

THERMOPI ASTIC POLYESTER RESIN

Common features of Crastin® thermoplastic polyester resin include mechanical and physical properties such as stiffness and toughness, heat resistance, friction and wear resistance, excellent surface finishes and good colourability. Crastin® thermoplastic polyester resin has excellent electrical insulation characteristics and high arc-resistant grades are available. Many flame retardant grades have UL recognition (class V-0). Crastin® thermoplastic polyester resin typically has high chemical and heat ageing resistance.

The good melt stability of Crastin® thermoplastic polyester resin normally enables the recycling of properly handled production waste.

If recycling is not possible, DuPont recommends, as the preferred option, incineration with energy recovery (-24 kJ/g of base polymer) in appropriately equipped installations. For disposal, local regulations have to be observed.

Crastin® thermoplastic polyester resin typically is used in demanding applications in the electronics, electrical, automotive, mechanical engineering, chemical, domestic appliances and sporting goods industry.

Crastin® LW9030 BK851 is a 30% glass fiber reinforced polybutylene terephthalate blend for injection moulding. It has improved surface aesthetics, excellent dimensional stability and low warpage characteristics.

Product information

Resin Identification	PBT+ASA-GF30	ISO 1043
Part Marking Code	>PBT+ASA-GF30<	ISO 11469

Rheological properties

Melt volume-flow rate	10 cm³/10min	ISO 1133
Temperature	250 °C	ISO 1133
Load	5 kg	ISO 1133
Moulding shrinkage, parallel	0.2 %	ISO 294-4, 2577
Moulding shrinkage, normal	0.7 %	ISO 294-4, 2577

Typical mechanical properties

Tensile Modulus	9500	MPa	ISO 527-1/-2
Stress at break	130	MPa	ISO 527-1/-2
Strain at break	2	%	ISO 527-1/-2
Flexural Modulus	8500	MPa	ISO 178
Flexural Strength	180	MPa	ISO 178
Charpy impact strength, 23°C	50	kJ/m²	ISO 179/1eU
Charpy impact strength, -30°C	45	kJ/m²	ISO 179/1eU
Charpy notched impact strength, 23°C	9	kJ/m²	ISO 179/1eA
Charpy notched impact strength, -30°C	7	kJ/m²	ISO 179/1eA
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Izod impact strength, 23°C	45	kJ/m²	ISO 180/1U
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Poisson's ratio	0.34	-	

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Thermal properties

Malting to magazituse 10°C/min	22.4 %C	ICO 112F7 1/2
Melting temperature, 10°C/min	224 °C	ISO 11357-1/-3
Temp. of deflection under load, 1.8 MPa	170 °C	ISO 75-1/-2
Temp. of deflection under load, 0.45 MPa	210 °C	ISO 75-1/-2
Thermal conductivity of melt	0.28 W/(m K)	
RTI, electrical, 0.75mm	130 °C	UL 746B
RTI, electrical, 1.5mm	130 °C	UL 746B
RTI, electrical, 3mm	130 °C	UL 746B
RTI, electrical, 6mm	130 °C	UL 746B
RTI, impact, 0.75mm	125 °C	UL 746B
RTI, impact, 1.5mm	125 °C	UL 746B
RTI, impact, 3mm	130 °C	UL 746B
RTI, impact, 6mm	130 °C	UL 746B
RTI, strength, 0.75mm	130 °C	UL 746B
RTI, strength, 1.5mm	130 °C	UL 746B
RTI, strength, 3mm	130 °C	UL 746B
RTI, strength, 6mm	130 °C	UL 746B

Flammability

Burning Behav. at 1.5mm nom. thickn.	HB class	IEC 60695-11-10
Thickness tested	1.5 mm	IEC 60695-11-10
UL recognition	yes -	UL 94
Burning Behav. at thickness h	HB class	IEC 60695-11-10
Thickness tested	3 mm	IEC 60695-11-10
UL recognition	yes -	UL 94
Oxygen index	20 %	ISO 4589-1/-2
Glow Wire Flammability Index, 3mm	750 °C	IEC 60695-2-12
Glow Wire Ignition Temperature, 3mm	775 °C	IEC 60695-2-13
FMVSS Class	В -	ISO 3795 (FMVSS 302)
Burning rate, Thickness 1 mm	<80 mm/min	ISO 3795 (FMVSS 302)

Electrical properties

Relative permittivity, 100Hz	3.9 -	IEC 62631-2-1
Relative permittivity, 1MHz	3.8 -	IEC 62631-2-1
Dissipation factor, 100Hz	24 E-4	IEC 62631-2-1
Dissipation factor, 1MHz	168 E-4	IEC 62631-2-1
Volume resistivity	>1E13 Ohm.m	IEC 62631-3-1
Surface resistivity	1E14 Ohm	IEC 62631-3-2
Electric strength	34 kV/mm	IEC 60243-1
Comparative tracking index	400 -	IEC 60112

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Other properties

Density 1440 kg/m³ ISO 1183

VDA Properties

Emission of organic compounds 100 µgC/g VDA 277

Injection

Drying Recommended	yes	
Drying Temperature	120	°C
Drying Time, Dehumidified Dryer	2 - 4	h
Processing Moisture Content	≤0.04	%
Melt Temperature Optimum	250	°C
Min. melt temperature	240	°C
Max. melt temperature	260	°C
Mold Temperature Optimum	80	°C
Min. mould temperature	30	°C
Max. mould temperature	130	°C
Hold pressure range	≥60	MPa
Hold pressure time	3	s/mm
Back pressure	As low as	MPa
	possible	
Ejection temperature	170	°C

Chemical Media Resistance

Acids

- ✓ Acetic Acid (5% by mass), 23°C
- ✓ Citric Acid solution (10% by mass), 23°C
- ✓ Lactic Acid (10% by mass), 23°C
- X Hydrochloric Acid (36% by mass), 23°C
- X Nitric Acid (40% by mass), 23°C
- X Sulfuric Acid (38% by mass), 23°C
- X Sulfuric Acid (5% by mass), 23°C
- X Chromic Acid solution (40% by mass), 23°C

Bases

- **X** Sodium Hydroxide solution (35% by mass), 23℃
- ✓ 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

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Hydrocarbons

- ✓ n-Hexane, 23°C
- ✓ Toluene, 23°C
- ✓ iso-Octane, 23°C

Ketones

✓ Acetone, 23°C

Ethers

✓ Diethyl ether, 23°C

Mineral oils

- ✓ SAE 10W40 multigrade motor oil, 23°C
- X SAE 10W40 multigrade motor oil, 130°C
- X SAE 80/90 hypoid-gear oil, 130°C
- ✓ Insulating Oil, 23°C

Standard Fuels

- X ISO 1817 Liquid 1 E5, 60°C
- X ISO 1817 Liquid 2 M15E4, 60°C
- X ISO 1817 Liquid 3 M3E7, 60°C
- X ISO 1817 Liquid 4 M15, 60°C
- ✓ Standard fuel without alcohol (pref. ISO 1817 Liquid C), 23°C
- ✓ Standard fuel with alcohol (pref. ISO 1817 Liquid 4), 23°C
- ✓ Diesel fuel (pref. ISO 1817 Liquid F), 23°C
- ✓ Diesel fuel (pref. ISO 1817 Liquid F), 90°C
- ➤ Diesel fuel (pref. ISO 1817 Liquid F), >90°C

Salt solutions

- ✓ Sodium Chloride solution (10% by mass), 23°C
- ✓ Sodium Hypochlorite solution (10% by mass), 23°C
- ✓ Sodium Carbonate solution (20% by mass), 23°C
- ✓ Sodium Carbonate solution (2% by mass), 23°C
- ✓ Zinc Chloride solution (50% by mass), 23°C

Other

- ✓ Ethyl Acetate, 23°C
- X Hydrogen peroxide, 23°C
- ➤ DOT No. 4 Brake fluid, 130°C
- **★** Ethylene Glycol (50% by mass) in water, 108°C
- ✓ 1% nonylphenoxy-polyethyleneoxy ethanol in water, 23°C
- ✓ 50% Oleic acid + 50% Olive Oil, 23°C
- ✓ Water, 23°C
- X Water, 90°C
- ✓ Phenol solution (5% by mass), 23°C

Symbols used:

✓ possibly resistant

Defined as: Supplier has sufficient indication that contact with chemical can be potentially accepted under the intended use conditions

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and expected service life. Criteria for assessment have to be indicated (e.g. surface aspect, volume change, property change).

not recommended - see explanation

Defined as: Not recommended for general use. However, short-term exposure under certain restricted conditions could be acceptable (e.g. fast cleaning with thorough rinsing, spills, wiping, vapor exposure).

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