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# Polypropylene Homopolymer

### **Description**

HG385MO is a polypropylene homopolymer intended for injection moulding. This product is characterized by excellent flow properties combined with a narrow molecular weight distribution well suited for low distortion products.

This grade uses Borealis Nucleation Technology (BNT) to increase productivity by cycle time reduction.

BNT in combination with excellent stiffness and good flow properties creates a high potential for wall-thickness reduction. As with all BNT grades, products originating from this grade offer excellent dimension consistency with respect to different colors.

Products moulded from this grade exhibit excellent dimension consistency combined with high stiffness.

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#### **Typical characteristics**

HG385MO can be described with following typical characteristics:

High stiffness Excellent antistatic properties

#### **Applications**

HG385MO is intended for following applications:

Articles requiring good antistatic properties Caps and closures

#### **Physical properties**

Property	Typical value *	Unit	Test method
Density	905	kg/m³	ISO 1183-1
Melt flow rate (230 °C/2.16 kg)	25	g/10min	ISO 1133-1
Flexural modulus	1700	MPa	ISO 178
Tensile modulus (1 mm/min)	1750	MPa	ISO 527-2
Tensile stress at yield (50 mm/min)	36	MPa	ISO 527-2
Tensile strain at yield (50 mm/min)	8	%	ISO 527-2
Charpy impact strength, notched (23 °C)	3.0	kJ/m²	ISO 179-1/1eA
Heat deflection temperature B (0.45 MPa) 1	108	°C	ISO 75-2

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Measured on injection moulded specimens acc. to ISO 1873-2

# **Processing techniques**

HG385MO is easy to process with standard injection moulding machines. Following parameters should be used as guidelines:

Processing setting	Typical value/range		
Melt temperature	220 - 260 °C		
Holding pressure <sup>2</sup>	200 - 500 bar		
Injection speed	As high as possible.		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Minimum to avoid sink marks.

Shrinkage 1 - 2 %, depending on wall thickness and moulding parameters.



<sup>\*</sup> Data should not be used for specification work

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# Packaging and storage

HG385MO 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.

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