

Lexan* Resin 241R

Americas: COMMERCIAL

General purpose polycarbonate with 10.5 MFR and internal mold release.

TYPICAL PROPERTIES 1	TYPICAL VALUE	UNIT	STANDARD
MECHANICAL			
Tensile Stress, yld, Type I, 50 mm/min	62	MPa	ASTM D 638
Tensile Stress, brk, Type I, 50 mm/min	68	MPa	ASTM D 638
Tensile Strain, yld, Type I, 50 mm/min	7	%	ASTM D 638
Tensile Strain, brk, Type I, 50 mm/min	130	%	ASTM D 638
Flexural Stress, yld, 1.3 mm/min, 50 mm span	96	MPa	ASTM D 790
Flexural Modulus, 1.3 mm/min, 50 mm span	2340	MPa	ASTM D 790
Hardness, Rockwell M	70	-	ASTM D 785
Hardness, Rockwell R	118	-	ASTM D 785
Taber Abrasion, CS-17, 1 kg	10	mg/1000cy	ASTM D 1044
IMPACT			
Izod Impact, unnotched, 23°C	3204	J/m	ASTM D 4812
Izod Impact, notched, 23°C	801	J/m	ASTM D 256
Tensile Impact, Type "S"	577	kJ/m²	ASTM D 1822
Falling Dart Impact (D 3029), 23°C	169	J	ASTM D 3029
Instrumented Impact Energy @ peak, 23°C	63	J	ASTM D 3763
THERMAL			
Vicat Softening Temp, Rate B/50	154	°C	ASTM D 1525
HDT, 0.45 MPa, 6.4 mm, unannealed	137	°C	ASTM D 648
HDT, 1.82 MPa, 6.4 mm, unannealed	132	°C	ASTM D 648
CTE, -40°C to 95°C, flow	6.84E-05	1/°C	ASTM E 831
Specific Heat	1.25	J/g-°C	ASTM C 351
Thermal Conductivity	0.27	W/m-°C	ASTM C 177
Relative Temp Index, Elec	130	°C	UL 746B
Relative Temp Index, Mech w/impact	130	°C	UL 746B
Relative Temp Index, Mech w/o impact	130	°C	UL 746B
PHYSICAL			
Specific Gravity	1.2	=	ASTM D 792
Specific Volume	0.83	cm³/g	ASTM D 792

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Specific Volume	0.83	cm³/g	ASTM D 792
Density	1.19	g/cm³	ASTM D 792
Water Absorption, 24 hours	0.15	%	ASTM D 570
Water Absorption, equilibrium, 23C	0.35	%	ASTM D 570
Water Absorption, equilibrium, 100°C	0.58	%	ASTM D 570
Mold Shrinkage, flow, 3.2 mm	0.5 - 0.7	%	GE Method
Melt Flow Rate, 300°C/1.2 kgf	10.5	g/10 min	ASTM D 1238
OPTICAL			
Light Transmission	88	%	ASTM D 1003
Haze	1	%	ASTM D 1003
Refractive Index	1.586	-	ASTM D 542
ELECTRICAL			
Volume Resistivity	>1.E+17	Ohm-cm	ASTM D 257
Dielectric Strength, in air, 3.2 mm	14.9	kV/mm	ASTM D 149
Relative Permittivity, 50/60 Hz	3.17	-	ASTM D 150
Relative Permittivity, 1 MHz	2.96	-	ASTM D 150
Dissipation Factor, 50/60 Hz	0.0009	-	ASTM D 150
Dissipation Factor, 1 MHz	0.01	-	ASTM D 150
Hot Wire Ignition (PLC)	2	PLC Code	UL 746A
High Voltage Arc Track Rate {PLC}	2	PLC Code	UL 746A
High Ampere Arc Ign, surface {PLC}	1	PLC Code	UL 746A
Comparative Tracking Index (UL) {PLC}	2	PLC Code	UL 746A
FLAME CHARACTERISTICS			
UL Recognized, 94V-2 Flame Class Rating (3)	1.09	mm	UL 94
UL Recognized, 94V-0 Flame Class Rating (3)	5.99	mm	UL 94
UV-light, water exposure/immersion	F2	-	UL 746C

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PROCESSING PARAMETERS	TYPICAL VALUE	UNIT	
Injection Molding			
Drying Temperature	120	°C	
Drying Time	3 - 4	hrs	
Drying Time (Cumulative)	48	hrs	
Maximum Moisture Content	0.02	%	
Melt Temperature	295 - 315	°C	
Nozzle Temperature	290 - 310	°C	
Front - Zone 3 Temperature	295 - 315	°C	
Middle - Zone 2 Temperature	280 - 305	°C	
Rear - Zone 1 Temperature	270 - 295	°C	
Mold Temperature	70 - 95	°C	
Back Pressure	0.3 - 0.7	MPa	
Screw Speed	40 - 70	rpm	
Shot to Cylinder Size	40 - 60	%	
Vent Depth	0.025 - 0.076	mm	

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