

DuPont™ Zytel® FG42A NC010

NYLON RESIN

Product Information

Zytel® FG42A is a high viscosity polyamide 66 for injection molding and extrusion. It has improved break resistance for thick-walled parts. It has been developed for consideration into applications such as parts for the food industry.

FOOD CONTACT

This product is manufactured according to Good Manufacturing Practice (GMP) principles and generally accepted in food contact applications in Europe and the USA when meeting applicable use conditions. For details, individual compliance statements are available from your DuPont representative.

General information	Value	Unit	Test Standard
Resin Identification	PA66	-	ISO 1043
Part Marking Code	PA66	-	ISO 11469
Rheological properties	dry / cond	Unit	Test Standard
Viscosity number	300 ⁽¹⁾ / *	cm ³ /g	ISO 307, 1157, 1628
Molding shrinkage, parallel	1.4 / -	%	ISO 294-4, 2577
Molding shrinkage, normal	1.4 / -	%	ISO 294-4, 2577
1: Sulfuric acid 96%			
Mechanical properties	dry / cond	Unit	Test Standard
Tensile Modulus	3100 / 1300	MPa	ISO 527-1/-2
Yield stress	83 / 55	MPa	ISO 527-1/-2
Yield strain	4.4 / 27	%	ISO 527-1/-2
Nominal strain at break	>50 / >50	%	ISO 527-1/-2
Flexural Modulus	2800 / 1070	MPa	ISO 178
Charpy impact strength			ISO 179/1eU
73 °F	N / N	kJ/m ²	
-22 °F	N / N	kJ/m ²	
Charpy notched impact strength			ISO 179/1eA
73 °F	6 / 20	kJ/m ²	
-22 °F	6 / 4	kJ/m ²	
Izod notched impact strength			ISO 180/1A
73 °F	6 / 23	kJ/m ²	
-22 °F	7 / 6	kJ/m ²	
Izod impact strength			ISO 180/1U
73 °F	N / N	kJ/m ²	
-22 °F	N / N	kJ/m ²	
Thermal properties	dry / cond	Unit	Test Standard
Melting temperature, 18 °F/min	262 / *	°C	ISO 11357-1/-3
Glass transition temperature, 18 °F/min	70 / -	°C	ISO 11357-1/-2
Temp. of deflection under load			ISO 75-1/-2
260 psi	70 / *	°C	
65 psi	200 / *	°C	
Vicat softening temperature, 90 °F/h, 11 lbf	244 / *	°C	ISO 306
Coeff. of linear therm. expansion, parallel	100 / *	E-6/K	ISO 11359-1/-2
Coeff. of linear therm. expansion, normal	100 / *	E-6/K	ISO 11359-1/-2
Thermal conductivity of melt	0.16	W/(m K)	-
Spec. heat capacity of melt	2790	J/(kg K)	-
RTI, electrical			UL 746B
30mil	125 / *	°C	
60mil	125 / *	°C	
120mil	125	°C	
240mil	125	°C	

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RTI, impact			UL 746B
30mil	65	°C	
60mil	75 / *	°C	
120mil	75	°C	
240mil	75	°C	
RTI, strength			UL 746B
30mil	65	°C	
60mil	85 / *	°C	
120mil	85	°C	
240mil	85	°C	
Flammability	dry / cond	Unit	Test Standard
Burning Behav. at 60mil nom. thickn.	HB / *	class	IEC 60695-11-10
Thickness tested	1.5 / *	mm	IEC 60695-11-10
UL recognition	yes / *	-	UL 94
Burning Behav. at thickness h	V-2 / *	class	IEC 60695-11-10
Thickness tested	3 / *	mm	IEC 60695-11-10
UL recognition	yes / *	-	UL 94
Oxygen index	28 / *	%	ISO 4589-1/-2
FMVSS Class	SE	-	ISO 3795 (FMVSS 302)
Electrical properties	dry / cond	Unit	Test Standard
Relative permittivity			IEC 62631-2-1
100Hz	4.3 / 10	-	
1MHz	3.6 / 4.2	-	
Dissipation factor			IEC 62631-2-1
100Hz	150 / 2000	E-4	
1MHz	150 / 750	E-4	
Volume resistivity	1E13 / 1E11	Ohm*m	IEC 62631-3-1
Electric strength	31 / -	kV/mm	IEC 60243-1
Other properties	dry / cond	Unit	Test Standard
Humidity absorption, 80mil	2.6 / *	%	Sim. to ISO 62
Water absorption, 80mil	8.5 / *	%	Sim. to ISO 62
Density	1140 / -	kg/m ³	ISO 1183
Density of melt	1010	kg/m ³	-
Injection	dry / cond	Unit	Test Standard
Drying Recommended	yes	-	-
Drying Temperature	≥80	°C	-
Drying Time, Dehumidified Dryer	2 - 4	h	-
Processing Moisture Content	≤0.2	%	-
Melt Temperature Optimum	290	°C	-
Min. melt temperature	280	°C	-
Max. melt temperature	300	°C	-
Max. screw tangential speed	0.4 / *	m/s	-
Mold Temperature Optimum	70	°C	-
Min. mold temperature	50	°C	-
Max. mold temperature	90	°C	-
Hold pressure range	50 - 100	MPa	-
Hold pressure time	4	s/mm	-
Ejection temperature	150	°C	-
Extrusion	Value	Unit	Test Standard
Drying Temperature	≤80	°C	-
Drying Time, Dehumidified Dryer	4 - 6	h	-
Processing Moisture Content	≤0.05	%	-
Melt Temperature Optimum	285	°C	-
Melt Temperature Range	280 - 290	°C	-

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Characteristics

Processing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Injection Molding • Film Extrusion • Profile Extrusion 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sheet Extrusion • Other Extrusion • Coating 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Casting
Delivery form	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pellets 		
Additives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Release agent 		
Regional Availability	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • North America • Europe 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Asia Pacific • South and Central America 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Near East/Africa • Global

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Chemical Media Resistance

Acids

- ✓ Acetic Acid (5% by mass) (23 °C)
- ✓ Citric Acid solution (10% by mass) (23 °C)
- ✓ Lactic Acid (10% by mass) (23 °C)
- ✗ Hydrochloric Acid (36% by mass) (23 °C)
- ✗ Nitric Acid (40% by mass) (23 °C)
- ✗ Sulfuric Acid (38% by mass) (23 °C)
- ✗ Sulfuric Acid (5% by mass) (23 °C)
- ✗ Chromic Acid solution (40% by mass) (23 °C)

Bases

- ✗ Sodium Hydroxide solution (35% by mass) (23 °C)
- ✓ Sodium Hydroxide solution (1% by mass) (23 °C)
- ✓ Ammonium Hydroxide solution (10% by mass) (23 °C)

Alcohols

- ✓ Isopropyl alcohol (23 °C)
- ✓ Methanol (23 °C)
- ✓ Ethanol (23 °C)

Hydrocarbons

- ✓ n-Hexane (23 °C)
- ✓ Toluene (23 °C)
- ✓ iso-Octane (23 °C)

Ketones

- ✓ Acetone (23 °C)

Ethers

- ✓ Diethyl ether (23 °C)

Mineral oils

- ✓ SAE 10W40 multigrade motor oil (23 °C)
- ✗ SAE 10W40 multigrade motor oil (130 °C)
- ✗ SAE 80/90 hypoid-gear oil (130 °C)
- ✓ Insulating Oil (23 °C)

Standard Fuels

- ✓ ISO 1817 Liquid 1 - E5 (60 °C)
- ✓ ISO 1817 Liquid 2 - M15E4 (60 °C)
- ✓ ISO 1817 Liquid 3 - M3E7 (60 °C)
- ✓ ISO 1817 Liquid 4 - M15 (60 °C)
- ✓ Standard fuel without alcohol (pref. ISO 1817 Liquid C) (23 °C)
- ✓ Standard fuel with alcohol (pref. ISO 1817 Liquid 4) (23 °C)



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- ✓ Diesel fuel (pref. ISO 1817 Liquid F) (23°C)
- ✓ Diesel fuel (pref. ISO 1817 Liquid F) (90°C)
- ✗ Diesel fuel (pref. ISO 1817 Liquid F) (>90°C)

Salt solutions

- ✓ Sodium Chloride solution (10% by mass) (23°C)
- ✗ Sodium Hypochlorite solution (10% by mass) (23°C)
- ✓ Sodium Carbonate solution (20% by mass) (23°C)
- ✓ Sodium Carbonate solution (2% by mass) (23°C)
- ✗ Zinc Chloride solution (50% by mass) (23°C)

Other

- ✓ Ethyl Acetate (23°C)
- ✗ Hydrogen peroxide (23°C)
- ✗ DOT No. 4 Brake fluid (130°C)
- ✗ Ethylene Glycol (50% by mass) in water (108°C)
- ✓ 1% nonylphenoxy-polyethyleneoxy ethanol in water (23°C)
- ✓ 50% Oleic acid + 50% Olive Oil (23°C)
- ✓ Water (23°C)
- ✗ Water (90°C)
- ✗ Phenol solution (5% by mass) (23°C)

Symbols used:

✓ possibly resistant

Defined as: Supplier has sufficient indication that contact with chemical can be potentially accepted under the intended use conditions and expected service life. Criteria for assessment have to be indicated (e.g. surface aspect, volume change, property change).

✗ not recommended - see explanation

Defined as: Not recommended for general use. However, short-term exposure under certain restricted conditions could be acceptable (e.g. fast cleaning with thorough rinsing, spills, wiping, vapor exposure).

Contact DuPont for Material Safety Data Sheet, general guides and/or additional information about ventilation, handling, purging, drying, etc. ISO Mechanical properties measured at 160 mil (Hytrel® measured at 80 mil), IEC Electrical properties measured at 80 mil, all ASTM properties measured at 120 mil, and test temperatures are 73°F unless otherwise stated.

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