

Crastin® SK612SF NC010

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® SK612SF is a 15% glass fiber reinforced, low viscosity polybutylene terephthalate for injection moulding. It has high flow characteristics and is specifically suitable for .

Product information

Resin Identification	PBT-GF15	ISO 1043
Part Marking Code	>PBT-GF15<	ISO 11469

Rheological properties

Intrinsic viscosity	0.8	ISO 307, 1157, 1628
Moulding shrinkage, parallel	0.4 %	ISO 294-4, 2577
Moulding shrinkage, normal	1.1 %	ISO 294-4, 2577
Postmoulding shrinkage, normal, 48h at 80°C	0.3 %	ISO 294-4
Postmoulding shrinkage, parallel, 48h at 80°C	0.15 %	ISO 294-4
Flow length	450 mm	
Flow length - pressure	80 MPa	
Flow length - width/thickness	2 mm	

Typical mechanical properties

Tensile Modulus	5800 MPa	ISO 527-1/-2
Stress at break, 5mm/min	106 MPa	ISO 527-1/-2
Strain at break, 5mm/min	3.2 %	ISO 527-1/-2
Shear Strength	50 MPa	ASTM D 732
Charpy impact strength, 23°C	30 kJ/m ²	ISO 179/1eU
Charpy impact strength, -30°C	30 kJ/m ²	ISO 179/1eU
Charpy notched impact strength, 23°C	6 kJ/m ²	ISO 179/1eA
Poisson's ratio	0.35	



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Thermal properties

Melting temperature, 10°C/min	224 °C	ISO 11357-1/-3
Glass transition temperature, 10°C/min	55 °C	ISO 11357-1/-3
Temp. of deflection under load, 1.8 MPa	200 °C	ISO 75-1/-2
Coeff. of linear therm. expansion, parallel	50 E-6/K	ISO 11359-1/-2
Coeff. of linear therm. expansion, normal	95 E-6/K	ISO 11359-1/-2
Thermal conductivity of melt	0.24 W/(m K)	Internal
Spec. heat capacity of melt	1900 J/(kg K)	Internal

Flammability

Oxygen index	19 %	ISO 4589-1/-2
Glow Wire Flammability Index, 3mm	700 °C	IEC 60695-2-12
FMVSS Class	B	ISO 3795 (FMVSS 302)
Burning rate, Thickness 1 mm	30 mm/min	ISO 3795 (FMVSS 302)

Electrical properties

Relative permittivity, 100Hz	3.8	IEC 62631-2-1
Relative permittivity, 1MHz	3.2	IEC 62631-2-1
Dissipation factor, 100Hz	20 E-4	IEC 62631-2-1
Dissipation factor, 1MHz	190 E-4	IEC 62631-2-1
Volume resistivity	>1E13 Ohm.m	IEC 62631-3-1
Surface resistivity	1E15 Ohm	IEC 62631-3-2
Electric strength	37 kV/mm	IEC 60243-1
Comparative tracking index	350	IEC 60112

Other properties

Humidity absorption, 2mm	0.15 %	Sim. to ISO 62
Water absorption, 2mm	0.4 %	Sim. to ISO 62
Density	1410 kg/m³	ISO 1183
Density of melt	1220 kg/m³	Internal

VDA Properties

Emission of organic compounds	140 µgC/g	VDA 277
Odour	3 class	VDA 270
Fogging, G-value (condensate)	0.1 mg	ISO 6452

Injection

Drying Recommended	yes	
Drying Temperature	120 °C	
Drying Time, Dehumidified Dryer	2 - 4 h	
Processing Moisture Content	≤0.04 %	
Melt Temperature Optimum	240 °C	Internal
Min. melt temperature	235 °C	



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Max. melt temperature	260 °C	
Mold Temperature Optimum	80 °C	
Min. mould temperature	30 °C	
Max. mould temperature	130 °C	
Hold pressure range	≥60 MPa	
Hold pressure time	3 s/mm	
Back pressure	As low as possible	
Ejection temperature	170 °C	Internal

Characteristics

Additives

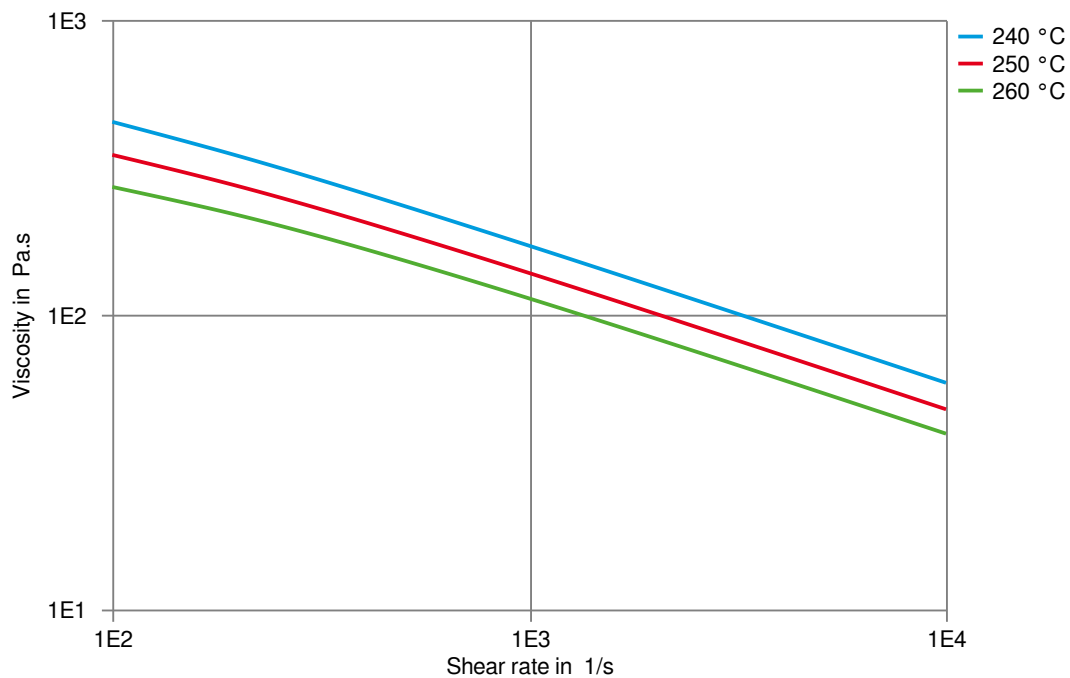
Release agent



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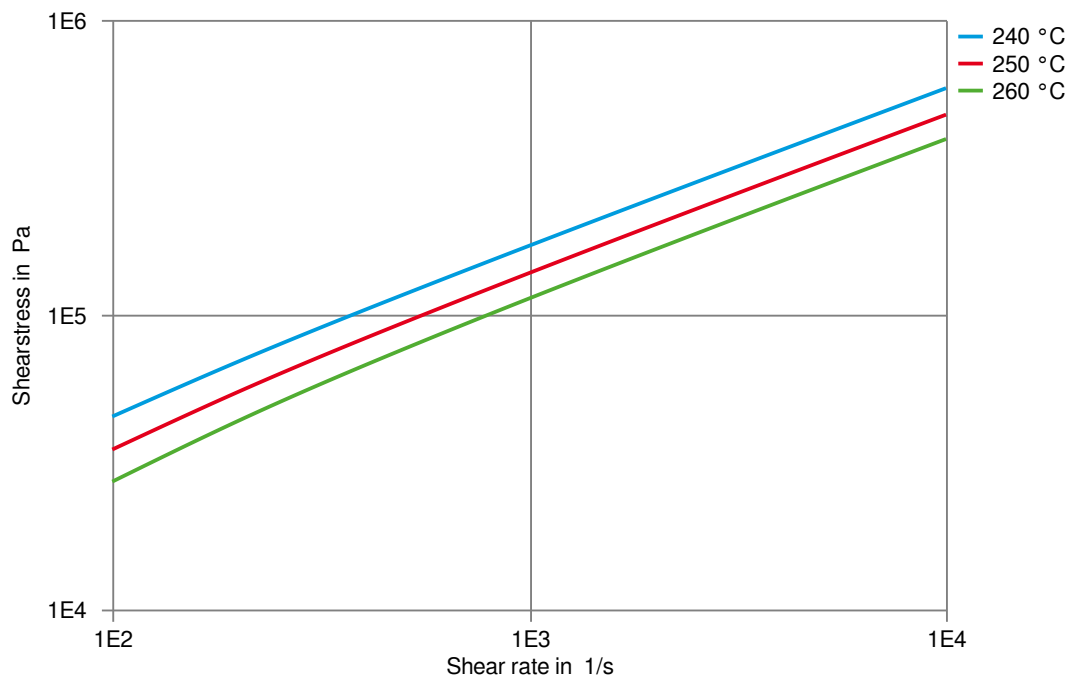
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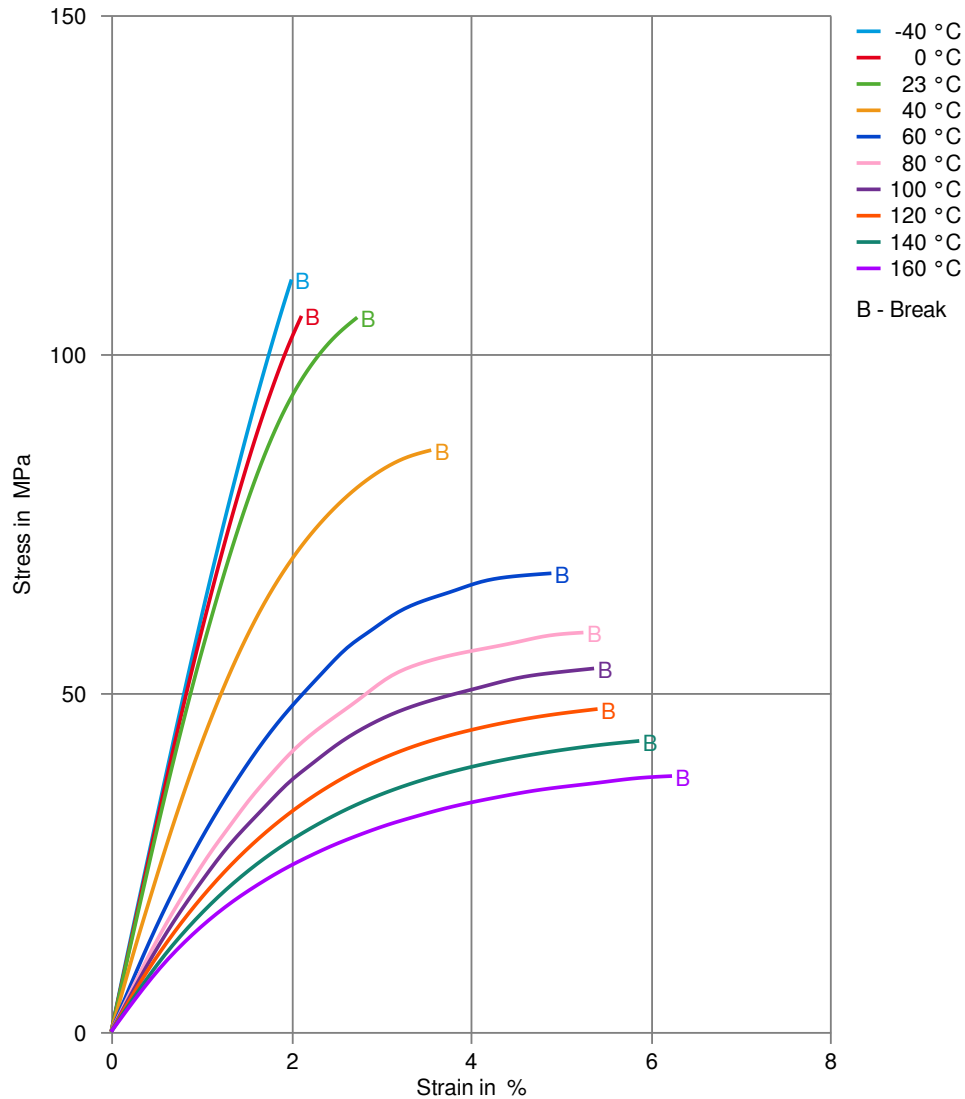
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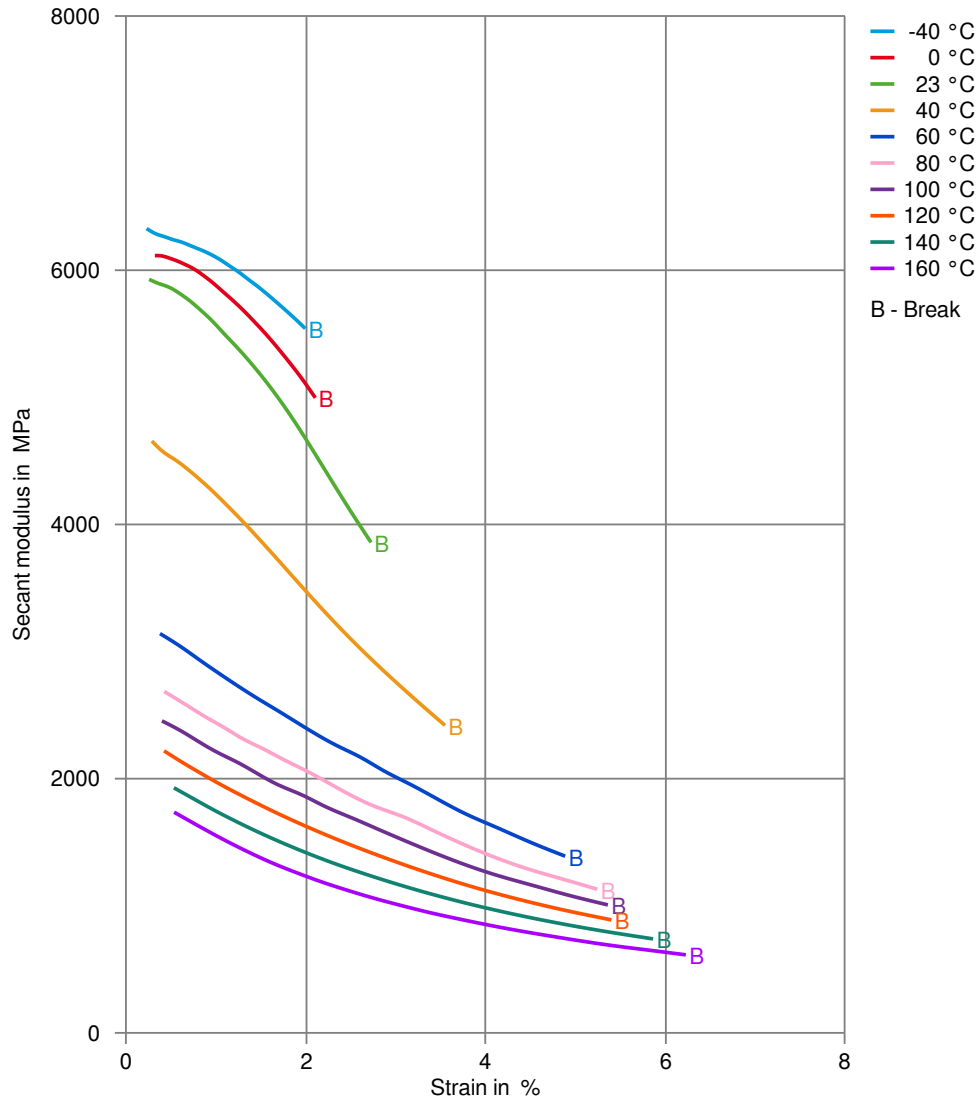
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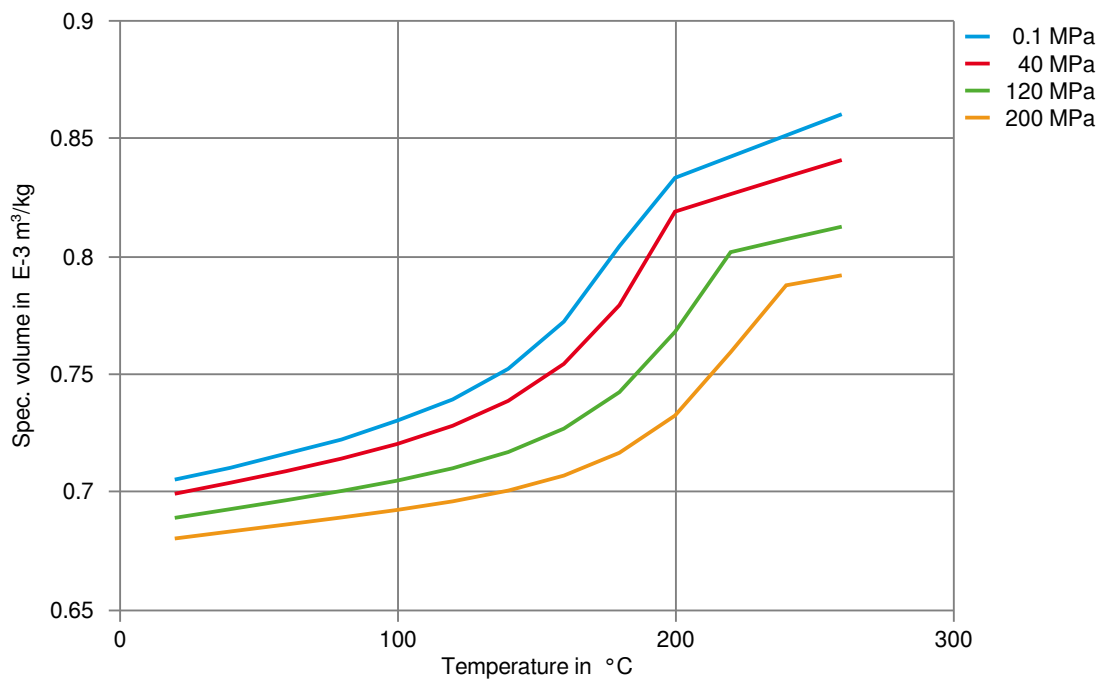
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Specific volume-temperature (pvT)



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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

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



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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
- ✗ 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).
- ✗ 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).

