

# ECOMID<sup>®</sup> ARX H GF15 BK 9011/H

Polyamide 66 compound, 15% glass fibres reinforced, heat stabilized. Based on recycled polymers. *General purpose grade, for any technical use.* 

#### **Product information**

Part Marking Code	> (PA66+PA6)-GF1 (REC50) <	5	ISO 11469
Continuous Service Temperature	(112030) < 125	°C	IEC 60216-1
Rheological properties			
Moulding shrinkage range, parallel Moulding shrinkage range, normal	0.5 - 0.8 0.8 - 1.1		ISO 294-4, 2577 ISO 294-4, 2577
Typical mechanical properties	dry/cond.		
Tensile Modulus Stress at break, 5mm/min Strain at break, 5mm/min Flexural Modulus Flexural Strength Charpy impact strength, 23°C Charpy impact strength, -30°C Charpy notched impact strength, 23°C Charpy notched impact strength, -30°C Izod notched impact strength, -30°C Izod notched impact strength, -30°C Ball indentation hardness, H 358/30	5200/3200 95/65 3/8 5400/- 170/- 30/50 25/- 3.5/5 3/- 4/- 3.5 155	MPa MPa % MPa kJ/m <sup>2</sup> kJ/m <sup>2</sup> kJ/m <sup>2</sup> kJ/m <sup>2</sup> kJ/m <sup>2</sup> kJ/m <sup>2</sup> kJ/m <sup>2</sup>	ISO 527-1/-2 ISO 527-1/-2 ISO 527-1/-2 ISO 178 ISO 179/1eU ISO 179/1eU ISO 179/1eA ISO 179/1eA ISO 180/1A ISO 180/1A ISO 2039-1
Thermal properties Melting temperature, 10°C/min Temp. of deflection under load, 1.8 MPa Vicat softening temperature, 50°C/h, 50N Coeff. of linear therm. expansion, parallel Coeff. of linear therm. expansion, normal		°C	ISO 11357-1/-3 ISO 75-1/-2 ISO 306 ISO 11359-1/-2 ISO 11359-1/-2
Flammability Burning Behav. at thickness h Thickness tested		class mm	UL 94 UL 94

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ISO 1183

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Other	properties
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Humidity absorption, 2mm Water absorption, 2mm Density

### Characteristics

Additives

**Contains Recycle** 

2 %

7 %

1230 kg/m<sup>3</sup>

Additional information Injection molding The following conditions apply to a standard injection molding process. Machine temperatures: barrel 265-290 °C (PA66), 235-270 °C (PA6), nozzle and hot runners up to 300 °C (up to 290 °C products with flame retardants). Mold temperatures: 60-80°C, (80-100°C highly reinforced grades). Back pressure: typically, 5-10 bar (hydraulic pressure). Temperatures exceeding 300°C and long residence time could lead to additives degradation and brittleness of the material. In case of gas generation in the melt, please verify moisture content and processing temperatures. Usage of regrind is possible depending on the molded part characteristics. For further details, please refer to the document 'Instructions for injection molding' or contact our technical support team. **Processing Texts** Injection molding The following conditions apply to a standard injection molding process. Machine temperatures: barrel 265-290 °C (PA66), 235-270 °C (PA6), nozzle and hot runners up to 300°C (up to 290°C products with flame retardants). Mold temperatures: 60-80°C, (80-100°C highly reinforced grades). Back pressure: typically, 5-10 bar (hydraulic pressure). Temperatures exceeding 300 °C and long residence time could lead to additives degradation and brittleness of the material. In case of gas generation in the melt, please verify moisture content and processing temperatures. Usage of regrind is possible depending on the molded part characteristics. For further details, please refer to the document 'Instructions for injection molding' or contact our technical support team. Injection molding Preprocessing PA materials, stocked in a moisture-proof packaging, can be processed without drying; however, it is always recommended drying the product that comes from a large package (e.g. Octabin). The moisture content suggested for the injection molding process should be lower than 0.15%, according to the grade and to the molded part characteristics. The materials containing flame retardants should have moisture content below 0.10%. Red phosphorous containing grades must always be dried below 0.08%. The drying time depends on the moisture content and the drying conditions. Typically, 4-8 hours at 80-90 °C using dehumidified air (dew point of -20°C) are suitable conditions for a starting moisture content of 0.20%-0.40%. Injection molding Postprocessing PA materials reach their final performance with a water content of about 1.5 to







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3.5% by weight, depending on the type. This percentage corresponds to the point of equilibrium between the rates of absorption and desorption of moisture. After molding, in favorable environmental conditions, a part can quickly absorbs moisture up to 0.5-1.0%, while the equilibrium will be reached during its life. A conditioning treatment can accelerate further the initial water absorption of the molded parts. Conditioning is usually carried out in hot and humid environment (for example 50°C, 100% RH), inside climatic chambers. Slight dimensional variations (increase in volume due to the water absorbed) must be considered, especially in unfilled grades. Post-treatments of parts may also include the annealing (60-80°C in oven, up to four hours). This procedure can be useful to relax any internal stresses.

### Other Approvals

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OEM	Specification	Additional Information
VW Group*	VW50133	* best fitting grade to PA66-3-A, not officially approved
VW Group*	VW50127	* best fitting grade to PA66-4, not officially approved

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