

TECAST T natural - Stock Shapes (rods, plates, tubes)

Chemical Designation

PA 6 C (Cast polyamide 6)

Colour

ivory opaque

Density

1.15 g/cm³

Data generated directly after machining
(standard climate Germany).

Main features

- good damping
- good slide and wear properties
- electrically insulating
- high strength
- good wear properties
- resistant to many oils, greases and fuels
- high toughness

Target Industries

- mechanical engineering
- food technology
- oil and gas industry
- automotive industry
- heavy duty industry

Mechanical properties

	parameter	value	unit	norm	comment
Tensile strength	50mm/min	83	MPa	DIN EN ISO 527-2	
Modulus of elasticity (tensile test)	1mm/min	3500	MPa	DIN EN ISO 527-2	1)
Tensile strength at yield	50mm/min	80	MPa	DIN EN ISO 527-2	
Elongation at yield (tensile test)	50mm/min	4	%	DIN EN ISO 527-2	
Elongation at break (tensile test)	50mm/min	40	%	DIN EN ISO 527-2	
Flexural strength	2mm/min, 10 N	109	MPa	DIN EN ISO 178	2)
Modulus of elasticity (flexural test)	2mm/min, 10 N	3200	MPa	DIN EN ISO 178	
Compression strength	1% / 2% / 5% 5mm/min, 10N	19/36/83	MPa	EN ISO 604	3)
Compression modulus	5mm/min, 10 N	2900	MPa	EN ISO 604	4)
Impact strength (Charpy)	max. 7,5J	n.b.	kJ/m ²	DIN EN ISO 179-1eU	5)
Notched impact strength (Charpy)	max. 7,5J	4	kJ/m ²	DIN EN ISO 179-1eA	
Shore hardness	D	83		DIN EN ISO 868	

Thermal properties

	parameter	value	unit	norm	comment
Glass transition temperature		40	°C	DIN EN ISO 11357	1)
Melting temperature		215	°C	DIN EN ISO 11357	
Service temperature	short term	170	°C		2)
Service temperature	long term	100	°C		
Thermal expansion (CLTE)	23-60°C, long.	12	10 ⁻⁵ K ⁻¹	DIN EN ISO 11359-1;2	
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Specific heat	1.7	J/(g*K)		ISO 22007-4:2008	
Thermal conductivity	0.38	W/(K*m)		ISO 22007-4:2008	

Electrical properties

	parameter	value	unit	norm	comment
surface resistivity	10 ¹⁴	Ω		DIN IEC 60093	
volume resistivity	10 ¹⁴	Ω*cm		DIN IEC 60093	

Other properties

	parameter	value	unit	norm	comment
Water absorption	24h / 96h (23°C)	0.2 / 0.4	%	DIN EN ISO 62	1)
Resistance to hot water/ bases	(+)		-		2)
Resistance to weathering	-		-		3)
Flammability (UL94)	corresponding to	HB		DIN IEC 60695-11-10;	4)

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