



Technical Information



Dyneon™

TF 3712

PTFE Compound

Features

- Dyneon™ PTFE Compound with 15 % glass fibre and 5% molybdenumdisulfide
- Low flow compound

Typical properties

Property	Test Method	Unit	Value
Bulk density	ASTM D 4894-07	g/l	490
Shrinkage	ASTM D 4894-07	%	1.4
Specific gravity	ASTM D 4745-06	g/cm ³	2.27

Mechanical properties, on sintered moldings

Tensile strength	ASTM D 4745-06	MPa	24.0
Elongation at break	ASTM D 4745-06	%	280
Hardness	DIN 53505	Shore 'D'	68

Recommended processing procedures

If transport or storage temperatures are too high the material can agglomerate in its container. In such cases, it is advisable to store the material for 48 hours at below 23 °C and then to sieve it (mesh size 4 mm) before filling the mold. To achieve optimum properties, compression molding should be carried out within a temperature range of 23 °C to 26 °C and a humidity range of 45 % to 55 % and a pressure of 45 MPa. The maximum sintering temperature should be 365 °C.

Supply form

Dyneon™ TF 3712 PTFE compound is supplied in moisture and dust tight plastic boxes.

Capacity per box: 25 kg
Order quantity per pallet: 300 kg



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Storage and Material Handling

Dyneon™ TF 3712 can be stored for a relatively long period of time. It should preferably be stored in a clean, dry place at a temperature of less than 30 °C. Before processing it is advisable to store the material in the sealed boxes for 24 hours in the production area. This is particularly important when ambient temperature is low; in such cases the material should be conditioned for up to 72 hours in the production area in the temperature range as recommended.

Safety/Toxicology

This is a PTFE material, so normal precautions observed with PTFE should be followed. Before processing this product, consult the Material Safety Data Sheet and follow all label directions and handling precautions. General handling/processing precautions include: (1) Process only in well-ventilated areas; (2) Do not smoke in areas contaminated with powder/residue from these products; (3) Avoid eye contact; (4) After handling these products wash any contacted skin with soap and water. (5) Avoid contact with hot fluoropolymer. Potential hazards, including evolution of toxic vapors, can exist if processing occurs under excessively high temperature conditions. Vapor extractor units should be installed above processing equipment. When cleaning processing equipment, do not burn off any of this product with an open flame or in a furnace.

Management systems

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General recommendations on health and safety in processing, on work hygiene and on measures to be taken in the event of accident are detailed in our material safety data sheets.

You will find further notes on the safe handling of fluoropolymers in the brochure "Guide for the safe handling of Fluoropolymers Resins" by PlasticsEurope, Box 3, B-11160 Brussels, Tel. +32 (2) 676 17 32.

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