

Polypropylene

Borcycle™ GE2331SY

Polypropylene Glass Fibre Reinforced Compound



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Description

Borcycle™ GE2331SY is a 20% chemically coupled glass fibre reinforced polypropylene compound. This material contains 40% post-consumer recycled polymer and is intended for injection molding.

Typical characteristics

Borcycle™ GE2331SY can be described with following typical characteristics:

Excellent flowability	Low volatiles
Recycled content	Good impact strength

Applications

Borcycle™ GE2331SY is intended for following applications:

Automotive interior applications	Instrument panel carriers
Center consoles	Structural interior parts

Physical properties

Property	Typical value *	Unit	Test method
Density	1050	kg/m ³	ISO 1183-1
Melt flow rate (230 °C/2.16 kg)	11.0	g/10min	ISO 1133-1
Tensile modulus (1 mm/min)	4600	MPa	ISO527-1
Tensile strength (50 mm/min)	60	MPa	ISO527-1
Heat deflection temperature B (0.45 MPa)	155	°C	ISO 75-2
Charpy impact strength, notched (23 °C)	7.5	kJ/m ²	ISO 179-1

* Data should not be used for specification work

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

Processing techniques

This product is easy to process with standard injection molding machines. To avoid residual humidity from transport or storage, the material should be pre-dried approximately 2-4 h at 80-120 °C. Following parameters should be used as guidelines:

Processing setting	Typical value/range
Feeding temperature	40 - 80 °C
Mass temperature	210 - 250 °C
Back pressure	Low to medium
Holding pressure	30 - 60 bar
Mould temperature	30 - 50 °C
Screw speed	Low to medium
Flow front speed	100 - 200 mm/s

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Packaging and storage

Borcycle™ GE2331SY 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 in our website www.borealisgroup.com.

Sustainability aspects

Borealis is ever mindful of the impact of our products on the planet. We promote Design for Circularity (DfC) and Design for Recycling (DfR) to conserve natural resources and to reduce the environmental impact of products over their entire lifetime (including production, use phase and after phase). DfR helps ensure that material can be effectively recycled while maximizing the material performance efficiency.

Further information on sustainability and Design for Recycling (DfR) can be found from our websites www.borealisgroup.com and www.borealiseverminds.com.

Regional Availability

Europe

North America: grade available under the name GE2331SYU

Asia: grade available via Borouge under the name GE2331SYC

For information on regional availability please contact Borealis Sales Representative.

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