

# Eastar™ DN003, Natural

Copolyester  
Eastman Chemical Company

Message:

Eastar™ Copolyester DN003 has been tested for FDA/ISO 10993 and USP Class VI Biological Evaluation testing after Gamma and EtO sterilization. Eastar™ Copolyesters are brilliantly clear polymers that have excellent impact strength, chemical resistance, dimensional stability, and low shrinkage rates. DN003 contains a mold release.

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General Information			
Additive	Mold Release		
Features	Barrier Resin		
	E-beam Sterilizable		
	Good Chemical Resistance		
	Good Colorability		
	Good Dimensional Stability		
	Good Impact Resistance		
	Good Mold Release		
	Good Stiffness		
	Good Toughness		
	High Clarity		
	High Gloss		
	Low Shrinkage		
	Radiation Sterilizable		
Uses	Eyeglasses		
	Medical/Healthcare Applications		
	Packaging		
Agency Ratings	ISO 10993		
	USP Class VI		
Appearance	Natural Color		
Forms	Pellets		
Processing Method	Extrusion		
	Injection Molding		
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method

Specific Gravity			
--	1.23	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	ASTM D792
23°C	1.23	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	ISO 1183
Molding Shrinkage - Flow (3.20 mm)	0.20 to 0.50	%	ASTM D955
Water Absorption (23°C, 24 hr)	0.13	%	ASTM D570, ISO 62
Hardness	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Rockwell Hardness (R-Scale, 23°C)	105		ASTM D785
Mechanical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Tensile Strength			
Yield, 23°C	45.0	MPa	ASTM D638
Yield, 23°C, 4.00 mm	46.0	MPa	ISO 527-2
Break, 23°C	52.0	MPa	ASTM D638
Break, 23°C, 4.00 mm	47.0	MPa	ISO 527-2
Tensile Elongation			
Yield, 23°C	5.0	%	ASTM D638
Yield, 23°C, 4.00 mm	4.4	%	ISO 527-2
Break, 23°C	330	%	ASTM D638
Break, 23°C, 4.00 mm	230	%	ISO 527-2
Flexural Modulus			
23°C	1800	MPa	ASTM D790
23°C, 4.00 mm	1800	MPa	ISO 178
Flexural Stress			
23°C, 4.00 mm	63.0	MPa	ISO 178
Yield, 23°C	66.0	MPa	ASTM D790
Impact	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Notched Izod Impact			
-40°C	64	J/m	ASTM D256
23°C	No Break		ASTM D256
-40°C	7.4	kJ/m <sup>2</sup>	ISO 180
23°C	130	kJ/m <sup>2</sup>	ISO 180
Unnotched Izod Impact			ASTM D4218
-40°C	No Break		
23°C	No Break		
Multi-Axial Instrumented Impact Energy			ISO 6603-2
-40°C, Energy to Peak Force	16.0	J	
23°C, Energy to Peak Force	14.0	J	
Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Deflection Temperature Under Load			
0.45 MPa, Unannealed	74.0	°C	ASTM D648, ISO 75-2/B
1.8 MPa, Unannealed	64.0	°C	ASTM D648
1.8 MPa, Unannealed	65.0	°C	ISO 75-2/A
Vicat Softening Temperature			

--	88.0	°C	ASTM D1525, ISO 306/A 2 1
--	79.0	°C	ISO 306/B
Specific Heat			DSC
60°C	1340	J/kg/°C	
240°C	2050	J/kg/°C	
Thermal Conductivity (23°C)	0.19	W/m/K	
Flammability	Nominal Value		Test Method
Flame Rating			UL 94
1.60 mm	HB		
3.20 mm	HB		
Injection	Nominal Value	Unit	
Drying Temperature	71.0	°C	
Drying Time	6.0	hr	
Processing (Melt) Temp	250 to 270	°C	
Mold Temperature	15.0 to 40.0	°C	
NOTE			
1.	Loading 1 (10 N)		

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