

PP/PE Compound

Fibremod™ GB478SFB

Polypropylene Glass Fibre Reinforced Compound

Description

GB478SFB is a 40 % chemically coupled high performance glass fibre reinforced polypropylene compound intended for injection moulding.

Typical characteristics

Fibremod™ GB478SFB can be described with following typical characteristics:

Applications

Fibremod™ GB478SFB is intended for following applications:

Appliances

GB478SFB has been developed especially for appliances industry and advanced products.

Physical properties

Property	Typical value *	Unit	Test method
Density	1230	kg/m ³	ISO 1183-1
Melt flow rate (230 °C/2.16 kg)	2,5	g/10min	ISO 1133-1
Flexural modulus (2 mm/min)	8000	MPa	ISO 178
Charpy impact strength, notched (23 °C)	9	kJ/m ²	ISO 179-1/1eA
Heat deflection temperature A (1.80 MPa)	140	°C	ISO 75-2
Tensile stress at yield (50 mm/min)	95	MPa	ISO 527-2

* Data should not be used for specification work

Values determined on standard injection moulded specimens conditioned at 23°C and 50% relative humidity after at least 96 hours storage time.

Processing techniques

GB478SFB is recommended to pre-dry before processing.
 The actual conditions will depend on the type of equipment used.
 To avoid residual humidity from transport or storage, the material should be pre-dried for approximately 2h at 80°C.
 The following moulding parameters should be used as guidelines:

Processing setting	Typical value/range
Feeding temperature	40 - 80 °C
Mass temperature	220 - 260 °C
Back pressure	Low to medium
Holding pressure	30 - 70 MPa
Screw speed	Low to medium
Flow front speed	100 - 200 mm/s

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Packaging and storage

Fibremod™ GB478SFB should be stored in dry conditions at temperatures below 50°C and protected from UV-light. Improper storage can initiate degradation, which can result in odour generation and colour changes and can have negative effects on the physical properties of this product.

Product compliance documents

Latest versions of product safety information sheets (PSIS), product safety data sheets (SDS) and other product liability documents are available on our website www.borealisgroup.com.

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Regional Availability

South America

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