

SABIC LEXAN™ HP2

LEXAN HP2 is a medium flow polycarbonate (PC) with an MVR (300°C/1.2kg) of 16. This is a biocompatible (ISO10993 or USP Class VI) grade for medical devices and pharmaceutical applications. It is EtO and steam sterilizable, contains mold release and adheres to our healthcare management of change policy.
Information provided by SABIC

Physical Properties	Metric	English	Comments
Specific Gravity	1.20 g/cc	1.20 g/cc	ASTM D792
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Density	1.19 g/cc	0.0430 lb/in³	ASTM D792
Water Absorption	0.15 %	0.15 %	24 hours; ASTM D570
Moisture Absorption at Equilibrium	0.35 %	0.35 %	ASTM D570
	0.58 % @Temperature 100 °C	0.58 % @Temperature 212 °F	ASTM D570
Linear Mold Shrinkage, Flow	0.0050 - 0.0070 cm/cm @Thickness 3.20 mm	0.0050 - 0.0070 in/in @Thickness 0.126 in	SABIC method
Melt Flow	16 g/10 min @Load 1.20 kg, Temperature 300 °C	16 g/10 min @Load 2.65 lb, Temperature 572 °F	cm³/10 min; ISO 1133
	17.5 g/10 min @Load 1.20 kg, Temperature 300 °C	17.5 g/10 min @Load 2.65 lb, Temperature 572 °F	ASTM D1238

Mechanical Properties	Metric	English	Comments
Hardness, Rockwell M	70	70	ASTM D785
Hardness, Rockwell R	118	118	ASTM D785
Tensile Strength at Break	65.0 MPa	9430 psi	50 mm/min; ISO 527
	68.0 MPa	9860 psi	50 mm/min; ASTM D638
Tensile Strength, Yield	62.0 MPa	8990 psi	50 mm/min; ASTM D638
	63.0 MPa	9140 psi	50 mm/min; ISO 527
Elongation at Break	100 %	100 %	50 mm/min; ISO 527
	125 %	125 %	50 mm/min; ASTM D638
Elongation at Yield	6.0 %	6.0 %	50 mm/min; ISO 527
	7.0 %	7.0 %	50 mm/min; ASTM D638
Tensile Modulus	2.35 GPa	341 ksi	1mm/min; ISO 527
	2.37 GPa	344 ksi	50 mm/min; ASTM D638
Flexural Yield Strength	90.0 MPa	13100 psi	2 mm/min; ISO 178
	96.0 MPa	13900 psi	1.3 mm/min, 50 mm span; ASTM D790
Flexural Modulus	2.30 GPa	334 ksi	2 mm/min; ISO 178
	2.34 GPa	339 ksi	1.3 mm/min, 50 mm span; ASTM D790
Izod Impact, Notched	6.94 J/cm	13.0 ft-lb/in	ASTM D256
Izod Impact, Unnotched	32.04 J/cm	60.02 ft-lb/in	ASTM D4812
Izod Impact, Notched (ISO)	12.0 kJ/m²	5.71 ft-lb/in²	80*10*4; ISO 180/1A
	10.0 kJ/m² @Temperature -30.0 °C	4.76 ft-lb/in² @Temperature -22.0 °F	80*10*4; ISO 180/1A
Izod Impact, Unnotched (ISO)	NB	NB	80*10*4; ISO 180/1U
	NB @Temperature -30.0 °C	NB @Temperature -22.0 °F	80*10*4; ISO 180/1U
Charpy Impact Unnotched	NB	NB	Edgew 80*10*4 sp=62mm; ISO 179/1eU

	NB @Temperature -30.0 °C	NB @Temperature -22.0 °F	Edgew 80*10*4 sp=62mm; ISO 179/1eU
Charpy Impact, Notched	3.50 J/cm ²	16.7 ft-lb/in ²	ISO 179/2C
Tensile Impact Strength	546 kJ/m ²	260 ft-lb/in ²	ASTM D1822
Dart Drop, Total Energy	62.0 J	45.7 ft-lb	peak; ASTM D3763
Falling Dart Impact	169 J	125 ft-lb	ASTM D3029
Taber Abrasion, mg/1000 Cycles	10	10	CS-17, 1 kg; ASTM D1044

Electrical Properties	Metric	English	Comments
Volume Resistivity	>= 1.00e+15 ohm-cm	>= 1.00e+15 ohm-cm	IEC 60093
	>= 1.00e+17 ohm-cm	>= 1.00e+17 ohm-cm	ASTM D257
Surface Resistance	>= 1.00e+15 ohm	>= 1.00e+15 ohm	ROA; IEC 60093
Dielectric Constant	2.7	2.7	IEC 60250
	@Frequency 1e+6 Hz	@Frequency 1e+6 Hz	
	2.7	2.7	IEC 60250
	@Frequency 50.0 - 60.0 Hz	@Frequency 50.0 - 60.0 Hz	
	2.96	2.96	ASTM D150
Dielectric Strength	@Frequency 1e+6 Hz	@Frequency 1e+6 Hz	
	3.17	3.17	ASTM D150
	@Frequency 50.0 - 60.0 Hz	@Frequency 50.0 - 60.0 Hz	
	14.9 kV/mm	378 kV/in	in air; ASTM D149
	@Thickness 3.20 mm	@Thickness 0.126 in	
Dissipation Factor	17.0 kV/mm	432 kV/in	in oil; IEC 60243-1
	@Thickness 3.20 mm	@Thickness 0.126 in	
	0.00090	0.00090	ASTM D150
	@Frequency 50.0 - 60.0 Hz	@Frequency 50.0 - 60.0 Hz	
	0.0010	0.0010	IEC 60250
Comparative Tracking Index	@Frequency 50.0 - 60.0 Hz	@Frequency 50.0 - 60.0 Hz	
	0.010	0.010	IEC 60250
	@Frequency 1e+6 Hz	@Frequency 1e+6 Hz	
	0.010	0.010	ASTM D150
	@Frequency 1e+6 Hz	@Frequency 1e+6 Hz	
Hot Wire Ignition, HWI	250 - 400 V	250 - 400 V	UL 746A
High Amp Arc Ignition, HAI	30 - 60 sec	30 - 60 sec	UL 746A
High Voltage Arc-Tracking Rate, HVTR	60 - 120 arcs	60 - 120 arcs	UL 746A
	25.4 - 80.0 mm/min	1.00 - 3.15 in/min	UL 746A

Thermal Properties	Metric	English	Comments
CTE, linear, Parallel to Flow	68.4 µm/m-°C	38.0 µin/in-°F	ASTM E831
	@Temperature -40.0 - 95.0 °C	@Temperature -40.0 - 203 °F	
	70.0 µm/m-°C	38.9 µin/in-°F	ISO 11359-2
	@Temperature 23.0 - 80.0 °C	@Temperature 73.4 - 176 °F	
Specific Heat Capacity	1.25 J/g-°C	0.299 BTU/lb-°F	ASTM C 351
Thermal Conductivity	0.190 W/m-K	1.32 BTU-in/hr-ft ² -°F	ASTM C177
	0.200 W/m-K	1.39 BTU-in/hr-ft ² -°F	ISO 8302
Hot Ball Pressure Test	125 °C	257 °F	IEC 60695-10-2
Deflection Temperature at 0.46 MPa (66 psi)	133 °C	271 °F	Edgew 120*10*4 sp=100mm; ISO 75/Be

Deflection Temperature at 1.8 MPa (264 psi)	137 °C @Thickness 6.40 mm	279 °F @Thickness 0.252 in	unannealed; ASTM D648
	122 °C	252 °F	1.8 MPa Edgew 120*10*4 sp=100mm; ISO 75/Ae
Vicat Softening Point	129 °C @Thickness 6.40 mm	264 °F @Thickness 0.252 in	unannealed; ASTM D648
	140 °C	284 °F	Rate B/50; ISO 306
	141 °C	286 °F	Rate B/120; ISO 306
	154 °C	309 °F	Rate B/50; ASTM D1525
UL RTI, Electrical	130 °C	266 °F	UL 746B
UL RTI, Mechanical with Impact	130 °C	266 °F	UL 746B
UL RTI, Mechanical without Impact	130 °C	266 °F	UL 746B
Flammability, UL94	HB @Thickness 1.47 mm	HB @Thickness 0.0579 in	UL 94
Oxygen Index	25 %	25 %	ISO 4589

Optical Properties	Metric	English	Comments
Refractive Index	1.586	1.586	ASTM D542
Haze	1.0 % @Thickness 2.54 mm	1.0 % @Thickness 0.100 in	ASTM D1003
Transmission, Visible	88 % @Thickness 2.54 mm	88 % @Thickness 0.100 in	ASTM D1003

Processing Properties	Metric	English	Comments
Nozzle Temperature	275 - 300 °C	527 - 572 °F	Injection Molding
Zone 1	260 - 280 °C	500 - 536 °F	
Zone 2	270 - 295 °C	518 - 563 °F	
Zone 3	280 - 305 °C	536 - 581 °F	
Melt Temperature	280 - 305 °C	536 - 581 °F	
Mold Temperature	70.0 - 95.0 °C	158 - 203 °F	
Drying Temperature	120 °C	248 °F	Injection Molding
Dry Time	3.00 - 4.00 hour	3.00 - 4.00 hour	Injection Molding
	48.0 hour	48.0 hour	Cumulative; Injection Molding
Moisture Content	0.020 %	0.020 %	
Back Pressure	0.300 - 0.700 MPa	43.5 - 102 psi	
Shot Size	40 - 60 %	40 - 60 %	
Vent Depth	0.00250 - 0.00760 cm	0.000984 - 0.00299 in	
Screw Speed	40 - 70 rpm	40 - 70 rpm	

Compliance Properties	Metric	English	Comments
USP Class VI	Yes	Yes	