



# Monprene® SP-13188 (PRELIMINARY DATA)

Teknor Apex Company - Thermoplastic Elastomer

## General Information

### Product Description

Monprene SP-13188 is a high performance thermoplastic elastomer designed for a variety of consumer product applications including sporting good applications. Monprene SP-13188 is a high hardness, medium density, RoHS complaint grade suitable for injection molding.

### General

Material Status	• Commercial: Active		
Availability	• Africa & Middle East • Asia Pacific	• Europe • Latin America	• North America
Features	• Chemical Resistant • Filled • Good Adhesion • Good Colorability • Good Mold Release	• Good Moldability • Good Processability • Good Strength • Good Toughness • Halogen Free	• High Flow • High Hardness • Lubricated • Medium Density • Slip
Uses	• Consumer Applications • Flexible Grips	• Handles • Industrial Applications	• Safety Equipment • Sporting Goods
RoHS Compliance	• RoHS Compliant		
Appearance	• Colors Available	• Natural Color	• Opaque
Forms	• Pellets		
Processing Method	• Injection Molding		

## ASTM & ISO Properties <sup>1</sup>

Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Density / Specific Gravity	1.00		ASTM D792
Melt Mass-Flow Rate (MFR) (200°C/5.0 kg)	40	g/10 min	ASTM D1238
Elastomers	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Tensile Strength <sup>2</sup> (Break)	1750	psi	ASTM D412
Tensile Elongation <sup>2</sup> (Break)	700	%	ASTM D412
Compression Set <sup>3</sup> (73°F, 22 hr)	35	%	ASTM D395B
Hardness	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Durometer Hardness			ASTM D2240
Shore A	90		
Shore A, 5 sec	88		

## 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

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Injection	Nominal Value	Unit
Mold Temperature	60 to 90	°F
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

<sup>1</sup> Typical properties: these are not to be construed as specifications.

<sup>2</sup> Die C, 20 in/min

<sup>3</sup> Type 1