

Styrolution PS 1290/1291

General Purpose Polystyrene (GPPS)

TECHNICAL DATASHEET

FEATURES

- Low residual styrene monomer content
- High melt strength and stiffness
- UL Classification 94 HB for 1290 (www.UL.comfile E57787)

APPLICATIONS

- Biaxially oriented sheet (OPS)
- Extrusion/thermoforming foam sheet
- Food service and food packaging containers
- Application that require hight clarity and not taste or odor transfer

Property, Test Condition	Standard	Unit	Values
Rheological Properties			
Melt Flow Rate, 200 °C/5 kg	ASTM D 1238	g/10 min	1.6
Mechanical Properties			
Izod Notched Impact Strength, 23 °C (73 °F)	ASTM D 256	ft-lb/in	0.4
Tensile Stress at Yield, 23 °C	ASTM D 638	psi	7600
Tensile Modulus	ASTM D 638	psi x 10 ³	460
Elongation, Failure	ASTM D 638	%	3
Flexural Strength, 23 °C	ASTM D 790		15500
Flexural Modulus, 23 °C	ASTM D 790	psi x 10 ³	480
Hardness, Rockwell	ASTM D 785	M scale	78
Thermal Properties			
Vicat Softening Temperature, B/1 (120 °C/h, 10N)	ASTM D 1525	°F	228
Heat Deflection Temperature A; (annealed 4 h/80 °C; 1.8 MPa)	-	°F	203
Coefficient of Linear Thermal Expansion	ASTM D 696	10 ⁻⁴ /°F	0.4
Electrical Properties			
Dielectric Constant at 106 CPS (1000000 Hz, 0,0394 in)	ASTM D 150	-	2.5
Dielectric Strength, 1/8"	ASTM D 149	kV/in	500
Optical Properties			
Refractive Index, Sodium D Line	ASTM D 542	-	1.59
Light Transmission at 550 nm	ASTM D 1003	%	88 - 90
Optical Density, 400–700 nm avg.	-	-	0.046

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Bulk Density (with external lubricant)	-	lb/ft ³	42 - 45
Bulk Density (without external lubricant)	-	lb/ft ³	37 - 40
Density (ASTM)	ASTM D 792	g/cm ³	1.04
Processing			
Melt Temperature Range	-	°F	360 - 530
Mold Temperature Range	-	°F	100 - 180
Linear Mold Shrinkage	ASTM D 955	in/in	0.004-0.007

Typical values for uncolored products

Please note that all processing data stated are only indicative and may vary depending on the individual processing complexities.

Please consult our local sales or technical representatives for details.

SUPPLY FORM

Styrolution PS 1290 can be supplied in two versions, with (grade name ending in 1) or without an external lubricant (grade name ending in 0) for improving pneumatic conveying. Styrolution PS resins are available in bulk railcar and bulk truckload quantities.

PRODUCT SAFETY

Styrolution PS resins are biologically and chemically inert, but improper disposal may present an ingestion hazard to wildlife. Where recycling of Styrolution PS resins is not possible, disposal to landfill or incineration in accordance with all applicable government laws and regulations is recommended. Please contact Styrolution Technical Service for further information on recycling and disposal of Styrolution resins.

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