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Description

Riteflex 425 is a nominal 25 Shore D thermoplastic polyester elastomer with low modulus and outstanding low temperature impact, and tear resistance.

Physical properties	Value	Unit	Test Standard
Density	1060	kg/m ³	ISO 1183
Melt flow rate (MFR)	13	g/10 min	ISO 1133
MFR test temperature	190	°C	ISO 1133
MFR test load	2.16	kg	ISO 1133
Mold shrinkage - parallel	1.2	%	ISO 294-4
Mold shrinkage - normal	1.2	%	ISO 294-4

Mechanical properties	Value	Unit	Test Standard
Tensile stress at 50% strain (50mm/min)	3	MPa	ISO 527-2/1A
Tensile stress at break (50mm/min)	10	MPa	ISO 527-2/1A
Tensile strain at break (50mm/min)	750	%	ISO 527-2/1A
Flexural modulus (23°C)	17	MPa	ISO 178
Flexural modulus (-40°C)	162	MPa	ISO 178
Flexural modulus (100°C)	8	MPa	ISO 178
Flexural strength (23°C)	1	MPa	ISO 178
Flexural stress @ 3.5% strain	1	MPa	ISO 178
Charpy impact strength @ 23°C	NB	kJ/m ²	ISO 179/1eU
Charpy impact strength @ -30°C	NB	kJ/m ²	ISO 179/1eU
Charpy notched impact strength @ 23°C	NB	kJ/m ²	ISO 179/1eA
Charpy notched impact strength @ -30°C	NB	kJ/m ²	ISO 179/1eA
Unnotched impact str (Izod) @ 23°C	N	kJ/m ²	ISO 180/1U
Unnotched impact str (Izod) @ -30°C	N	kJ/m ²	ISO 180/1U
Notched impact strength (Izod) @ 23°C	NB	kJ/m ²	ISO 180/1A
Notched impact strength (Izod) @ -30°C	N	kJ/m ²	ISO 180/1A
Notched impact strength (Izod) @ -40°C	N	kJ/m ²	ISO 180/1A
Shore hardness A scale 15 sec value	79	-	ISO 868
Shore hardness D scale 15 sec value	24	-	ISO 868
Bayshore resilience	65	%	Internal
Ross flex	>1000000	cycles	Internal

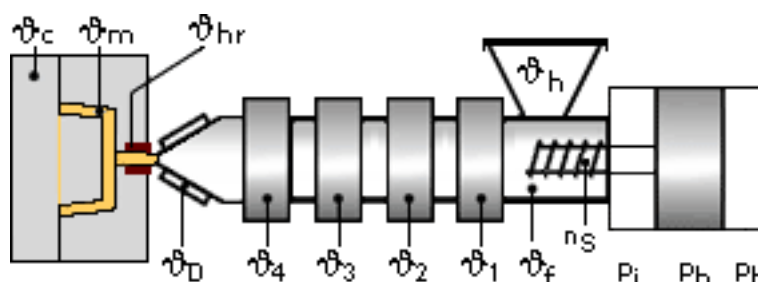
Thermal properties	Value	Unit	Test Standard
Melting temperature (10°C/min)	155	°C	ISO 11357-1,-2,-3
DTUL @ 0.45 MPa	42	°C	ISO 75-1/-2
Coeff.of linear therm. expansion (parallel)	2.5	E-4/°C	ISO 11359-2
Flammability @1.6mm nom. thickn.	HB	class	UL94
thickness tested (1.6)	1.5	mm	UL94

Electrical properties	Value	Unit	Test Standard
Relative permittivity - 1 MHz	5.1	-	IEC 60250
Volume resistivity	2E12	Ohm*m	IEC 60093
Surface resistivity	2E14	Ohm	IEC 60093
Electric strength	24	kV/mm	IEC 60243-1
Comparative tracking index CTI	>600	-	IEC 60112

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Mechanical-TPE properties	Value	Unit	Test Standard
Stress at 5% elongation	1	MPa	ISO 527-1/-2
Stress at 10% elongation	2	MPa	ISO 527-1/-2
Stress at 50% elongation	3	MPa	ISO 727-1/2
Tear strength (Die C, parallel)	61	kN/m	ISO 34-1
Tear strength (Die C, normal)	62	kN/m	ISO 34-1

Typical injection moulding processing conditions



Pre Drying:

Necessary low maximum residual moisture content: 0.05%

To avoid hydrolytic degradation during processing, Riteflex resins have to be dried to a moisture level equal to or less than 0.05%. Drying should be done in a dehumidifying hopper dryer capable of dewpoints <-40°F (-40°C) at 225°F (107°C) for 4 hours.

For subsequent storage of the material in the dryer until processed (<= 60 h) it is necessary to lower the temperature to 100° C.

Drying time: 4 h

Drying temperature: 100 - 110 °C

Temperature:

	ϕ Manifold	ϕ Mold	ϕ Melt	ϕ Nozzle	ϕ Zone4	ϕ Zone3	ϕ Zone2	ϕ Zone1	ϕ Feed	ϕ Hopper
min (°C)	170	20	170	170	170	170	170	155	155	20
max (°C)	190	55	190	190	180	180	180	170	170	50

Speed:

Injection speed: medium-fast

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