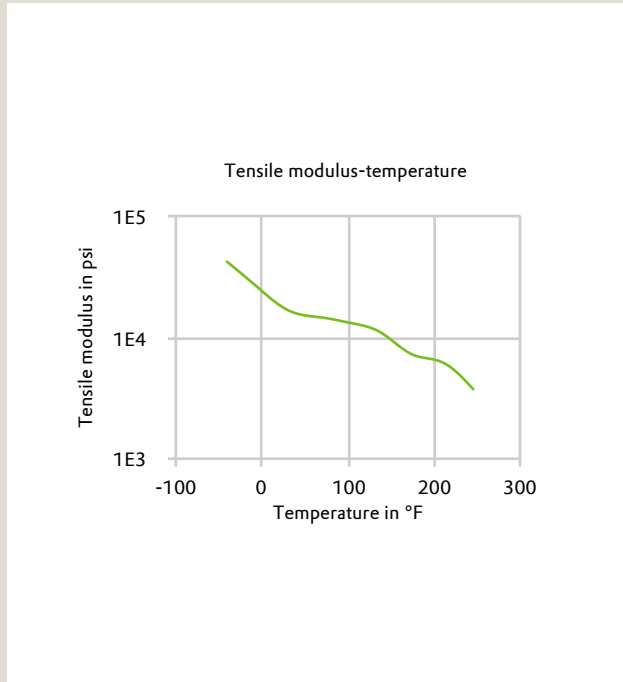
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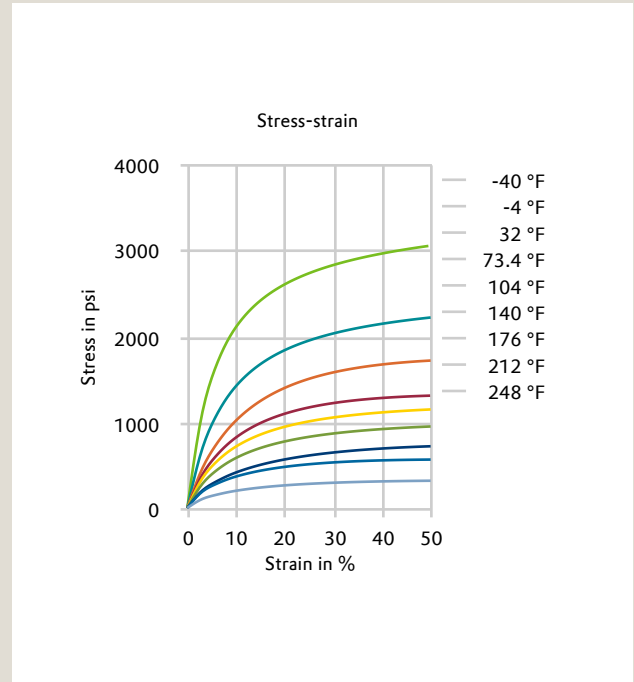
Creep modulus-time 73°F



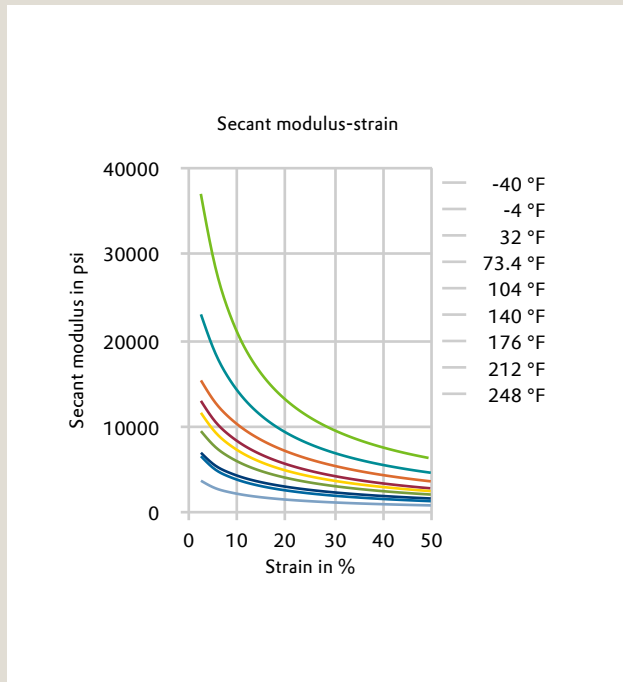
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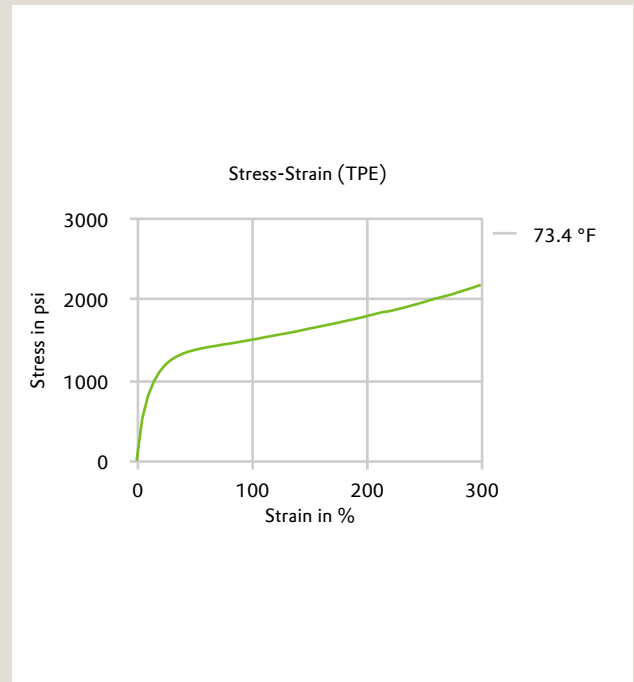
Stress-strain



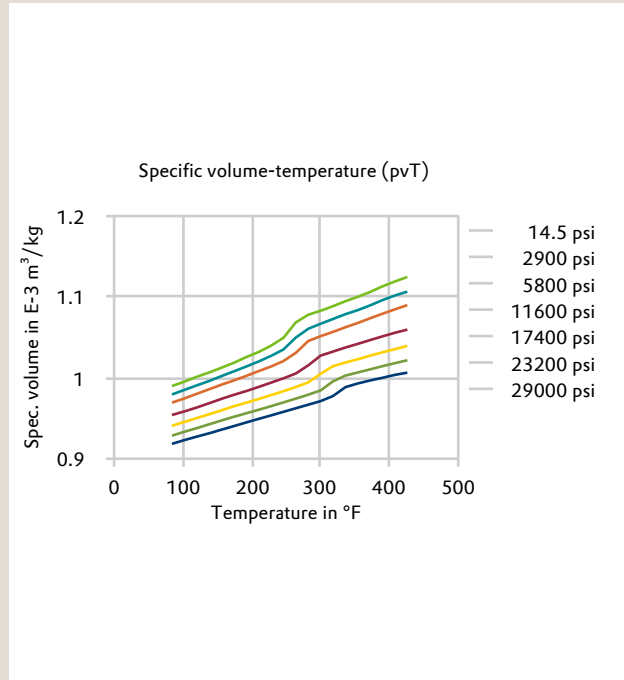
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Stress-Strain (TPE)



**Specific volume-temperature (pvT)**



**Characteristics**

**Processing**

Profile extrusion

**Color**

Natural color

**Special Characteristics**

Light-stabilized, U.V. stabilized, High heat resistant

**Additives**

Plasticizer, Light stabilizer, Heat stabilizer

**Chemical Media Resistance**

**Acids**

- ✓ Acetic Acid (5% by mass) (23°C)
- ✓ Citric Acid solution (10% by mass) (23°C)

**Bases**

- ✓ Sodium Hydroxide solution (35% by mass) (23°C)
- ✓ Sodium Hydroxide solution (1% by mass) (23°C)
- ✓ Ammonium Hydroxide solution (10% by mass) (23°C)

**Alcohols**

- ✓ Isopropyl alcohol (23°C)
- ✓ Methanol (23°C)
- ✓ Ethanol (23°C)

**Hydrocarbons**

- ✓ n-Hexane (23°C)
- ✓ Toluene (23°C)
- ✓ iso-Octane (23°C)

**Ketones**

- ✓ Acetone (23°C)

**Ethers**

- ✓ Diethyl ether (23°C)

**Salt solutions**

- ✓ Sodium Chloride solution (10% by mass) (23°C)
- ✓ Sodium Carbonate solution (20% by mass) (23°C)
- ✓ Sodium Carbonate solution (2% by mass) (23°C)

**Other**

- ✓ Ethyl Acetate (23°C)
- ✓ Hydrogen peroxide (23°C)
- ✓ Water (23°C)

<b>Rheological calculation properties</b>	<b>dry</b>	<b>Unit</b>	<b>Test Standard</b>
Min. mold temperature	<b>59</b>	°F	-
Max. mold temperature	<b>104</b>	°F	-
Min. melt temperature	<b>356</b>	°F	-
Max. melt temperature	<b>428</b>	°F	-