

LEXAN™ EXL1890T resin

Polycarbonate

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Message:

LEXAN EXL1890T polycarbonate (PC) siloxane copolymer resin is a transparent injection molding grade for food contact applications. This resin offers cold temperature (0 °C) ductility in combination with very high flow characteristics and excellent processability with opportunities for shorter IM cycle times compared to standard PC resin. LEXAN EXL1890T resin offers enhanced release performance and is available in transparent colors and is an excellent candidate for a broad range of applications in food handling or food preparation markets.

General Information			
Features	Copolymer		
	Ductile		
	Fast Molding Cycle		
	Food Contact Acceptable		
	Good Mold Release		
	Good Processability		
	High Flow		
Appearance	Clear/Transparent		
Processing Method	Injection Molding		
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Specific Gravity	1.19	g/cm ³	ASTM D792, ISO 1183
Melt Mass-Flow Rate (MFR) (300°C/1.2 kg)	35	g/10 min	ASTM D1238
Melt Volume-Flow Rate (MVR) (300°C/1.2 kg)	33.0	cm ³ /10min	ISO 1133
Molding Shrinkage			Internal Method
Flow : 3.20 mm	0.40 to 0.80	%	
Across Flow : 3.20 mm	0.40 to 0.80	%	
Water Absorption			ISO 62
Saturation, 23°C	0.12	%	
Equilibrium, 23°C, 50% RH	0.093	%	
Hardness	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Rockwell Hardness (L-Scale)	90		ASTM D785
Mechanical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Tensile Modulus			
-- ¹	2370	MPa	ASTM D638
--	2400	MPa	ISO 527-2/1
Tensile Strength			
Yield ²	60.0	MPa	ASTM D638
Yield	59.0	MPa	ISO 527-2/50
Break ³	58.0	MPa	ASTM D638

Break	56.6	MPa	ISO 527-2/50
Tensile Elongation			
Yield ⁴	5.8	%	ASTM D638
Yield	5.4	%	ISO 527-2/50
Break ⁵	120	%	ASTM D638
Break	120	%	ISO 527-2/50
Flexural Modulus			
50.0 mm Span ⁶	2360	MPa	ASTM D790
-- ⁷	2250	MPa	ISO 178
Flexural Stress			
--	92.9	MPa	ISO 178
Yield, 50.0 mm Span ⁸	99.2	MPa	ASTM D790
Impact	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Charpy Notched Impact Strength ⁹			ISO 179/1eA
-30°C	40	kJ/m ²	
23°C	65	kJ/m ²	
Charpy Unnotched Impact Strength ¹⁰			ISO 179/1eU
-30°C	No Break		
23°C	No Break		
Notched Izod Impact			
-30°C	220	J/m	ASTM D256
23°C	700	J/m	ASTM D256
-30°C ¹¹	30	kJ/m ²	ISO 180/1A
23°C ¹²	60	kJ/m ²	ISO 180/1A
Unnotched Izod Impact Strength ¹³			ISO 180/1U
-30°C	No Break		
23°C	No Break		
Instrumented Dart Impact (23°C, Total Energy)	79.0	J	ASTM D3763
Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Deflection Temperature Under Load			
1.8 MPa, Unannealed, 3.20 mm	121	°C	ASTM D648
1.8 MPa, Unannealed, 64.0 mm Span ¹⁴	118	°C	ISO 75-2/Af
Vicat Softening Temperature			
--	138	°C	ASTM D1525, ISO 306/B50 11 ¹⁵
--	140	°C	ISO 306/B120
Ball Pressure Test (125°C)	Pass		IEC 60695-10-2
CLTE			
Flow : -40 to 95°C	6.5E-5	cm/cm/°C	ASTM E831
Flow : 23 to 80°C	6.5E-5	cm/cm/°C	ISO 11359-2
Transverse : -40 to 95°C	7.4E-5	cm/cm/°C	ASTM E831
Transverse : 23 to 80°C	7.4E-5	cm/cm/°C	ISO 11359-2

RTI Elec	130	°C	UL 746
RTI Str	130	°C	UL 746
Electrical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Surface Resistivity	> 1.0E+15	ohms	ASTM D257
Volume Resistivity	> 1.0E+15	ohms·cm	ASTM D257
Flammability	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Flame Rating (1.50 mm)	HB		UL 94
Glow Wire Flammability Index (3.00 mm)	960	°C	IEC 60695-2-12
Glow Wire Ignition Temperature			IEC 60695-2-13
0.800 mm	825	°C	
3.00 mm	850	°C	
Optical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Transmittance (2540 μm)	82.0	%	ASTM D1003
Haze (2540 μm)	3.0	%	ASTM D1003
Injection	Nominal Value	Unit	
Drying Temperature	121	°C	
Drying Time	3.0 to 4.0	hr	
Drying Time, Maximum	48	hr	
Suggested Max Moisture	0.020	%	
Suggested Shot Size	40 to 60	%	
Rear Temperature	217 to 293	°C	
Middle Temperature	282 to 304	°C	
Front Temperature	293 to 316	°C	
Nozzle Temperature	288 to 310	°C	
Processing (Melt) Temp	293 to 316	°C	
Mold Temperature	71.0 to 93.0	°C	
Back Pressure	0.345 to 0.689	MPa	
Screw Speed	40 to 70	rpm	
Vent Depth	0.025 to 0.076	mm	
NOTE			
1.	50 mm/min		
2.	Type I, 50 mm/min		
3.	Type I, 50 mm/min		
4.	Type I, 50 mm/min		
5.	Type I, 50 mm/min		
6.	1.3 mm/min		
7.	2.0 mm/min		
8.	1.3 mm/min		
9.	80*10*3 sp=62mm		
10.	80*10*3 sp=62mm		
11.	80*10*3		
12.	80*10*3		

13.	80*10*3
14.	80*10*4 mm
15.	Rate A (50°C/h), Loading 2 (50 N)

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