

Menzolit® BMC 0400

Thermoset Polyester

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Message:

Menzolit® BMC 0400 is a bulk moulding compound based on unsaturated polyester resin. The product is glass fibre reinforced and contains mineral fillers. In case of fire the product doesn't melt, neither does it form droplets nor is smoke generation excessive. The material is injection moulded in heated steel moulds. It is recommended to work with chrome plated tools. The product contains no halogens nor any heavy metals.

Menzolit® BMC 0400 is a low profile DMC/BMC for automotive applications. It fulfils the requirements of the automotive industry regarding painted body panels including reduced C-emissions. For highest surface quality we recommend processing on mirror finish chrome-plated steel moulds. The material shows a high thermal resistance for on-line painting at 190- 200 °C. Adhesion of paint is excellent. The material doesn't shrink during moulding, it even expands. Therefore warpage is reduced and dimensional stability is excellent.

General Information			
Filler / Reinforcement	Glass\Mineral,25% Filler by Weight		
Features	Flame Retardant		
	Good Adhesion		
	Good Dimensional Stability		
	Halogen Free		
	High Heat Resistance		
	Low Shrinkage		
	Low Smoke Emission		
	Low Warpage		
Uses	Automotive Applications		
Appearance	Cream		
Forms	BMC - Bulk Molding Compound		
Processing Method	Injection Molding		
Part Marking Code (ISO 11469)	>UP-(MD+GF)75<		
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Density	1.90	g/cm³	ISO 1183
Molding Shrinkage			
-- ¹	0.0	%	DIN 53464
--	-0.050	%	ISO 2577
Water Absorption (Saturation, 23°C)	< 0.50	%	ISO 62
Mechanical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Tensile Modulus (Compression Molded)	14000	MPa	ISO 527-2
Tensile Stress (Yield, Compression Molded)	36.0	MPa	ISO 527-2
Tensile Strain (Break, Compression Molded)	1.0	%	ISO 527-2
Flexural Modulus (Compression Molded)	11000	MPa	ISO 178
Flexural Stress (Compression Molded)	120	MPa	ISO 178
Poisson's Ratio	0.30		Internal Method

Matrix Crazing Strain	0.30	%	Internal Method
Impact	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Charpy Notched Impact Strength (Compression Molded)	30	kJ/m ²	ISO 179
Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Heat Deflection Temperature (1.8 MPa, Unannealed)	> 150	°C	ISO 75-2/A
Continuous Use Temperature	170	°C	Internal Method
Glass Transition Temperature	170	°C	DSC
CLTE - Flow	1.0E-5	cm/cm/°C	ISO 11359-2
Flammability	Nominal Value		Test Method
Flame Rating (3.00 mm)	HB		UL 94
Injection	Nominal Value	Unit	
Mold Temperature	135 to 160	°C	
Injection Pressure	2.00 to 8.00	MPa	
NOTE			
1.	Post Molding Shrinkage		

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