Product Information

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® HR5315HF is a 15% glass reinforced PBT with high flow (HF), moderately toughened, hydrolysis resistant (HR) resin. Excellent balance of properties between terminal pullout and impact resistance. Developed for USCAR Class 3 and 4 environments.

General information	Value	Unit	Test Standard	
Resin Identification	PBT-IGF15	-	ISO 1043	
Part Marking Code	PBT-IGF15	-	ISO 11469	
Rheological properties	Value	Unit	Test Standard	
Melt volume-flow rate	12	cm ³ /10min	ISO 1133	
Temperature	250	°C	ISO 1133	
Load	2.16	kg	ISO 1133	
Viscosity number	95	cm³/g	ISO 307, 1157, 1628	
Molding shrinkage, parallel	0.5	%	ISO 294-4, 2577	
Molding shrinkage, normal	1.1	%	ISO 294-4, 2577	
Flow length	430	mm	-	
Flow length - pressure	80	MPa	-	
Flow length - width/thickness	2	mm	-	
Mechanical properties	Value	Unit	Test Standard	
Tensile Modulus	5200	MPa	ISO 527-1/-2	
Stress at break	95	MPa	ISO 527-1/-2	
Strain at break	3.3	%	ISO 527-1/-2	
Flexural Modulus	4700	MPa	ISO 178	
Flexural Strength	150	MPa	ISO 178	
Tensile creep modulus			ISO 899-1	
1h	5000	MPa		
1000h	4200	MPa		
Charpy impact strength			ISO 179/1eU	
73°F	60	kJ/m²		
-22°F	30	kJ/m²		
Charpy notched impact strength			ISO 179/1eA	
73°F	10	kJ/m²		
-22°F	7	kJ/m²		
Izod notched impact strength			ISO 180/1A	
73°F	10	kJ/m²		
-22°F	10	kJ/m²		
-40° F	6	kJ/m²		
Izod impact strength			ISO 180/1U	
73°F	45	kJ/m²		
-22°F	40	kJ/m²		
-40° F	30	kJ/m²		
Hardness, Rockwell, R-scale	115	-	ISO 2039-2	

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Thermal properties	Value	Unit	Test Standard
Melting temperature, 18°F/min	225	°C	ISO 11357-1/-3
Glass transition temperature, 18°F/min	65	°C	ISO 11357-1/-2
Temp. of deflection under load			ISO 75-1/-2
260 psi	200	°C	
65 psi	220	°C	
Coeff. of linear therm. expansion, parallel	41	E-6/K	ISO 11359-1/-2
Coeff. of linear therm. expansion, normal		E-6/K	ISO 11359-1/-2
Thermal conductivity of melt	0.26	W/(m K)	-
Spec. heat capacity of melt		J/(kg K)	-
Flammability	Value		Test Standard
Burning Behav. at 60mil nom. thickn.		class	IEC 60695-11-10
Thickness tested		mm	IEC 60695-11-10
Oxygen index	20	%	ISO 4589-1/-2
Glow Wire Flammability Index, 120mil	700	°C	IEC 60695-2-1/2
FMVSS Class	В		ISO 3795 (FMVSS 302)
Burning rate, Thickness 1 mm		mm/min	ISO 3795 (FMVSS 302)
Electrical properties	Value		Test Standard
Relative permittivity	ratac	Oilic	IEC 60250
100Hz	3.8	_	120 00230
1MHz	3.6	-	
Dissipation factor	3.0		IEC 60250
100Hz	100	F-4	126 00230
1MHz	100		
Volume resistivity	>1E13		IEC 60093
Surface resistivity	1E13		IEC 60093
Electric strength	42		IEC 60243-1
Comparative tracking index	350	-	IEC 60112
Other properties	Value		Test Standard
Humidity absorption, 80mil	0.15		Sim. to ISO 62
Water absorption, 80mil	0.13		Sim. to ISO 62
Density		kg/m³	ISO 1183
Density Density of melt		kg/m³	-
Injection	Value		- Test Standard
Drying Recommended			-
Drying Temperature	yes 120	°C	-
Drying Time, Dehumidified Dryer	2 - 4		<u> </u>
Processing Moisture Content	≤0.04	%	
Melt Temperature Optimum	250	°C	
Min. melt temperature		°C	
Max. melt temperature	240 260	°C	
		°C	
Mold Temperature Optimum Min. mold temperature	80	°C	
	30	°C	-
Max. mold temperature	130	MPa	
Hold pressure range	≥60		
Hold pressure time	3 A. Jawasa masibla	s/mm	<u> </u>
Back pressure	As low as possible	° C	<u> </u>
Ejection temperature	170	°C	-

Characteristics				
Processing	 Injection Molding 			
Delivery form	 Pellets 			
Additives	 Release agent 			
Regional Availability	 North America 	Asia Pacific	 Near East/Africa 	
	• Europe	 South and Central America 	 Global 	

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Processing Texts

Injection molding

Use of hot-runners is possible with Crastin® HR resins.

However we do not recommend temperature settings above 270°C

and residence times at 265°C should be below 10 minutes.

In case of longer residence times using hot-runners, for example after a shut-down,

the complete system must be purged with glass reinforced Crastin® (type SK602/605) before starting up again.

For successful processing of Crastin® HR with hot-runners, care should be taken

to maintain a uniform temperature, avoid hot-spots and long residence times.

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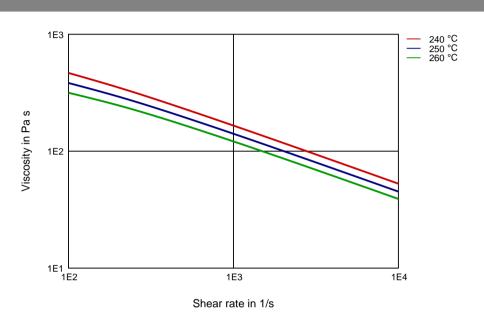
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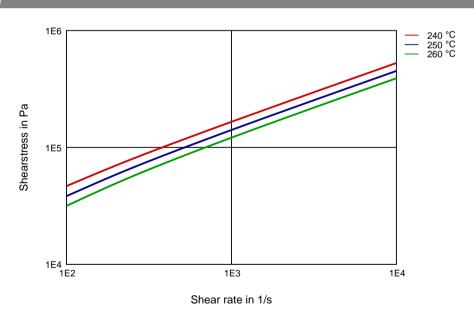


Diagrams

Viscosity-shear rate



Shearstress-shear rate



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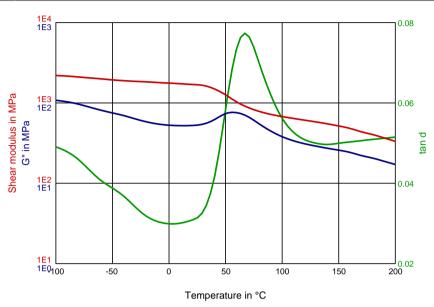
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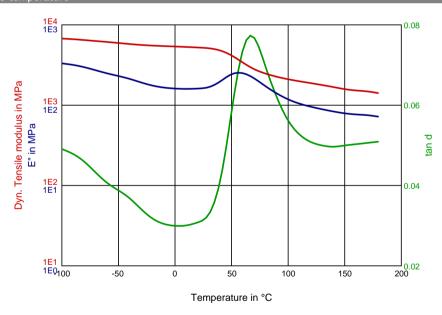
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Dynamic Shear modulus-temperature



Dynamic Tensile modulus-temperature



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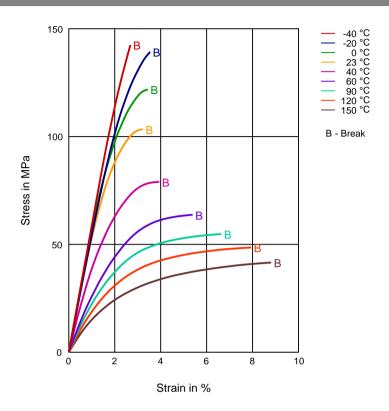
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Stress-strain



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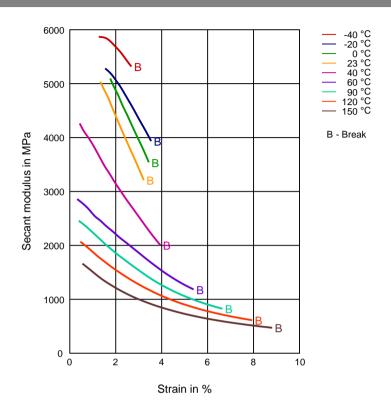
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Secant modulus-strain



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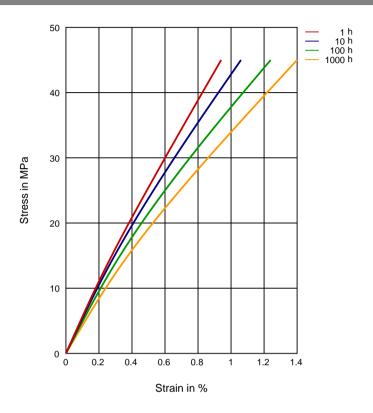
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Stress-strain (isochronous) 23°C



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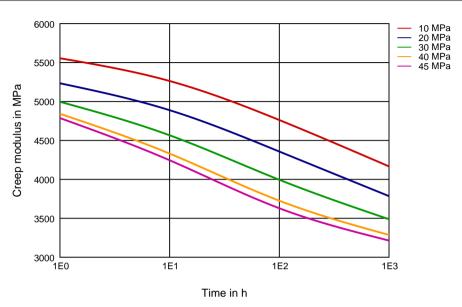
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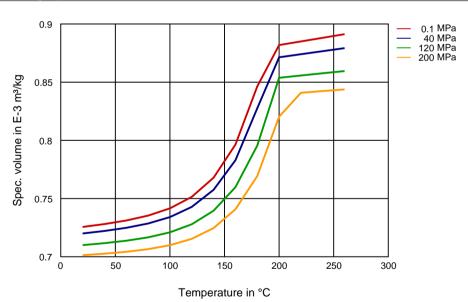
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Creep modulus-time 23°C



Specific volume-temperature (pvT)



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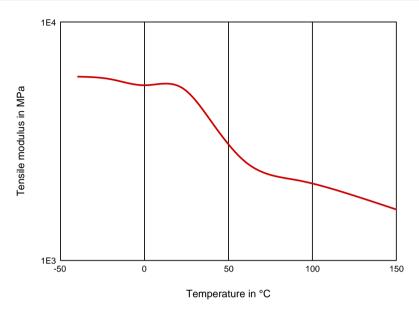
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Tensile modulus-temperature



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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)

Hydrochloric Acid (36% by mass) (23°C)

Nitric Acid (40% by mass) (23°C)

Sulfuric Acid (38% by mass) (23°C)

Sulfuric Acid (5% by mass) (23°C)

Chromic Acid solution (40% by mass) (23°C)

Bases

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)

SAE 10W40 multigrade motor oil (130°C)

SAE 80/90 hypoid-gear oil (130°C)

Insulating Oil (23°C)

Standard Fuels

ISO 1817 Liquid 1 - E5 (60°C)

ISO 1817 Liquid 2 - M15E4 (60°C)

ISO 1817 Liquid 3 - M3E7 (60°C)

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)

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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)

Ethyl Acetate (23°C)

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)



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).

Contact DuPont for Material Safety Data Sheet, general guides and/or additional information about ventilation, handling, purging, drying, etc. ISO Mechanical properties measured at 160 mil (Hytrel® measured at 80 mil), IEC Electrical properties measured at 80 mil, all ASTM properties measured at 120 mil, and test temperatures are 73°F unless otherwise stated.

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