

THERMOPLASTIC 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® SK643FR is a flame retardant, 20% glass reinforced polybutylene terephthalate moulding resin. It is recognized as UL94V-0 at 0.8mm.

Product information

Resin Identification	PBT-GF20FR(17)	ISO 1043
Part Marking Code	>PBT-GF20FR(17)<	ISO 11469

Rheological properties

Melt volume-flow rate	6 cm³/10min	ISO 1133
Melt mass-flow rate	9 g/10min	ISO 1133
Temperature	250 °C	ISO 1133
Load	2.16 kg	ISO 1133
Melt mass-flow rate, Temperature	250 °C	ISO 1133
Melt mass-flow rate, Load	2.16 kg	ISO 1133
Viscosity number	100 cm³/g	ISO 307, 1157, 1628
Moulding shrinkage, parallel	0.5 %	ISO 294-4, 2577
Moulding shrinkage, normal	1.2 %	ISO 294-4, 2577
Moulding shrinkage, parallel, annealed	0.6 %	ISO 294-4
Moulding shrinkage, normal, annealed	1.45 %	ISO 294-4
Postmoulding shrinkage, normal, 48h at 80°C	0.3 %	ISO 294-4
Postmoulding shrinkage, parallel, 48h at 80°C	0.1 %	ISO 294-4

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Typical mechanical properties

Tensile Modulus	8500 MPa	ISO 527-1/-2
Stress at break	113 MPa	ISO 527-1/-2
Strain at break	3 %	ISO 527-1/-2
Flexural Strength	170 MPa	ISO 178
Tensile creep modulus, 1h	7200 MPa	ISO 899-1
Tensile creep modulus, 1000h	5500 MPa	ISO 899-1
Charpy impact strength, 23°C	55 kJ/m ⁻	ISO 179/1eU
Charpy impact strength, -30°C	53 kJ/m ²	ISO 179/1eU
Charpy notched impact strength, 23°C	8.5 kJ/m ³	ISO 179/1eA
Charpy notched impact strength, -30°C	7.8 kJ/m ²	ISO 179/1eA
Izod notched impact strength, 23°C	8 kJ/m ²	ISO 180/1A
Izod notched impact strength, -30°C	7 kJ/m ³	ISO 180/1A
Izod impact strength, 23°C	36 kJ/m ²	ISO 180/1U
Izod impact strength, -30°C	35 kJ/m ⁻	ISO 180/1U
Poisson's ratio	0.34 -	

Thermal properties

Melting temperature, 10°C/min	224 °C	ISO 11357-1/-3
Temp. of deflection under load, 1.8 MPa	205 °C	ISO 75-1/-2
Temp. of deflection under load, 0.45 MPa	220 °C	ISO 75-1/-2
Coeff. of linear therm. expansion, parallel	40 E-6/K	ISO 11359-1/-2
Coeff. of linear therm. expansion, normal	100 E-6/K	ISO 11359-1/-2
RTI, electrical, 0.75mm	140 °C	UL 746B
RTI, electrical, 1.5mm	140 °C	UL 746B
RTI, electrical, 3mm	140 °C	UL 746B
RTI, electrical, 6mm	140 °C	UL 746B
RTI, impact, 0.75mm	130 °C	UL 746B
RTI, impact, 1.5mm	130 °C	UL 746B
RTI, impact, 3mm	130 °C	UL 746B
RTI, impact, 6mm	130 °C	UL 746B
RTI, strength, 0.75mm	140 °C	UL 746B
RTI, strength, 1.5mm	140 °C	UL 746B
RTI, strength, 3mm	140 °C	UL 746B
RTI, strength, 6mm	140 °C	UL 746B

Flammability

Burning Behav. at 1.5mm nom. thickn.	V-O class	IEC 60695-11-10
Thickness tested	1.5 mm	IEC 60695-11-10
UL recognition	yes -	UL 94
Burning Behav. at thickness h	V-O class	IEC 60695-11-10
Thickness tested	0.75 mm	IEC 60695-11-10
UL recognition	yes -	UL 94
Oxygen index	31 %	ISO 4589-1/-2

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IEC 60695-2-12

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Glow Wire Flammability Index, 3mm

FMVSS Class	DNI -	ISO 3795 (FMVSS 302)
Electrical properties		
Relative permittivity, 100Hz	3.8 -	IEC 62631-2-1
Relative permittivity, 1MHz	3.7 -	IEC 62631-2-1
Dissipation factor, 100Hz	30 E-4	IEC 62631-2-1
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960 °C

Dissipation factor, 100Hz

Dissipation factor, 100Hz

Dissipation factor, 10Hz

160 E-4

Volume resistivity

>1E13 Ohm.m

IEC 62631-3-1

Surface resistivity

1E15 Ohm

IEC 62631-3-2

Electric strength

Comparative tracking index

30 E-4

IEC 62631-2-1

Volume resistivity

>1E13 Ohm.m

IEC 62631-3-2

IEC 60243-1

IEC 60112

Electric Strength, Short Time, 2mm 17 kV/mm IEC 60243-1

Other properties

Humidity absorption, 2mm	0.15 %	Sim. to ISO 62
Water absorption, 2mm	0.3 %	Sim. to ISO 62
Density	1630 kg/m³	ISO 1183

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

Characteristics

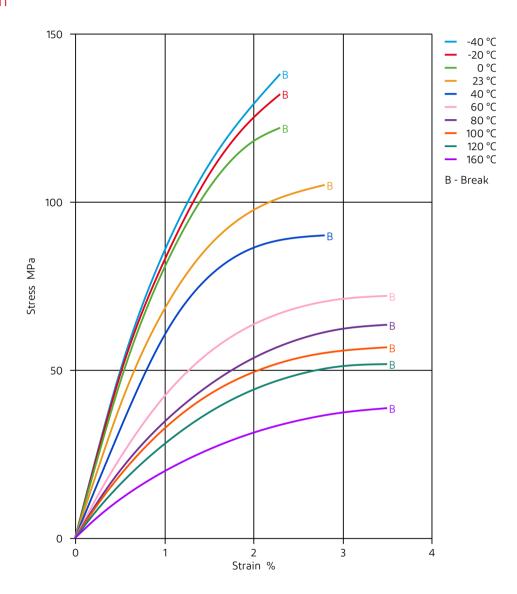
Additives Flame retardant

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Stress-strain

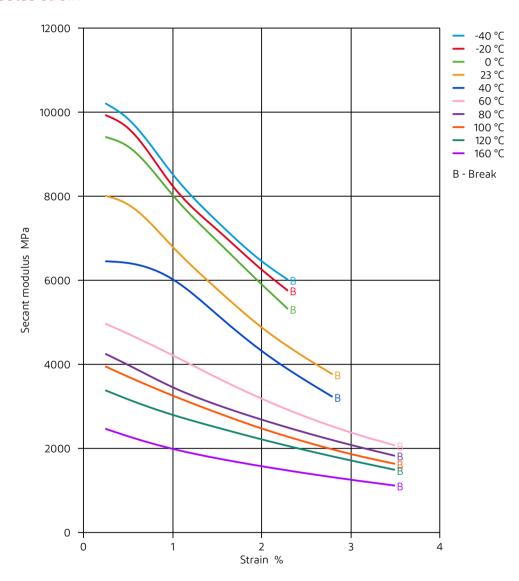


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Secant modulus-strain

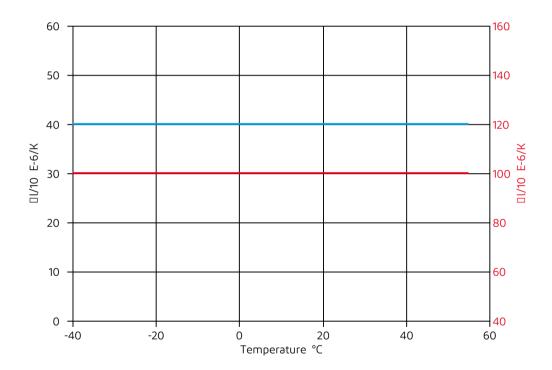


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Coeff. of linear thermal expansion



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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°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

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
- X Diesel fuel (pref. ISO 1817 Liquid F), >90°C

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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 Hvdrogen peroxide, 23°C
- X DOT No. 4 Brake fluid, 130°C
- **X** 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 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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