

TEKNOR APEX

Monprene® OM-19370 NAT (PRELIMINARY DATA)

Teknor Apex Company - Thermoplastic Elastomer

General Information

Product Description

Monprene OM-19370 NAT is part of a series of adhesion-modified thermoplastic elastomers (available from 30 to 70 Shore A) designed for overmolding (insert and multi-shot) and co-extrusion onto polystyrene, including general-purpose PS (GPPS), high-impact PS (HIPS), and their blends. These materials exhibit dry haptics and are well suited for grips and other soft-touch parts. Monprene OM-19370 NAT is REACH-SVHC and RoHS compliant and offers several benefits including superior adhesion onto polystyrene and easy molding with a wide processing window.

General			
Material Status	Preliminary Data		
Availability	 Africa & Middle East Asia Pacific	 Europe Latin America	North America
Features	 Bondability BPA Free Chemical Resistant Conformable Ductile Excellent Processability 	 Filled Good Colorability Good Flexibility Good Flow Good Impact Resistance Good Moldability 	 Halogen Free High Elasticity Medium Density Medium Hardness Soft
Uses	BondingConsumer ApplicationsFlexible Grips	Household GoodsHousingsIndustrial Applications	OvermoldingSoft Touch Applications
RoHS Compliance	RoHS Compliant		
Appearance	Colors Available	Natural Color	Opaque
Forms	Pellets		
Processing Method	Injection Molding	Multi Injection Molding	

ASTM & ISO Properties ¹				
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method	
Density / Specific Gravity	1.15		ASTM D792	
Melt Mass-Flow Rate (MFR) (190°C/2.16 kg)	1.0	g/10 min	ASTM D1238	
Elastomers	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method	
Tensile Stress ² (100% Strain)	230	psi	ASTM D412	
Tensile Strength ² (Break)	1400	psi	ASTM D412	
Tensile Elongation ² (Break)	650	%	ASTM D412	
Tear Strength ²	220	lbf/in	ASTM D624	
Compression Set ³ (73°F, 22 hr)	30	%	ASTM D395B	
Hardness	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method	
Durometer Hardness			ASTM D2240	
Shore A, 1 sec, Injection Molded	72			
Shore A, 5 sec, Injection Molded	70			
Additional Information	Nominal Value	Unit		
Adhesion to HIPS				

Adhesion to PS



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Processing Information				
njection	Nominal Value	Unit		
Rear Temperature	320 to 350	°F		
Middle Temperature	340 to 370	°F		
Front Temperature	360 to 390	°F		
Nozzle Temperature	370 to 410	°F		
Processing (Melt) Temp	370 to 410	°F		
Mold Temperature	60 to 90	°F		
Injection Pressure	200 to 1000	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).

For any overmolding process it is recommended that the process temperatures for the TPE material be set at least 50°F (10°C)higher than the melt temperature of the substrate material.

Notes

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

² Die C, 20 in/min

³ Type 1