

# VECTRA® A515

Liquid Crystal Polymer

Celanese Corporation

## Message:

Easier flow and slightly improved toughness over A530. Outstanding hydrolytic stability. 15% mineral filled.

Chemical abbreviation according to ISO 1043-1 : LCP

Inherently flame retardant

FDA compliant

UL-Listing V-0 in natural at 0.38mm thickness per UL 94 flame testing.

Relative-Temperature-Index (RTI) according to UL 746B: electrical 130°C, mechanical 130°C.

UL = Underwriters Laboratories (USA)

### General Information

UL YellowCard	E83005-251003		
Filler / Reinforcement	Mineral filler, 15% filler by weight		
Features	<p>Good liquidity</p> <p>Hydrolysis resistance</p> <p>Halogen-free</p> <p>Flame retardancy</p>		
Agency Ratings	<p>EU 2002/96/EC (WEEE)</p> <p>FDA not rated</p>		
RoHS Compliance	Contact manufacturer		
Forms	Particle		
Processing Method	Injection molding		
Multi-Point Data	Isothermal Stress vs. Strain (ISO 11403-1)		
Resin ID (ISO 1043)	LCP		

Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Density			
--	1.52	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	ISO 1183
--	1520	kg/m <sup>3</sup>	ISO 1183 <sup>1</sup>
Molding Shrinkage			
Vertical flow direction	0.60	%	ISO 294-4
Flow direction	0.0	%	ISO 294-4
Flow	0.0	%	ISO 2577 <sup>2</sup>
Transverse flow	0.60	%	ISO 2577 <sup>3</sup>
Hardness	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Rockwell Hardness (M-Scale)	63		ISO 2039-2
Mechanical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Tensile Modulus	10500	MPa	ISO 527-2/1A/1
Tensile Stress (Break)	175	MPa	ISO 527-2/1A/5

Tensile Strain (Break)	4.5	%	ISO 527-2/1A/5
Flexural Modulus (23°C)	11000	MPa	ISO 178
Flexural Stress (23°C)	175	MPa	ISO 178
Compressive Modulus	9500	MPa	ISO 604
Compressive Stress (1% Strain)	61.0	MPa	ISO 604
Impact	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Charpy Notched Impact Strength			
23°C	59	kJ/m <sup>2</sup>	ISO 179/1eA
23°C	59.0	kJ/m <sup>2</sup>	ISO 179/1eA <sup>4</sup>
Charpy Unnotched Impact Strength (23°C)	100	kJ/m <sup>2</sup>	ISO 179/1eU
Notched Izod Impact (23°C)	60	kJ/m <sup>2</sup>	ISO 180/1A
Unnotched Izod Impact Strength (23°C)	130	kJ/m <sup>2</sup>	ISO 180/1U
Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Heat Deflection Temperature			
0.45 MPa, not annealed	232	°C	ISO 75-2/B
0.45 MPa	232	°C	ISO 75-2 <sup>5</sup>
1.8 MPa, not annealed	185	°C	ISO 75-2/A
1.8 MPa	185	°C	ISO 75-2 <sup>6</sup>
8.0 MPa, not annealed	103	°C	ISO 75-2/C
8.0 MPa	103	°C	ISO 75-2 <sup>7</sup>
Vicat Softening Temperature			
--	149	°C	ISO 306/B50
50°C/h, B (50N)	149	°C	ISO 306 <sup>8</sup>
Melting Temperature			
-- <sup>9</sup>	280	°C	ISO 11357-3
-- <sup>10</sup>	280	°C	ISO 11357-3 <sup>11</sup>
CLTE - Transverse	3.0E-5	cm/cm/°C	ISO 11359-2
Electrical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Surface Resistivity	> 1.0E+15	ohms	IEC 60093
Volume Resistivity			
--	1.0E+15	ohms·cm	IEC 60093
--	1.0E+13	ohms·m	IEC 60093 <sup>12</sup>
Dielectric Strength	40	kV/mm	IEC 60243-1
Relative Permittivity			
100 Hz	3.80		IEC 60250
1 MHz	3.20		IEC 60250
Dissipation Factor			
100 Hz	0.010		IEC 60250
1 MHz	0.020		IEC 60250
Arc Resistance	145	sec	Internal method
Comparative Tracking Index			
--	175	V	IEC 60112

--	175		IEC 60112 <sup>13</sup>
Flammability	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Flame Rating	V-0		UL 94
Injection	Nominal Value	Unit	
Drying Temperature	150	°C	
Drying Time	4.0 - 6.0	hr	
Suggested Max Moisture	0.010	%	
Hopper Temperature	20.0 - 30.0	°C	
Rear Temperature	270 - 280	°C	
Middle Temperature	275 - 285	°C	
Front Temperature	280 - 290	°C	
Nozzle Temperature	290 - 300	°C	
Processing (Melt) Temp	285 - 295	°C	
Mold Temperature	80.0 - 120	°C	
Injection Pressure	50.0 - 150	MPa	
Injection Rate	Fast		
Holding Pressure	50.0 - 150	MPa	
Back Pressure	0.00 - 3.00	MPa	
Injection instructions			
Manifold Temperature: 285 to 295°C	Zone 4 Temperature: 285 to 295°C	Feed Temperature: 60 to 80°C	
NOTE			
1.	??????,?? ISO 10350 ??? 23°C/50%r.h. ???		
2.	??????,?? ISO 10350 ??? 23°C/50%r.h. ???		
3.	??????,?? ISO 10350 ??? 23°C/50%r.h. ???		
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5.	??????,?? ISO 10350 ??? 23°C/50%r.h. ???		
6.	??????,?? ISO 10350 ??? 23°C/50%r.h. ???		
7.	??????,?? ISO 10350 ??? 23°C/50%r.h. ???		
8.	??????,?? ISO 10350 ??? 23°C/50%r.h. ???		
9.	10°C/min		
10.	10 °C/min		
11.	??????,?? ISO 10350 ??? 23°C/50%r.h. ???		
12.	??????,?? ISO 10350 ??? 23°C/50%r.h. ???		
13.	??????,?? ISO 10350 ??? 23°C/50%r.h. ???		

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