



**Product Data Sheet &
General Processing Conditions**

**EMI 2161
Polyetherimide (PEI)
Stainless Steel Fiber
Electrically Conductive
EMI/RFI/ESD Protection**

PROPERTIES & AVERAGE VALUES OF INJECTION MOLDED SPECIMENS

PERMANENCE	English	SI Metric	ASTM TEST
Primary Additive	10 %	10 %	
Specific Gravity	1.39	1.39	D 792
Molding Shrinkage 1/8 in (3.2 mm) section	0.0060 - 0.0080 in/in	0.60 - 0.80 %	D 955

MECHANICAL

Impact Strength, Izod notched 1/8 in (3.2 mm) section	0.8 ft-lbs/in	43 J/m	D 256
unnotched 1/8 in (3.2 mm) section	11.0 ft-lbs/in	587 J/m	D 4812
Tensile Strength	15800 psi	109 MPa	D 638
Tensile Elongation	5.0 - 9.0 %	5.0 - 9.0 %	D 638
Tensile Modulus	0.54 x 10 ⁶ psi	3723 MPa	D 638
Flexural Strength	22000 psi	152 MPa	D 790
Flexural Modulus	0.58 x 10 ⁶ psi	3999 MPa	D 790

ELECTRICAL

Volume Resistivity	< 1E1 ohm.cm	< 1E1 ohm.cm	D 257
Surface Resistivity	< 1E6 ohm/sq	< 1E6 ohm/sq	D 257
Surface Resistance	< 1E5 ohm	< 1E5 ohm	ESD STM11.11
Static Decay MIL-PRF-81705D, 5kV to 50 V, 12% RH	< 0.50 s	< 0.50 s	FTMS101C 4046.1

THERMAL

Deflection Temperature @ 264 psi (1820 kPa)	390 °F	199 °C	D 648
@ 66 psi (455 kPa)	405 °F	207 °C	D 648
Ignition Resistance* Flammability**	V-0 @ 1/32 in	V-0 @ 0.8 mm	D 3801

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.

* This rating is not intended to reflect hazards of this or any other material under actual fire conditions.

** Values per RTP Company testing.

GENERAL PROCESSING FOR INJECTION MOLDING

	English	SI Metric
Injection Pressure	12000 - 18000 psi	83 - 124 MPa
Melt Temperature	670 - 750 °F	354 - 399 °C
Mold Temperature	275 - 350 °F	135 - 177 °C
Drying	4 hrs @ 300 °F	4 hrs @ 149 °C
Moisture Content	0.04 %	0.04 %
Dew Point	-20 °F	-29 °C

PROCESSING NOTES

Use a reverse barrel profile. Remove hopper magnets. Allow 4 - 5 shots to properly disperse the conductive fibers. The surface finish should have a silver streaking appearance, not clumps.
Remove hopper magnets.
Desiccant Type Dryer Required.

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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.

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