

## Lexan\* Resin PK2940

Americas: COMMERCIAL

FDA compliant (color limited). 2.2 MFR. Potable water/extrusion blowmolding applications.

### Property

TYPICAL PROPERTIES <sup>(1)</sup>			
MECHANICAL	Value	Unit	Standard
Tensile Stress, yld, Type I, 50 mm/min	62	MPa	ASTM D 638
Tensile Stress, brk, Type I, 50 mm/min	65	MPa	ASTM D 638
Tensile Strain, yld, Type I, 50 mm/min	7	%	ASTM D 638
Tensile Strain, brk, Type I, 50 mm/min	110	%	ASTM D 638
Flexural Stress, yld, 1.3 mm/min, 50 mm span	93	MPa	ASTM D 790
Flexural Modulus, 1.3 mm/min, 50 mm span	2340	MPa	ASTM D 790
Hardness, Rockwell M	70	-	ASTM D 785
Hardness, Rockwell R	118	-	ASTM D 785
Taber Abrasion, CS-17, 1 kg	10	mg/1000cy	ASTM D 1044
IMPACT	Value	Unit	Standard
Izod Impact, unnotched, 23°C	3204	J/m	ASTM D 4812
Izod Impact, notched, 23°C	747	J/m	ASTM D 256
Tensile Impact, Type "S"	630	kJ/m <sup>2</sup>	ASTM D 1822
Falling Dart Impact (D 3029), 23°C	169	J	ASTM D 3029
THERMAL	Value	Unit	Standard
Vicat Softening Temp, Rate B/50	157	°C	ASTM D 1525
HDT, 0.45 MPa, 6.4 mm, unannealed	137	°C	ASTM D 648
HDT, 1.82 MPa, 6.4 mm, unannealed	132	°C	ASTM D 648
CTE, -40°C to 95°C, flow	6.84E-05	1/°C	ASTM E 831
Specific Heat	1.25	J/g-°C	ASTM C 351
Thermal Conductivity	0.19	W/m-°C	ASTM C 177
PHYSICAL	Value	Unit	Standard
Specific Gravity	1.2	-	ASTM D 792
Specific Volume	0.83	cm <sup>3</sup> /g	ASTM D 792
Density	1.19	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	ASTM D 792
Water Absorption, 24 hours	0.15	%	ASTM D 570
Water Absorption, equilibrium, 23C	0.35	%	ASTM D 570
Water Absorption, equilibrium, 100°C	0.58	%	ASTM D 570
Mold Shrinkage, flow, 3.2 mm	0.5 - 0.7	%	SABIC Method
Melt Flow Rate, 300°C/1.2 kgf	2	g/10 min	ASTM D 1238
OPTICAL	Value	Unit	Standard
Light Transmission	88	%	ASTM D 1003
Haze	1	%	ASTM D 1003
Refractive Index	1.586	-	ASTM D 542
ELECTRICAL	Value	Unit	Standard
Volume Resistivity	>1.E+17	Ohm-cm	ASTM D 257
Dielectric Strength, in air, 3.2 mm	14.9	kV/mm	ASTM D 149
Relative Permittivity, 50/60 Hz	3.17	-	ASTM D 150
Relative Permittivity, 1 MHz	2.96	-	ASTM D 150

Dissipation Factor, 50/60 Hz	0.0009	-	ASTM D 150
Dissipation Factor, 1 MHz	0.01	-	ASTM D 150

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## Processing

Parameter	Value	Unit
<b>Injection Molding</b>		
Drying Temperature	120	°C
Drying Time	3 - 4	hrs
Drying Time (Cumulative)	48	hrs
Maximum Moisture Content	0.02	%
Melt Temperature	320 - 345	°C
Nozzle Temperature	315 - 340	°C
Front - Zone 3 Temperature	320 - 345	°C
Middle - Zone 2 Temperature	310 - 330	°C
Rear - Zone 1 Temperature	300 - 320	°C
Mold Temperature	80 - 115	°C
Back Pressure	0.3 - 0.7	MPa
Screw Speed	40 - 70	rpm
Shot to Cylinder Size	40 - 60	%
Vent Depth	0.025 - 0.076	mm

Parameter	Value	Unit
<b>Extrusion Blow Molding</b>		
Drying Temperature	120	°C
Drying Time	2 - 4	hrs
Maximum Moisture Content	0.02	%
Minimum Moisture Content	0.01	%
Melt Temperature (Parison)	265 - 280	°C
Barrel - Zone 1 Temperature	260 - 290	°C
Barrel - Zone 2 Temperature	260 - 290	°C
Barrel - Zone 3 Temperature	260 - 290	°C
Barrel - Zone 4 Temperature	260 - 290	°C
Adapter - Zone 5 Temperature	260 - 290	°C
Mold Temperature	60 - 100	°C

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- Uncontaminated regrind up to 25% is allowed.
- Screw configuration affects melt temperature. A low shear, 2.5:1
- Mold temperatures of 65°C - 95°C (150°F - 200°F) produce best surface appearance.
- 15-50 rpm screw speed suggested. Adjust actual rpm for desired output while maintaining desired melt temperature range. Increasing screw speed increases shear heating; use a hand-held pyrometer to measure melt temperature. Adjust barrel temperatures to maintain recommended melt temperature range.

THESE PROPERTY VALUES ARE NOT INTENDED FOR SPECIFICATION PURPOSES.

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(1) Typical values only. Variations within normal tolerances are possible for various colors. All values are measured after at least 48 hours storage at 23°C/50% relative humidity. All properties, except the melt volume and melt flow rates, are measured on injection molded samples. All samples tested under ISO test standards are prepared according to ISO 294.

(2) Only typical data for selection purposes. Not to be used for part or tool design.

(3) This rating is not intended to reflect hazards presented by this or any other material under actual fire conditions.

(4) Internal measurements according to UL standards.

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