

CELANEX® XFR 4842HP (PRELIMINARY)

Halogen-free, flame retardant (UL94 V-0 @0.4mm), unreinforced grade

Celanex XFR 4842HP is an unreinforced, flame retardant PBT grade featuring a halogen and antimony free flame retardant system. It is UL certified to be V-0 at 0.4 mm in all colors. Our proprietary flame retardant system enables a combination of excellent mechanical properties, flame retardant efficiency and processability. The product is WEEE and RoHS compliant.

Product information

Part Marking Code	> PBT FR(30+40) <	ISO 11469
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Rheological properties

Melt mass-flow rate	6.5 g/10min	ISO 1133
Melt mass-flow rate, Temperature	250 °C	
Melt mass-flow rate, Load	2.16 kg	

Typical mechanical properties

Tensile Modulus	3600 MPa	ISO 527-1/-2
Stress at break, 50mm/min	42 MPa	ISO 527-1/-2
Strain at break, 50mm/min	6 %	ISO 527-1/-2

Thermal properties

Melting temperature, 10°C/min	225 °C	ISO 11357-1/-3
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Flammability

Burning Behav. at thickness h	V-0 class	UL 94
Thickness tested	0.40 mm	UL 94
UL recognition	yes	UL 94

Electrical properties

Comparative tracking index	PLC 0 PLC	UL 746A
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Characteristics

Additives	Flame retardant
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Additional information

Injection molding	Rear Temperature 450-470 (230-240) deg F (°C) Center Temperature 460-480 (235-250) deg F (°C) Front Temperature 470-490 (240-255) deg F (°C) Nozzle Temperature 480-490 (250-255) deg F (°C) Melt Temperature 460-490 (235-255) deg F (°C) Mold Temperature 150-200 (65-93) deg F (°C) Back Pressure 0-50 psi Screw Speed Medium Injection Speed Fast
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Processing Texts

Pre-drying

To avoid hydrolytic degradation during processing, CELANEX resins have to be dried to a moisture level equal to or less than 0.02%. Drying should be done in a dehumidifying hopper dryer capable of dewpoints <-40°F (-40°C) at 250-285°F (120 - 140°C) for 4 - 6 hours.

Longer pre-drying times/storage

For subsequent storage of the material in the dryer until processed (<= 60 h) it is necessary to lower the temperature to 100° C.

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