



Monprene® CP-18120 CLR (PRELIMINARY DATA)

Teknor Apex Company - Thermoplastic Elastomer

General Information

Product Description

Monprene CP-18120 CLR, available in nat, clear, and colors, is a high performance thermoplastic elastomer designed for a variety of consumer product applications requiring a soft, rubber-like feel. Monprene CP-18120 CLR is a low density, low hardness, RoHS compliant grade that is suitable for injection molding.

General

Material Status	• Commercial: Active		
Availability	• Africa & Middle East • Asia Pacific	• Europe • Latin America	• North America
Features	• General Purpose • Good Colorability • Good Flexibility • Good Moldability	• High Clarity • High Flow • Low Density • Low Hardness	• Low Specific Gravity • Slip • Without Fillers
Uses	• Consumer Applications	• General Purpose	
RoHS Compliance	• RoHS Compliant		
Appearance	• Clear/Transparent	• Colors Available	• Natural Color
Forms	• Pellets		
Processing Method	• Injection Molding		

ASTM & ISO Properties ¹

Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Density / Specific Gravity	0.880		ASTM D792
Melt Mass-Flow Rate (MFR) (190°C/2.16 kg)	50	g/10 min	ASTM D1238
Elastomers	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Tensile Stress (300% Strain)	120	psi	ASTM D412
Tensile Strength (Break)	750	psi	ASTM D412
Tensile Elongation (Break)	600	%	ASTM D412
Hardness	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Durometer Hardness			ASTM D2240
Shore A, 1 sec	25		
Shore A, 5 sec	23		

Processing Information

Injection	Nominal Value	Unit
Rear Temperature	360 to 400	°F
Middle Temperature	360 to 400	°F
Front Temperature	360 to 400	°F
Nozzle Temperature	360 to 400	°F
Processing (Melt) Temp	360 to 400	°F
Mold Temperature	60 to 90	°F

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Injection	Nominal Value	Unit
Injection Pressure	200 to 800	psi
Injection Rate	Fast	
Back Pressure	25.0 to 100	psi
Screw Speed	50 to 100	rpm
Cushion	0.150 to 1.00	in

Injection Notes

Drying is not necessary. However, if moisture is a problem, dry the pellets for 2 to 4 hours at 150°F (65°C).

Notes

¹ Typical properties: these are not to be construed as specifications.