

# K-Resin® KR01

## INEOS Styrolution - Styrene Butadiene Block Copolymer

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### **General Information**

#### **Product Description**

K-Resin® KR01 process very well in injection molding, providing good cycle times and design flexibility. Applications range from containers and packaging with living hinges to medical applications, toys, displays, overcaps and hangers. INEOS Styrolution has several grades of KResin® SBC tailored for your injection molded needs.

#### **FEATURES**

- · Excellent Clarity
- Good Stiffness
- · Good Toughness
- · High Surface Gloss
- · Warpage Resistance

#### **APPLICATIONS**

- · Display Housings
- · Medical Devices
- Toys
- · Molded Boxes

General			
Material Status	Commercial: Active		
Regional Availability	<ul><li> Africa &amp; Middle East</li><li> Asia Pacific</li></ul>	<ul><li>Europe</li><li>Latin America</li></ul>	North America
Features	<ul><li>Block Copolymer</li><li>Good Processability</li><li>Good Stiffness</li></ul>	<ul><li> Good Toughness</li><li> High Clarity</li><li> High Gloss</li></ul>	Warp Resistant
Uses	<ul><li>Containers</li><li>Displays</li></ul>	<ul><li> Housings</li><li> Medical Devices</li></ul>	<ul><li>Medical/Healthcare Applications</li><li>Toys</li></ul>
Appearance	<ul> <li>Clear/Transparent</li> </ul>		
Forms	• Pellets		
Processing Method	<ul> <li>Injection Molding</li> </ul>		

ASTM & ISO Properties <sup>1</sup>					
Physical	Typical Value	(English)	Typical Value	(SI)	Test Method
Density	1.01	g/cm³	1.01	g/cm³	ISO 1183
Melt Volume-Flow Rate (MVR) (200°C/5.0 kg)	8.0	cm³/10min	8.0	cm³/10min	ISO 1133
Molding Shrinkage	0.30 to 1.0	%	0.30 to 1.0	%	ISO 294-4
Water Absorption					ISO 62
Equilibrium, 73°F (23°C), 50% RH	0.070	%	0.070	%	

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Mechanical	Typical Value	(English)	Typical Value	(SI)	Test Method
Tensile Modulus	232000	psi	1600	MPa	ISO 527-1
Tensile Stress					
Yield, 73°F (23°C)	4790	psi	33.0	MPa	ISO 527-2/1/50
Break, 73°F (23°C)	3480	psi	24.0	MPa	ISO 527-2
Tensile Strain (Break, 73°F (23°C))	15	%	15	%	ISO 527-2/1/50
Flexural Modulus <sup>2</sup>					ISO 178
73°F (23°C), 0.125 in (3.18 mm)	218000	psi	1500	MPa	
Flexural Stress <sup>2</sup>					ISO 178
73°F (23°C), 0.125 in (3.18 mm)	6530	psi	45.0	MPa	
Impact	Typical Value	(English)	Typical Value	(SI)	Test Method
Charpy Notched Impact Strength (73°F (23°C))	0.71	ft·lb/in²	1.5	kJ/m²	ISO 179/1eA
Charpy Unnotched Impact Strength					ISO 179/1eU
73°F (23°C)	14	ft·lb/in²	30	kJ/m²	
Notched Izod Impact Strength (73°F (23°C))	1.4	ft·lb/in²	3.0	kJ/m²	ISO 180/A
Hardness	Typical Value	(English)	Typical Value	(SI)	Test Method
Shore Hardness (Shore D)	70		70		ISO 868
Thermal	Typical Value	(English)	Typical Value	(SI)	Test Method
Deflection Temperature Under Load					
66 psi (0.45 MPa), Unannealed	172	°F	78.0	°C	ISO 75-2/B
264 psi (1.8 MPa), Unannealed	149	°F	65.0	°C	ISO 75-2/A
Vicat Softening Temperature					
	149	°F	65.0	°C	ISO 306/B50
<del></del>	203	°F	95.0	°C	ISO 306/A120
Optical	Typical Value	(English)	Typical Value	(SI)	Test Method
Light Transmittance (550 nm)	92.0	%	92.0	%	ASTM D1003
Haze	< 1.00	%	< 1.00	%	ASTM D1003

Processing Information					
Injection	Typical Value (English)	Typical Value (SI)			
Processing (Melt) Temp	356 to 464 °F	180 to 240 °C			
Mold Temperature	86 to 122 °F	30 to 50 °C			

### Notes

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Typical properties: these are not to be construed as specifications.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 0.50 in/min (13 mm/min)