



## Product Data Sheet & General Processing Conditions

### RTP 103 Polypropylene (PP) Glass Fiber

#### PROPERTIES & AVERAGE VALUES OF INJECTION MOLDED SPECIMENS

| PERMANENCE              | English               | SI Metric     | ASTM TEST |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|---------------|-----------|
| Primary Additive        | 20 %                  | 20 %          |           |
| Specific Gravity        | 1.03                  | 1.03          | D 792     |
| Melt Flow Rate          |                       |               |           |
| @ 230 °C, / 2.16 kg     | 3.00 g/10 min         | 3.00 g/10 min | D 1238    |
| Molding Shrinkage       |                       |               |           |
| 1/8 in (3.2 mm) section | 0.0020 - 0.0050 in/in | 0.20 - 0.50 % | D 955     |

#### MECHANICAL

|                                   |                            |             |        |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|--------|
| Impact Strength, Izod             |                            |             |        |
| notched 1/8 in (3.2 mm) section   | 0.9 ft-lbs/in              | 48 J/m      | D 256  |
| unnotched 1/8 in (3.2 mm) section | 6.0 ft-lbs/in              | 320 J/m     | D 4812 |
| Tensile Strength                  | 6800 psi                   | 47 MPa      | D 638  |
| Tensile Elongation                | 3.0 - 4.0 %                | 3.0 - 4.0 % | D 638  |
| Tensile Modulus                   | 0.65 x 10 <sup>6</sup> psi | 4482 MPa    | D 638  |
| Flexural Strength                 | 10500 psi                  | 72 MPa      | D 790  |
| Flexural Modulus                  | 0.50 x 10 <sup>6</sup> psi | 3448 MPa    | D 790  |

#### THERMAL

|                        |              |             |       |
|------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------|
| Deflection Temperature |              |             |       |
| @ 264 psi (1820 kPa)   | 250 °F       | 121 °C      | D 648 |
| @ 66 psi (455 kPa)     | 300 °F       | 149 °C      | D 648 |
| Ignition Resistance*   |              |             |       |
| Flammability**         | HB @ 1/16 in | HB @ 1.5 mm | D 635 |

#### PROPERTY NOTES

Data herein is typical and not to be construed as specifications.

Unless otherwise specified, all data listed is for natural or black colored materials. Pigments can affect properties.

\* This rating is not intended to reflect hazards of this or any other material under actual fire conditions.

\*\* Values per RTP Company testing.

#### GENERAL PROCESSING FOR INJECTION MOLDING

|                    | English           | SI Metric     |
|--------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| Injection Pressure | 10000 - 15000 psi | 69 - 103 MPa  |
| Melt Temperature   | 375 - 450 °F      | 191 - 232 °C  |
| Mold Temperature   | 90 - 150 °F       | 32 - 66 °C    |
| Drying             | 2 hrs @ 175 °F    | 2 hrs @ 79 °C |

#### PROCESSING NOTES

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This information is intended to be used only as a guideline for designers and processors of modified thermoplastics. Because design and processing is complex, a set solution will not solve all problems. Observation on a "trial and error" basis may be required to achieve desired results.

Data are obtained from specimens molded under carefully controlled conditions from representative samples of the compound described herein. Properties may be materially affected by molding techniques applied and by the size and shape of the item molded. No assurance can be implied that all molded articles will have the same properties as those listed.

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