

IUPITAL® ACETAL COPOLYMER

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IUPITAL® FV30

IUPITAL® FV30 is an antistatic low viscosity (high melt flow) grade in the Iupital® range and is well suited for extremely intricate or "difficult to fill" injection moulding applications also requiring antistatic properties. Typical antistatic applications include VTR/audio spool reels and guides, calculator keypads, automotive interior speaker grilles and speedometer gearing.

Note: The letters "UV" or "W" indicate UV stabilisation has been added [ie: lupital® FV30-W].

			TYPICAL	TESTING
	<u>CONDITIONS</u>	<u>UNITS</u>	<u>VALUES</u>	<u>METHODS</u>
1. Mechanical Properties				
Notched Izod Impact Strength	12.7 x 3.2 mm	J/m	54	ASTM D256
Tensile Strength	12.7 x 3.2 mm @ 20 mm/min	MPa	61.8	ASTM D638
Elongation to Fail	12.7 x 3.2 mm @ 20 mm/min	%	50	ASTM D638
Flexural Strength	12.7 x 6.4 mm @ 2.8 mm/min	MPa	90.2	ASTM D790
Flexural Modulus	12.7 x 6.4 mm @ 2.8 mm/min	MPa	2840	ASTM D790
Shear Strength	2.0 mm	MPa	54.9	ASTM D732
Tensile Impact Strength	1.6 mm	kJ/m²	98	ASTM D1822
2. Thermal Properties				
Heat Deflection Temperature	12.7 x 6.4 mm @ 1.82 MPa	°C	110	ASTM D648
	12.7 x 6.4 mm @ 0.46 MPa	°C	158	ASTM D648
Melting Temperature		°C	165	DSC
Coefficient of Linear Thermal Expansion		cm/cm/°C	13 exp-5	ASTM D696
4. Physical Properties				
Melt Flow Rate	190°C, 2.16 kg	g/10 min	31	ASTM D1238
Specific Gravity		-	1.41	ASTM D792
Rockwell Hardness		M	80	ASTM D785
UL Flammability	0.8 mm	Rating	HB	UL 94
Water Absorption	24 hours	%	0.22	ASTM D570
Reinforcement Level		%	-	n/a
Mould Shrinkage	3.0 x Ø100 mm disc	%	2.0±0.4	ASTM D955

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TYPICAL PROCESSING CONDITIONS

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The following typical guidelines are offered as initial processing conditions for IUPITAL® FV30 In practice, processing parameters may need to be varied to give commercially acceptable performance in conjunction with optimum physical properties. For specific technical advice on part design or processing conditions, contact the Marplex Technical Service Department.

Temperature of pellet bed in dehumidifying drier 80 - 90 °C

Minimum drying time at desired pellet bed temp 2 - 3 hours

Mould temperature 50 - 90 °C

Nozzle temperature Do not exceed stock

temperature

Stock temperature 190 - 210 °C

Cylinder temperatures Rear 165 - 185 °C

Middle 175 - 195 °C

Front 185 - 205 °C

Fill speed Medium - Fast

Screw speed 40 - 60 rpm

Screw back pressure 0.1 - 0.5 MPa

Injection pressure 60 - 130 MPa

Clamp pressure 3 - 5 kN/cm²

Comment(s):

- 1 Cleanliness of the dryer, machine hopper and machine screw/barrel/nozzle assembly are essential for processing lupital® Polyacetal and producing contamination free moulded components.
- 2 Iupital® Polyacetal is not compatible during moulding with other polymers.
- It is suggested that the pre-drying, moulding die and material temperatures are manually confirmed using a hand held temperature measuring device.

Conversions: 1 MPa = 145 psi

= 10.2 kg/cm²

= 10 bar

 $^{\circ}$ C = 5($^{\circ}$ F-32)/9

 $1 \text{ kN/cm}^2 = 0.65 \text{ ton/in}^2$