

Product Data Sheet & General Processing Conditions

RTP 3499-3 X 93110 Liquid Crystal Polymer (LCP) Encapsulation Grade

PROPERTIES & AVERAGE VALUES OF INJECTION MOLDED SPECIMENS

			ASTM
PERMANENCE	English	SI Metric	TEST
Specific Gravity	1.84	1.84	D 792
Molding Shrinkage			
1/8 in (3.2 mm) section	0.0020 in/in	0.20 %	D 955
MECHANICAL			
Impact Strength, Izod			
notched 1/8 in (3.2 mm) section	1.5 ft-lbs/in	80 J/m	D 256
unnotched 1/8 in (3.2 mm) section	4.5 ft-lbs/in	240 J/m	D 4812
Tensile Strength	14500 psi	100 MPa	D 638
Tensile Elongation	1.0 - 1.5 %	1.0 - 1.5 %	D 638
Tensile Modulus	2.50 x 10^6 psi	17238 MPa	D 638
Flexural Strength	24000 psi	165 MPa	D 790
Flexural Modulus	2.40 x 10^6 psi	16548 MPa	D 790
THERMAL			
Deflection Temperature			
@ 264 psi (1820 kPa)	515 °F	268 °C	D 648
@ 66 psi (455 kPa)	535 °F	279 °C	D 648
Coefficient of Linear Thermal Expansion			
Flow Direction	1.4 x 10 ⁻⁵ /°F	2.5 x 10 ⁻⁵ /°C	E 831
Transverse Direction	5.0 x 10 ⁻⁵ /°F	9.0 x 10 ⁻⁵ /°C	E 831

PROPERTY NOTES

Data herein is typical and not to be construed as specifications.

Unless otherwise specified, all data listed is for natural or black colored materials. Pigments can affect properties.

GENERAL PROCESSING FOR INJECTION MOLDING

	English	SI Metric	
Injection Pressure	12000 - 18000 psi	83 - 124 MPa	
Melt Temperature	630 - 690 °F	332 - 366 °C	
Mold Temperature	150 - 250 °F	66 - 121 °C	
Drying	8 hrs @ 300 °F	8 hrs @ 149 °C	
Dew Point	-20 °F	-29 °C	
PROCESSING NOTES			

The key to successfully molding this material is to start mold open cycles as soon as the screw reaches its retracted position.

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This information is intended to be used only as a guideline for designers and processors of modified thermoplastics. Because design and processing is complex, a set solution will not solve all problems. Observation on a "trial and error" basis may be required to achieve desired results.

Data are obtained from specimens molded under carefully controlled conditions from representative samples of the compound described herein.

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