

Amodel® HFZ A-4133L

polyphthalamide

Amodel® HFZ A-4133 L polyphthalamide (PPA) is a 33% glass-reinforced, hot water moldable resin. Key properties include heat resistance, reduced outgassing and high strength and stiffness over a broad temperature range. It also displays low moisture absorption, excellent chemical resistance and excellent electrical properties.

Amodel® HFZ A-4133 L resin is ideal for automotive electrical and electronic applications, including

connectors, sockets, switches and sensors. It is also a good choice for under-hood enclosures that protect critical control systems such as anti-lock brakes, traction control, steering, electronic engine control, transmission and chassis control units.

Black: HFZ A-4133 L BK 324
Natural: HFZ A-4133 L NT

General

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Material Status	Commercial: Active		
Availability	Africa & Middle EastAsia PacificEurope	Latin AmericaNorth America	
Filler / Reinforcement	 Glass Fiber, 33% Filler by Weight 	t	
Additive	• Lubricant	 Mold Release 	
Features	 Chemical Resistant Creep Resistant Fast Molding Cycle Good Dimensional Stability Good Stiffness High Flow 	 High Stiffness High Strength Hot Water Moldability Low Moisture Absorption Lubricated	
Uses	 Automotive Applications Automotive Electronics Automotive Under the Hood Bobbins/Spools Camera Applications Cell Phones Connectors 	 Electrical/Electronic Applications General Purpose Industrial Applications Industrial Parts Lawn & Garden Equipment Machine/Mechanical Parts Metal Replacement 	
RoHS Compliance	RoHS Compliant	·	
Appearance	• Black	 Natural Color 	
Forms	• Pellets		
Processing Method	Water-Heated Mold Injection Molding		
Physical	Турісс	al Value Unit	Test method
Density		1.46 g/cm³	ISO 1183/A
Molding Shrinkage			ASTM D955
Flow		0.50 %	
Across Flow		1.0 %	
Water Absorption (24 hr)		0.26 %	ASTM D570

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Mechanical	Typical Value	Unit	Test method
Tensile Modulus	12000	MPa	ISO 527-1
Tensile Stress (Break)	180	MPa	ISO 527-2
Tensile Strain (Break)	1.8	%	ISO 527-2
Flexural Modulus	11000	MPa	ISO 178
Flexural Stress	255	MPa	ISO 178
Impact	Typical Value	Unit	Test method
Charpy Notched Impact Strength	8.2	kJ/m²	ISO 179/1eA
Notched Izod Impact Strength	8.4	kJ/m²	ISO 180/1A
Unnotched Izod Impact Strength	40	kJ/m²	ISO 180/1U
Thermal	Typical Value	Unit	Test method
Deflection Temperature Under Load			ISO 75-2/A
1.8 MPa, Unannealed	310	°C	
Melting Temperature (DSC)	327	°C	ISO 3146
CLTE			ASTM E831
Flow: 0 to 90°C	2.0E-5	cm/cm/°C	
Flow: 150 to 250°C	1.4E-5	cm/cm/°C	
Transverse: 0 to 90°C	6.3E-5	cm/cm/°C	
Transverse : 150 to 250°C	1.5E-4	cm/cm/°C	
Electrical	Typical Value	Unit	Test method
Surface Resistivity	1.0E+16	ohms	ASTM D257
Volume Resistivity	1.0E+15	ohms·cm	ASTM D257
Dielectric Strength	19	kV/mm	ASTM D149
Dielectric Constant			ASTM D150
60 Hz	3.90		
1 MHz	3.70		
Dissipation Factor			ASTM D150
60 Hz	6.0E-3		
1 MHz	0.016		
High Amp Arc Ignition (HAI)	PLC 0		UL 746A
High Voltage Arc Resistance to Ignition (HVAR)	PLC 0		UL 746A
High Voltage Arc Tracking Rate (HVTR)	PLC 0		UL 746A
Hot-wire Ignition (HWI)	PLC 1		UL 746A
Flammability	Typical Value	Unit	Test method
Flame Rating ¹ (0.8 mm)	HB		UL 94
Glow Wire Flammability Index	800	°C	IEC 60695-2-12
Glow Wire Ignition Temperature	800	°C	IEC 60695-2-13

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Injection	Typical Value Unit	
Drying Temperature	120 °C	
Drying Time	4.0 hr	
Suggested Max Moisture	0.030 to 0.060 %	
Rear Temperature	318 to 324 °C	
Front Temperature	327 to 332 °C	
Processing (Melt) Temp	329 to 343 °C	
Mold Temperature	66 to 93 °C	

Injection Notes

Injection Pressure: 3 to 4 in/sec

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 Amodel® compounds are shipped in moisture-resistant packages at moisture levels according to specifications. Sealed, undamaged bags should be preferably stored in a dry room at a maximum temperature of 50°C (122°F) and should be protected from possible damage. If only a portion of a package is used, the remaining material should be transferred into a sealable container. It is recommended that Amodel® resins be dried prior to molding following the recommendations found in this datasheet and/or in the Amodel® processing guide.

Notes

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

¹ These flammability ratings are not intended to reflect hazards presented by these or any other materials under actual fire conditions.

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