

Technical data

KEBALLOY EP 25

KEBALLOY EP 25 is an unreinforced ABS/PC polymer blend that is particularly suitable for the production of sophisticated chrome-plated components. It is also optimized for very good adhesion of the plating layer and has a wide process window. In addition, it has increased heat resistance compared to KEBALLOY EP23.

Polymer: ABS/PC

ISO designation: ABS/PC

Productgroup: PC/ABS

Brief description of the product family:

The trade name KEBALLOY stands for polymer blends with a special focus on decorative surfaces. The range includes electroplated chrome types, as well as paintable materials. KEBALLOY 3D is a system of materials and painting processes to achieve a 3D effect paint finish.

Properties:

amorphous, dimensionally stable, paintable, impact resistant, chrome-plated

Typical areas of application:

Controls, Housing, Handles, Trim

Industries:

Automotive, Household appliances

Physical properties

Water absorption in % in Anlehnung an ISO 62	0.70
Moisture absorption 23°C/50% r.h. in %. in Anlehnung an ISO 62	0.20
Density in kg/m ³ ISO 1183-1	1120.00

Mechanical properties

E-modulus in MPa ISO 527-1	2300
Yield stress in MPa ISO 527-1	50
Elongation at yield in % ISO 527-1	6.0
Elongation at break in % ISO 527-1	50.0
Impact strength (Charpy) at 23°C in kJ/m ² ISO 179-1eU	100.0
Notched impact strength (Charpy) at 23°C in kJ/m ² ISO 179-1eA	40.0

Rheological properties

Melt flow rate MFR (test condition)	240°C / 5kg
Melt flow rate MFR in g/10min ISO 1133	6.0

Rheological properties

Shrinkage in flow direction in % ISO 294-4	0.40
Shrinkage transverse to the flow direction in % ISO 294-4	0.40

Thermal properties

Heat deflection temperature HDT (1.80 MPa) in °C ISO 75-1/-2	105.0
Fire behavior (0.8 mm wall thickness) IEC 60695-11-10	HB

Electrical properties

Contact resistance in Ohm*m IEC 60093	1e+13
Surface resistivity in ohms IEC 60093	1e+15
Dielectric strength in kV/mm IEC 60243-1	35

Processing instructions:**Pre-drying:**

Dryer type: dry air dryer.

Temperature: 100-110°C

Drying time: 2-4 h

Residual moisture: < 0.02 %

Temperatures:

Melt temperature: 240 – 280°C

Mold temperature: 70 – 100 °C

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