

Vectra® B230

Celanese Corporation - Liquid Crystal Polymer

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General Information

Product Description

Exceptional strength and stiffness. Suitable for metal replacement applications. Electrically conductive. 30% carbon fiber reinforced. Chemical abbreviation according to ISO 1043-1: LCP Inherently flame retardant UL-Listing V-0 at 0.46mm thickness per UL 94 flame testing. Relative-Temperature-Index (RTI) according to UL 746B: electrical 130°C, mechanical 130°C. UL = Underwriters Laboratories (USA)

General			
Material Status	Commercial: Active		
Availability	 Africa & Middle East Asia Pacific	EuropeLatin America	North America
Filler / Reinforcement	Carbon Fiber, 30% Filler by Weight		
Features	 Electrically Conductive Flame Retardant	 Good Stiffness Good Strength	
Uses	 Metal Replacement 		
RoHS Compliance	Contact Manufacturer		
Resin ID (ISO 1043)	• LCP		

ASTM &	ISO Properties 1		
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Density	1.50	g/cm³	ISO 1183
Molding Shrinkage			ISO 294-4
Across Flow	0.10	%	
Flow	0.0	%	
Mechanical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Tensile Modulus	4.61E+6	psi	ISO 527-2/1A
Tensile Stress (Break)	29000	psi	ISO 527-2/1A/5
Tensile Strain (Break)	0.70	%	ISO 527-2/1A/5
Flexural Modulus (73°F)	3.70E+6	psi	ISO 178
Flexural Stress (73°F)	43500	psi	ISO 178
Compressive Modulus	4.79E+6	psi	ISO 604
Compressive Stress (1% Strain)	29600	psi	ISO 604
Impact	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Charpy Notched Impact Strength (73°F)	2.9	ft·lb/in²	ISO 179/1eA
Charpy Unnotched Impact Strength (73°F)	7.1	ft·lb/in²	ISO 179/1eU
Notched Izod Impact Strength (73°F)	2.9	ft·lb/in²	ISO 180/1A
Unnotched Izod Impact Strength (73°F)	5.7	ft·lb/in²	ISO 180/1U
Hardness	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Rockwell Hardness (M-Scale)	99		ISO 2039-2
Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Heat Deflection Temperature (66 psi, Unannealed)	482	°F	ISO 75-2/B
Heat Deflection Temperature (264 psi, Unannealed)	455	°F	ISO 75-2/A
Heat Deflection Temperature (1160 psi, Unannealed)	367	°F	ISO 75-2/C
Vicat Softening Temperature	333	°F	ISO 306/B50
Melting Temperature ²	536	°F	ISO 11357-3
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Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
CLTE - Flow	5.6E-7	in/in/°F	ISO 11359-2
CLTE - Transverse	5.0E-6	in/in/°F	ISO 11359-2
Electrical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Surface Resistivity	1.0E+2	ohms	IEC 60093
Volume Resistivity	1.0E+5	ohms·cm	IEC 60093
Relative Permittivity (1 MHz)	32.0		IEC 60250
Flammability	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Flame Rating	V-0		UL 94

Processing Information			
Injection	Nominal Value	Unit	
Drying Temperature	302	°F	
Drying Time	6.0 to 8.0	hr	
Suggested Max Moisture	0.010	%	
Hopper Temperature	68 to 86	°F	
Rear Temperature	518 to 536	°F	
Middle Temperature	527 to 545	°F	
Front Temperature	536 to 554	°F	
Nozzle Temperature	554 to 572	°F	
Processing (Melt) Temp	545 to 572	°F	
Mold Temperature	176 to 248	°F	
Injection Rate	Fast		
Back Pressure	< 435	psi	
Injection Notes			

Feeding zone temperature: 60 to 80°C Zone4 temperature: 285 to 295°C Hot runner temperature: 285 to 295°C

Notes

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



² 10°C/min