



Vectra® A950

Celanese Corporation - Liquid Crystal Polymer

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General Information

Product Description

Unreinforced Vectra grade suitable for extrusion. Chemical abbreviation according to ISO 1043-1 : LCP Inherently flame retardant FDA compliant. UL-Listing V-0 in natural and black at 0.42mm thickness per UL 94 flame testing. Relative-Temperature-Index (RTI) according to UL 746B: electrical 240°C, mechanical 220°C. UL = Underwriters Laboratories (USA)

General

Material Status	• Commercial: Active
Availability	• Africa & Middle East • Europe • Asia Pacific • Latin America • North America
Features	• Flame Retardant
Agency Ratings	• FDA Unspecified Rating
RoHS Compliance	• Contact Manufacturer
Processing Method	• Extrusion
Resin ID (ISO 1043)	• LCP

ASTM & ISO Properties ¹

Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Density	1.40	g/cm ³	ISO 1183
Molding Shrinkage			ISO 294-4
Across Flow	0.70	%	
Flow	0.0	%	
Water Absorption (Saturation, 73°F)	6.0E-3	%	ISO 62
Water Absorption (Equilibrium, 73°F, 50% RH)	3.0E-3	%	ISO 62

Mechanical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Tensile Modulus	1.69E+6	psi	ISO 527-2/1A
Tensile Stress (Break)	29000	psi	ISO 527-2/1A/5
Tensile Strain (Break)	3.1	%	ISO 527-2/1A/5
Tensile Creep Modulus (1 hr)	1.31E+6	psi	ISO 899-1
Tensile Creep Modulus (1000 hr)	957000	psi	ISO 899-1
Flexural Modulus (73°F)	1.32E+6	psi	ISO 178
Flexural Stress (73°F)	22900	psi	ISO 178

Impact	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Charpy Notched Impact Strength (73°F)	45	ft·lb/in ²	ISO 179/1eA
Charpy Unnotched Impact Strength			ISO 179/1eU
-22°F	25	ft·lb/in ²	
73°F	130	ft·lb/in ²	
Notched Izod Impact Strength (73°F)	45	ft·lb/in ²	ISO 180/1A
Unnotched Izod Impact Strength (73°F)	120	ft·lb/in ²	ISO 180/1U

Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Heat Deflection Temperature (264 psi, Unannealed)	379	°F	ISO 75-2/A
Heat Deflection Temperature (1160 psi, Unannealed)	201	°F	ISO 75-2/C
Vicat Softening Temperature	293	°F	ISO 306/B50
Melting Temperature ²	536	°F	ISO 11357-3
CLTE - Flow	2.2E-6	in/in/°F	ISO 11359-2

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Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
CLTE - Transverse	2.1E-5	in/in/°F	ISO 11359-2
Electrical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Surface Resistivity	1.0E+14	ohms	IEC 60093
Volume Resistivity	1.0E+15	ohms·cm	IEC 60093
Electric Strength	1200	V/mil	IEC 60243-1
Relative Permittivity			IEC 60250
100 Hz	3.20		
1 MHz	3.00		
Dissipation Factor			IEC 60250
100 Hz	0.016		
1 MHz	0.020		
Comparative Tracking Index			IEC 60112
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Solution B	100	V	
Flammability	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Flame Rating	V-0		UL 94

Processing Information

Injection	Nominal Value	Unit
Drying Temperature	302	°F
Drying Time	4.0 to 6.0	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 563	°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