

Covestro - Polycarbonates - Polycarbonate

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General Information

Product Description

MVR (300°C/1.2 kg) 19 cm³/10 min; general purpose; low viscosity; UV stabilized; easy release; injection molding - melt temperature 280 - 320°C; available in transparent, translucent and opaque colors

General			
Material Status	Commercial: Active		
Regional Availability	 Africa & Middle East Asia Pacific	EuropeLatin America	North America
Additive	 UV Stabilizer 		
Features	General PurposeGood Mold Release	Low ViscosityUV Stabilized	
Uses	 General Purpose 		
RoHS Compliance	 RoHS Compliant 		
Appearance	Clear/TransparentColors Available	OpaqueTranslucent	
Processing Method	 Injection Molding 		
ISO Shortname	 ISO 7391-PC,MLR,(,,)-18- 	9	

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Physical	Typical Value	(English)	Typical Value	(SI)	Test Method
Density (73°F (23°C))	1.20	g/cm³	1.20	g/cm³	ISO 1183
Apparent (Bulk) Density ²	0.66	g/cm³	0.66	g/cm³	ISO 60
Melt Mass-Flow Rate (MFR) (300°C/1.2 kg)	20	g/10 min	20	g/10 min	ISO 1133
Melt Volume-Flow Rate (MVR) (300°C/1.2 kg)	19	cm ³ /10min	19	cm³/10min	ISO 1133
Molding Shrinkage					
Across Flow	0.50 to 0.70	%	0.50 to 0.70	%	ISO 2577
Flow	0.50 to 0.70	%	0.50 to 0.70	%	ISO 2577
Across Flow : 536°F (280°C), 0.0787 in (2.00 mm) ³	0.70	%	0.70	%	ISO 294-4
Flow: 0.0787 in (2.00 mm) ³	0.65	%	0.65	%	ISO 294-4
Water Absorption					ISO 62
Saturation, 73°F (23°C)	0.30	%	0.30	%	
Equilibrium, 73°F (23°C), 50% RH	0.12	%	0.12	%	
Mechanical	Typical Value	(English)	Typical Value	(SI)	Test Method
Tensile Modulus (73°F (23°C))	348000	psi	2400	MPa	ISO 527-1/1

Mechanical	Typical Value (English)	Typical Value (SI)	Test Method
Tensile Modulus (73°F (23°C))	348000 psi	2400 MPa	ISO 527-1/1
Tensile Stress			ISO 527-2/50
Yield, 73°F (23°C)	9570 psi	66.0 MPa	
Break, 73°F (23°C)	9430 psi	65.0 MPa	

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Mechanical	Typical Value	(English)	Typical Value	(SI)	Test Method
Tensile Strain					ISO 527-2/50
Yield, 73°F (23°C)	6.0	%	6.0	%	
Break, 73°F (23°C)	120	%	120	%	
Nominal Tensile Strain at Break					ISO 527-2/50
73°F (23°C)	> 50	%	> 50	%	
Tensile Creep Modulus					ISO 899-1
1 hr	319000	psi	2200	MPa	
1000 hr	276000	psi	1900	MPa	
Flexural Modulus ⁴ (73°F (23°C))	341000	psi	2350	MPa	ISO 178
Flexural Stress ⁴					ISO 178
73°F (23°C)	14200	psi	98.0	MPa	
3.5% Strain, 73°F (23°C)	10700	psi	74.0	MPa	
Flexural Strain at Flexural Strength ⁵					ISO 178
73°F (23°C)	7.0	%	7.0	%	
Films	Typical Value		Typical Value		Test Method
Water Vapor Transmission Rate	7.	,	3. • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	. ,	ISO 15106-1
73°F (23°C), 85% RH, 3.9 mil (100 μm)	0.97	g/100 in²/24 hr	15	g/m²/24 hr	
Carbon Dioxide Permeability		-		-	ISO 2556
73°F (23°C), 1.0 mil (25.4 μm)	18900	cm³/m²/bar/24 hr	18900	cm³/m²/bar/24 hr	
Gas Permeation					ISO 2556
Carbon Dioxide : 3.9 mil (100.0 µm)	4800	cm³/m²/bar/24 hr	4800	cm³/m²/bar/24 hr	
Nitrogen : 1.0 mil (25.4 μm)	630	cm³/m²/bar/24 hr	630	cm³/m²/bar/24 hr	
Nitrogen : 3.9 mil (100.0 µm)	160	cm³/m²/bar/24 hr	160	cm³/m²/bar/24 hr	
Oxygen : 1.0 mil (25.4 µm)	3150	cm³/m²/bar/24 hr	3150	cm³/m²/bar/24 hr	
Oxygen : 3.9 mil (100.0 µm)	800	cm³/m²/bar/24 hr	800	cm³/m²/bar/24 hr	
mpact	Typical Value	(English)	Typical Value	(SI)	Test Method
Charpy Notched Impact Strength ⁶					ISO 179/1eA
-22°F (-30°C), Complete Break	6.7	ft·lb/in²	14	kJ/m²	
73°F (23°C), Partial Break	31	ft·lb/in²	65	kJ/m²	
Charpy Unnotched Impact Strength					ISO 179/1eU
-76°F (-60°C)	No Break		No Break		
-22°F (-30°C)	No Break		No Break		
73°F (23°C)	No Break		No Break		
Notched Izod Impact Strength ⁶					ISO 180/A
-22°F (-30°C), Complete Break	5.7	ft·lb/in²	12	kJ/m²	
73°F (23°C), Partial Break		ft·lb/in²		kJ/m²	
Multi-Axial Instrumented Impact Energy					ISO 6603-2
-22°F (-30°C)	47.9	ft·lb	65.0	J	
73°F (23°C)	40.6	ft·lb	55.0	J	
Multi-Axial Instrumented Impact Peak Force					ISO 6603-2
-22°F (-30°C)	1350	lbf	6000	N	
73°F (23°C)	1150	lhf	5100	N	

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Hardness	Typical Value	(English)	Typical Value	(SI)	Test Method
Ball Indentation Hardness	16800	psi	116	MPa	ISO 2039-1
Thermal	Typical Value	(English)	Typical Value	(SI)	Test Method
Deflection Temperature Under Load					
66 psi (0.45 MPa), Unannealed	277	°F	136	°C	ISO 75-2/B
264 psi (1.8 MPa), Unannealed	255	°F	124	°C	ISO 75-2/A
Glass Transition Temperature ⁷	289	°F	143	°C	ISO 11357-2
Vicat Softening Temperature					
	293	°F	145	°C	ISO 306/B120
	289	°F	143	°C	ISO 306/B50
Ball Pressure Test (275°F (135°C))	Pass		Pass		IEC 60695-10-2
CLTE					ISO 11359-2
Flow: 73 to 131°F (23 to 55°C)	3.6E-5	in/in/°F	6.5E-5	cm/cm/°C	
Transverse : 73 to 131°F (23 to 55°C)	3.6E-5	in/in/°F	6.5E-5	cm/cm/°C	
Thermal Conductivity ⁸ (73°F (23°C))	1.4	Btu·in/hr/ft²/°F	0.20	W/m/K	ISO 8302
RTI Elec (0.06 in (1.5 mm))	257	°F	125	°C	UL 746B
RTI Imp (0.06 in (1.5 mm))	239		115		UL 746B
RTI Str (0.06 in (1.5 mm))	257		125		UL 746B
Electrical	Typical Value		Typical Value		Test Method
Surface Resistivity	1.0E+16	· · ·	1.0E+16		IEC 60093
Volume Resistivity (73°F (23°C))		ohms·cm		ohms·cm	IEC 60093
Electric Strength					IEC 60243-1
73°F (23°C), 0.0394 in (1.00 mm)	860	V/mil	34	kV/mm	
Relative Permittivity					IEC 60250
73°F (23°C), 100 Hz	3.10		3.10		0 00_00
73°F (23°C), 1 MHz	3.00		3.00		
Dissipation Factor	0.00		0.00		IEC 60250
73°F (23°C), 100 Hz	5.0E-4		5.0E-4		120 00200
73°F (23°C), 1 MHz	9.0E-3		9.0E-3		
Comparative Tracking Index	0.02 0		0.02 0		IEC 60112
Solution A	250	V	250	V	120 00112
Solution B	125		125		
Flammability	Typical Value		Typical Value		Test Method
Flame Rating	.,,,	(=ge)	.,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	(0.)	UL 94
0.11 in (2.7 mm)	НВ		НВ		0201
0.030 in (0.75 mm)	V-2		V-2		
Glow Wire Flammability Index	V-Z		V-Z		IEC 60695-2-12
0.030 in (0.75 mm)	1560	°F	850	°C	120 00000-2-12
0.06 in (0.75 mm)	1610		875		
0.12 in (3.0 mm)	1710		930		
Glow Wire Ignition Temperature	.,, 10	-	300		IEC 60695-2-13
0.030 in (0.75 mm)	1610	°F	875	°C	10
0.04 in (0.75 mm)	1610		875		
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0.06 in (1.5 mm)	1610	°F	875	°(:	

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Flammability	Typical Value	(English)	Typical Value	(SI)	Test Method
Oxygen Index ⁹	27	%	27	%	ISO 4589-2
Application of Flame from Small Burner ¹⁰					DIN 53438-1, -3
78.7 mil (2.00 mm)	K1, F1		K1, F1		
Burning Rate ¹¹ (> 39.4 mil (> 1.00 mm))	passed		passed		ISO 3795
Flash Ignition Temperature	896	°F	480	°C	ASTM D1929
Needle Flame Test					IEC 60695-11-5
59.1 mil (1.50 mm) ¹²	5.0	sec	5.0	sec	
59.1 mil (1.50 mm) ¹³	60.0	sec	60.0	sec	
78.7 mil (2.00 mm) ¹²	5.0	sec	5.0	sec	
78.7 mil (2.00 mm) ¹³	120.0	sec	120.0	sec	
0.12 in (3.00 mm) ¹²	10.0	sec	10.0	sec	
0.12 in (3.00 mm) ¹³	120.0	sec	120.0	sec	
Self Ignition Temperature	1022	°F	550	°C	ASTM D1929
Optical	Typical Value	(English)	Typical Value	(SI)	Test Method
Refractive Index ¹⁴	1.584		1.584		ISO 489
Light Transmittance					ISO 13468-2
39.37 mil (1000 μm)	89.0	%	89.0	%	
78.74 mil (2000 µm)	89.0	%	89.0	%	
118.1 mil (3000 μm)	88.0	%	88.0	%	
157.5 mil (4000 μm)	87.0	%	87.0	%	
Haze (118.1 mil (3000 μm))	< 0.800	%	< 0.800	%	ISO 14782
Additional Information	Typical Value	(English)	Typical Value	(SI)	Test Method
Electrolytical Corrosion (73°F (23°C))	A1		A1		IEC 60426

Processing Information				
Injection	Typical Value	(English)	Typical Value	(SI)
Drying Temperature - Dry Air Dryer	248	°F	120	°C
Drying Time - Dry Air Dryer	2.0 to 3.0	hr	2.0 to 3.0	hr
Suggested Max Moisture	< 0.020	%	< 0.020	%
Suggested Shot Size	30 to 70	%	30 to 70	%
Rear Temperature	482 to 500	°F	250 to 260	°C
Middle Temperature	518 to 536	°F	270 to 280	°C
Front Temperature	536 to 554	°F	280 to 290	°C
Nozzle Temperature	554 to 572	°F	290 to 300	°C
Processing (Melt) Temp	536 to 608	°F	280 to 320	°C
Mold Temperature	176 to 248	°F	80 to 120	°C
Back Pressure	725 to 2180	psi	5.00 to 15.0	MPa
Vent Depth	9.8E-4 to 3.0E-3	in	0.025 to 0.075	mm
Injection Notes				

Standard Melt Temperature: 300°C

Hold Pressure (% of Injection Pressure): 50 - 75%

Peripheral Screw Speed: 0.05 - 0.2 m/s

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Notes

¹ Typical properties: these are not to be construed as specifications.
² Pellets
³ 60x60x2mm, 500 bar
⁴ 0.079 in/min (2.0 mm/min)
⁵ 2.0 mm/min
⁶ 3 mm
⁷ 10°C/min
⁸ Across Flow
⁹ Procedure A
¹⁰ Method K and F
¹¹ US-FMVSS
¹² Method K
¹³ Method F
14 Method A

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