

## THERMOPLASTIC POLYESTER RESIN

Common features of Crastin® thermoplastic polyester resin include mechanical and physical properties such as stiffness and toughness, heat resistance, friction and wear resistance, excellent surface finishes and good colourability. Crastin® thermoplastic polyester resin has excellent electrical insulation characteristics and high arc-resistant grades are available. Many flame retardant grades have UL recognition (class V-0). Crastin® thermoplastic polyester resin typically has high chemical and heat ageing resistance.

The good melt stability of Crastin® thermoplastic polyester resin normally enables the recycling of properly handled production waste. If recycling is not possible, we recommend, as the preferred option, incineration with energy recovery (-24 kJ/g of base polymer) in appropriately equipped installations. For disposal, local regulations have to be observed.

Crastin® thermoplastic polyester resin typically is used in demanding applications in the electronics, electrical, automotive, mechanical engineering, chemical, domestic appliances and sporting goods industry.

Crastin® LW9320 BK851 is a 20% glass fiber reinforced polybutylene terephthalate blend for injection moulding. It has improved surface aesthetics, excellent dimensional stability and low warpage characteristics.

### **Product information**

Resin Identification Part Marking Code	PBT+SAN-GF20 >PBT+SAN-GF20<		ISO 1043 ISO 11469
Typical mechanical properties			
Tensile Modulus Stress at break, 5mm/min Strain at break, 5mm/min Flexural Modulus Charpy impact strength, 23°C Charpy impact strength, -30°C Charpy notched impact strength, 23°C Izod notched impact strength, 23°C Poisson's ratio	120 2.3 7000 45 40 7	MPa MPa % MPa 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 180/1A
Thermal properties			
Melting temperature, 10°C/min Glass transition temperature, 10°C/min Temp. of deflection under load, 1.8 MPa RTI, electrical, 0.75mm RTI, electrical, 1.5mm RTI, electrical, 3mm RTI, impact, 0.75mm RTI, impact, 1.5mm RTI, impact, 3mm RTI, strength, 0.75mm RTI, strength, 1.5mm RTI, strength, 3mm	220 110 165 130 130 130 125 125 130 130 130	° C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C C	ISO 11357-1/-3 ISO 11357-1/-3 ISO 75-1/-2 UL 746B UL 746B UL 746B UL 746B UL 746B UL 746B UL 746B UL 746B UL 746B UL 746B

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### Flammability

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Burning Behav. at 1.5mm nom. thickn.	HB	class	UL 94
Thickness tested	1.5	mm	UL 94
UL recognition	yes		UL 94
Burning Behav. at thickness h		class	UL 94
Thickness tested	0.75	mm	UL 94
UL recognition	yes		UL 94
FMVSS Class	В		ISO 3795 (FMVSS 302)
Burning rate, Thickness 1 mm	32	mm/min	ISO 3795 (FMVSS 302)
Other properties			
Density	1340	kg/m³	ISO 1183
VDA Properties			
Emission of organic compounds	130	µgC/g	VDA 277
Odour		class	VDA 270
Injection			
Drying Recommended	yes		
Drying Temperature	120	°C	
Drying Time, Dehumidified Dryer	2 - 4		
Processing Moisture Content	≤0.04		
Melt Temperature Optimum	250		Internal
Min. melt temperature	240		
Max. melt temperature	260		
Mold Temperature Optimum		°C	
Min. mould temperature		°C	
Max. mould temperature	130		
Hold pressure range		MPa	
Hold pressure time		s/mm	
Back pressure	As low as	MPa	
Fightion tomporature	possible	°C	linke
Ejection temperature	170	-0	Internal

### **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
- X Nitric Acid (40% by mass), 23°C
- ★ Sulfuric Acid (38% by mass), 23°C
- X Sulfuric Acid (5% by mass), 23°C

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X 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
- X SAE 10W40 multigrade motor oil, 130°C
- X SAE 80/90 hypoid-gear oil, 130 °C
- ✓ Insulating Oil, 23°C

#### Standard Fuels

- X ISO 1817 Liquid 1 E5, 60°C
- X ISO 1817 Liquid 2 M15E4, 60°C
- X 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
- X Diesel fuel (pref. ISO 1817 Liquid F), >90°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

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- ✗ 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

#### Symbols used:

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).

X 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).





