

XECARB® 15-C20-3DP

20% carbon fiber reinforced PEI, 3D printing modified

Physical properties

	Test condition	Standard	Unit	Dam / Cond.
Density		ISO 1183	g/cm ³	1,35
Water absorption (Equilibrium value)	23 °C ; 50 % RH		%	
Water absorption (Saturation value)	23°C ; H ₂ O		%	
Post-shrinkage				
parallel		Sim. ISO 294-4	%	
normal		Sim. ISO 294-4	%	

Mechanical properties – Injection molded

Tensile modulus	1 mm/min	ISO 527	MPa	19000
Tensile strength at break	5 mm/min	ISO 527	MPa	210
Tensile elongation at break	5 mm/min	ISO 527	%	1,5
Flexural modulus	2 mm/min	ISO 178	MPa	15000
Flexural strength	2 mm/min	ISO 178	MPa	280
Flexural stress at 3.5% strain	2 mm/min	ISO 178	MPa	
Flexural strain at break	2 mm/min	ISO 178	%	2,2
Notched Izod impact strength	23 °C ; 50 % RH	ISO 180	kJ/m ²	7
Unnotched Izod impact strength	23 °C ; 50 % RH	ISO 180	kJ/m ²	27

Mechanical properties – 3D printed

Tensile modulus				
Longitudinal	1 mm/min	ISO 527	MPa	15000
Transversal	1 mm/min	ISO 527	MPa	6000
Tensile strength at break				
Longitudinal	5 mm/min	ISO 527	MPa	150
Transversal	5 mm/min	ISO 527	MPa	70
Tensile elongation at break				
Longitudinal	5 mm/min	ISO 527	%	1,3
Transversal	5 mm/min	ISO 527	%	1,0
Flexural modulus				
Longitudinal	2 mm/min	ISO 178	MPa	12000
Transversal	2 mm/min	ISO 178	MPa	5000
Flexural strength				
Longitudinal	2 mm/min	ISO 178	MPa	200
Transversal	2 mm/min	ISO 178	MPa	100

Thermal properties

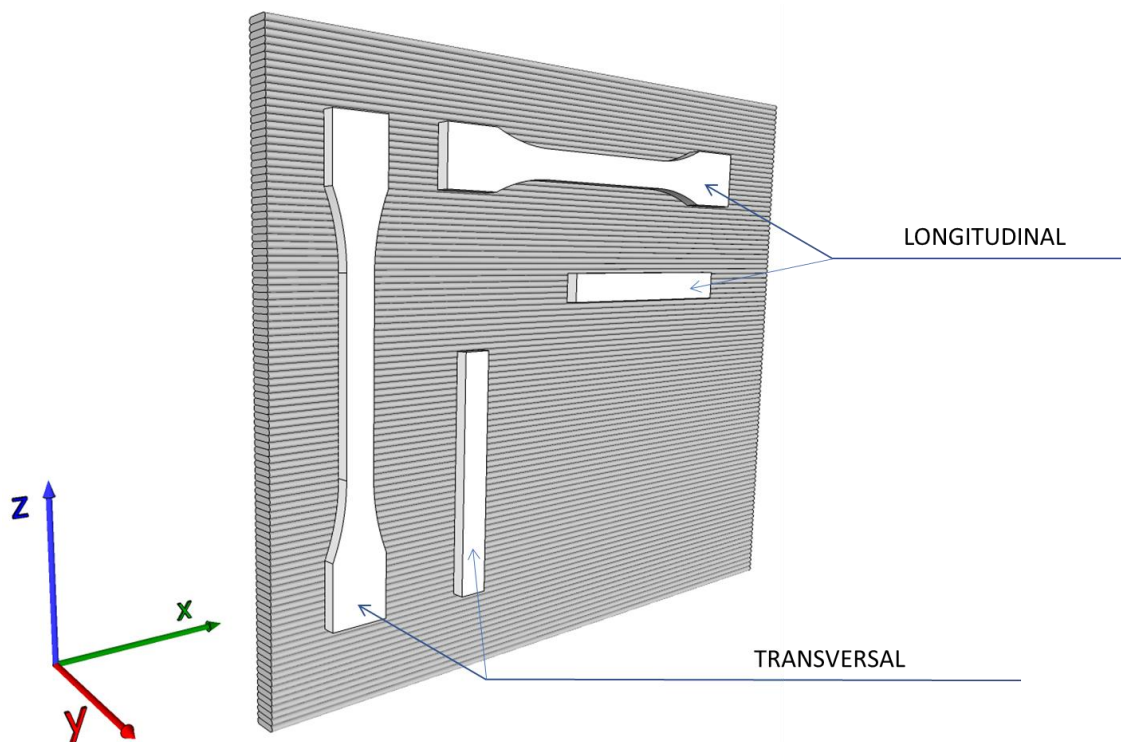
Melting point	10 °C/min	ISO 11357	°C	
HDT – heat deflection temperature	0,45 MPa a 120 °C/h	ISO 75	°C	
HDT – heat deflection temperature	1,80 MPa a 120 °C/h	ISO 75	°C	205
HDT – heat deflection temperature	8.00 MPa a 120 °C/h	ISO 75	°C	

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Process recommendation

	Test condition	Standard	Unit	Value
Drying temperature	desiccant dryer		°C	80–100
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Melt temperature			°C	350
Nozzle temperature			°C	380
Bed temperature			°C	120



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Test values

Unless specified to the contrary, the values given have been established on standardized test specimens at room temperature. The figures should be regarded as guide values only and not as binding minimum values. Kindly note that, under certain conditions, the properties can be affected to a considerable extent by the design of the mould/die, the processing conditions and the coloring.

Processing note

Under the recommended processing condition small quantities of decomposition product may be given off during processing. To preclude any risk to the health and well-being of the machine operatives, tolerance limits for the work environment must be ensured by the provision of efficient exhaust ventilation and fresh air at the workplace in accordance with the Safety Data Sheet. In order to prevent the partial decomposition of the polymer and the generation of volatile decomposition products, the prescribed processing temperatures should not be substantially exceeded. Since excessively high temperatures are generally the result of operator error or defects in the heating system, special care and controls are essential in these areas.

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