

Product Information

Common features of Delrin® acetal resins include mechanical and physical properties such as high mechanical strength and rigidity, excellent fatigue and impact resistance, as well as resistance to moisture, gasoline, lubricants, solvents, and many other neutral chemicals. Delrin® acetal resins also have excellent dimensional stability and good electrical insulating characteristics. They are naturally resilient, self-lubricating, and available in a variety of colors and speciality grades.

Delrin® acetal resin typically is used in demanding applications in the automotive, domestic appliances, sports, industrial engineering, electronics, and consumer goods industries.

General information	Value	Unit	Test Standard
Resin Identification	POM	-	ISO 1043
Part Marking Code	POM	-	ISO 11469
Rheological properties	Value	Unit	Test Standard
Melt volume-flow rate	13	cm ³ /10min	ISO 1133
Temperature	190	°C	ISO 1133
Load	2.16	kg	ISO 1133
Melt mass-flow rate	15	g/10min	ISO 1133
Melt mass-flow rate, Temperature	190	°C	ISO 1133
Melt mass-flow rate, Load	2.16	kg	ISO 1133
Molding shrinkage, parallel	2.0	%	ISO 294-4, 2577
Molding shrinkage, normal	1.9	%	ISO 294-4, 2577
Mechanical properties	Value	Unit	Test Standard
Tensile Modulus	3200	MPa	ISO 527-1/-2
Yield stress	73	MPa	ISO 527-1/-2
Yield strain	15	%	ISO 527-1/-2
Nominal strain at break	30	%	ISO 527-1/-2
Flexural Modulus	3100	MPa	ISO 178
Flexural Stress at 3.5%	85	MPa	ISO 178
Charpy impact strength			ISO 179/1eU
73°F	270	kJ/m ²	
-22°F	250	kJ/m ²	
Charpy notched impact strength, 73°F	7	kJ/m ²	ISO 179/1eA
Hardness, Rockwell, M-scale	92.4	-	ISO 2039-2
Hardness, Rockwell, R-scale	121	-	ISO 2039-2
Thermal properties	Value	Unit	Test Standard
Melting temperature, 18°F/min	178	°C	ISO 11357-1/-3
Temp. of deflection under load			ISO 75-1/-2
260 psi	94	°C	
65 psi	160	°C	
Vicat softening temperature, 90°F, 2 lbf	174	°C	ISO 306
Coeff. of linear therm. expansion, parallel	110	E-6/K	ISO 11359-1/-2
Coeff. of linear therm. expansion, normal	110	E-6/K	ISO 11359-1/-2
Flammability	Value	Unit	Test Standard
FMVSS Class	B	-	ISO 3795 (FMVSS 302)
Burning rate, Thickness 1 mm	<100	mm/min	ISO 3795 (FMVSS 302)
Other properties	Value	Unit	Test Standard
Humidity absorption, 80mil	0.2	%	Sim. to ISO 62
Water absorption, 80mil	1.2	%	Sim. to ISO 62
Density	1420	kg/m ³	ISO 1183
Density of melt	1160	kg/m ³	-
VDA Properties	Value	Unit	Test Standard
Light stability delta l	-0.9	-	DIN 53236
Light stability delta a	-0.3	-	DIN 53236
Light stability delta b	-0.4	-	DIN 53236



Light stability delta E	1	-	DIN 53236
Light stability grey scale	4	-	ISO 105-A02
Emissions	<2	mg/kg	VDA 275
Injection	Value	Unit	Test Standard
Drying Recommended	yes	-	-
Drying Temperature	≥80	°C	-
Drying Time, Dehumidified Dryer	2 - 4	h	-
Processing Moisture Content	≤0.2	%	-
Melt Temperature Optimum	205	°C	-
Min. melt temperature	200	°C	-
Max. melt temperature	210	°C	-
Mold Temperature Optimum	90	°C	-
Min. mold temperature	80	°C	-
Max. mold temperature	100	°C	-
Hold pressure range	80 - 100	MPa	-
Hold pressure time	8	s/mm	-
Annealing time, optional	30	min/mm	-
Annealing temperature	160	°C	-

Characteristics			
Processing	• Injection Molding		
Delivery form	• Pellets		
Additives	• Release agent		
Special characteristics	• Light stabilized or stable to light	• U.V. stabilized or stable to weather	
Regional Availability	• North America • Europe	• Asia Pacific • South and Central America	• Near East/Africa • Global

Processing Texts

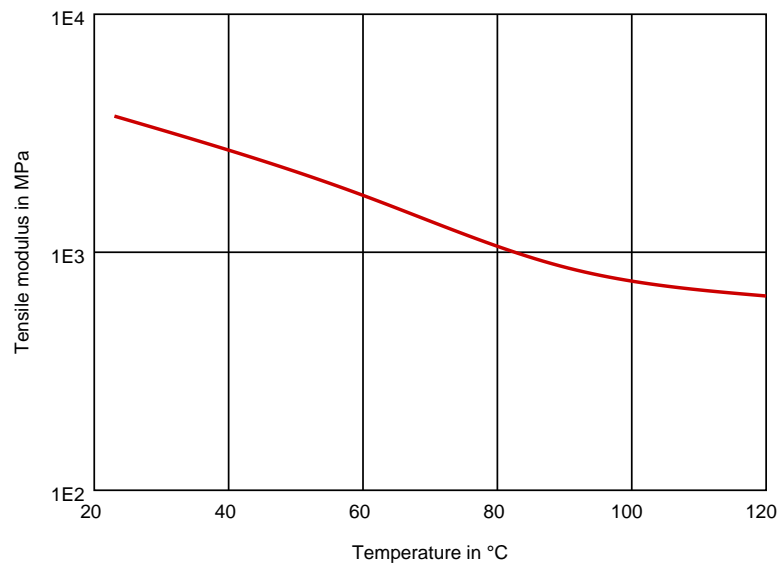
Injection molding

Drying is recommended, but not necessary for newly opened packaging stored in a dry location.

Follow the drying guidelines above in the following cases:

- If moisture is above the Processing Moisture Content recommendation,
- When a resin container is damaged,
- When the material is not properly stored in a dry place at room temperature, or
- When packaging stays open for a significant time.





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)
- ✗ Motor oil OS206 304 Ref.Eng.Oil, ISP (135 °C)
- ✗ Automatic hypoid-gear oil Shell Donax TX (135 °C)
- ✗ Hydraulic oil Pentosin CHF 202 (125 °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)
- ✓ 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)
- ✓ Diesel EN 590 (100 °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)

Other

- ✓ Ethyl Acetate (23 °C)
- ✗ Hydrogen peroxide (23 °C)
- ✗ DOT No. 4 Brake fluid (130 °C)
- ✗ DOT No. 4 Brake fluid (120 °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)
- ✗ Coolant Glysantin G48, 1:1 in water (125 °C)

✓ 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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