### Product Information

Common features of Zytel® nylon resin include mechanical and physical properties such as high mechanical strength, excellent balance of stiffness and toughness, good high temperature performance, good electrical and flammability properties, good abrasion and chemical resistance. In addition, Zytel® nylon resins are available in different modified and reinforced grades to create a wide range of products with tailored properties for specific processes and end-uses. Zytel® nylon resin, including most flame retardant grades, offer the ability to be coloured.

The good melt stability of Zytel® nylon resin normally enables the recycling of properly handled production waste. If recycling is not possible, DuPont recommends, as the preferred option, incineration with energy recovery (-31kJ/g of base polymer) in appropriately equipped installations. For disposal, local regulations have to be observed.

Zytel® nylon resin typically is used in demanding applications in the automotive, furniture, domestic appliances, sporting goods and construction industry.

Zytel® EFE7374 is a 40% fiber reinforced, heat stabilized, lubricated, toughened polyamide 6 for injection molding. It has an improved impact resistance and excellent surface appearance and gloss.

General information	Value	Unit	Test Standard
Resin Identification	PA6-IGF40	-	ISO 1043
Part Marking Code	PA6-IGF40	-	ISO 11469
Rheological properties	dry / cond	Unit	Test Standard
Molding shrinkage, parallel	0.2 / -	%	ISO 294-4, 2577
Molding shrinkage, normal	0.6 / -	%	ISO 294-4, 2577
Mechanical properties	dry / cond	Unit	Test Standard
Tensile Modulus	12000 / 7500	MPa	ISO 527-1/-2
Stress at break	190 / 130	MPa	ISO 527-1/-2
Strain at break	3.5 / 7.5	%	ISO 527-1/-2
Charpy impact strength			ISO 179/1eU
73°F	110 / 113	kJ/m²	
-22°F	118 / 105	kJ/m²	
Charpy notched impact strength			ISO 179/1eA
73°F	24 / 33	kJ/m²	
-22°F	17 / 18	kJ/m²	
Izod notched impact strength			ISO 180/1A
73°F	24 / 30	kJ/m²	
-22°F	19 / 18	kJ/m²	
Thermal properties	dry / cond	Unit	Test Standard
Melting temperature, 18°F/min	221 / *	°C	ISO 11357-1/-3
Temp. of deflection under load, 260 psi	212 / *	°C	ISO 75-1/-2
Flammability	Value	Unit	Test Standard
FMVSS Class	В	-	ISO 3795 (FMVSS 302)
Burning rate, Thickness 1 mm	33	mm/min	ISO 3795 (FMVSS 302)
Other properties	dry / cond	Unit	Test Standard
Humidity absorption, 80mil	1.7 / *	%	Sim. to ISO 62
Water absorption, 80mil	5.4 / *	%	Sim. to ISO 62
Density	1410 / -	kg/m³	ISO 1183
Injection	dry / cond	Unit	Test Standard
Drying Recommended	yes	-	-
Drying Temperature	≥80	°C	-
Drying Time, Dehumidified Dryer	2 - 4	h	-
Processing Moisture Content	≤0.2	%	-
Melt Temperature Optimum	270	°C	-
Min. melt temperature	260	°C	-
Max. melt temperature	280	°C	-
Max. screw tangential speed	0.2 / *	m/s	-
Mold Temperature Optimum	100	°C	-

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Min. mold temperature	50	°C	-	
Max. mold temperature	90	°C	-	
Hold pressure range	50 - 100	MPa	-	
Hold pressure time	3	s/mm	-	

Characteristics				
Processing	<ul> <li>Injection Molding</li> </ul>			
Delivery form	<ul> <li>Pellets</li> </ul>			
Consist sharestaristics	Heat stabilized or stable			
Special characteristics	to heat			
Regional Availability	Europe	Near East/Africa		

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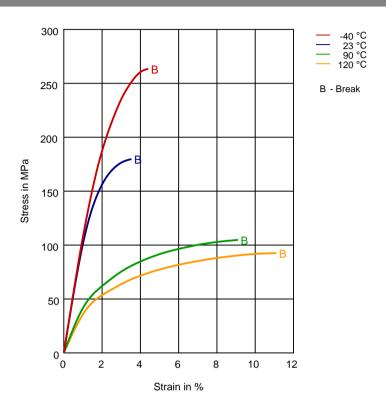
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Diagrams

Stress-strain (dry



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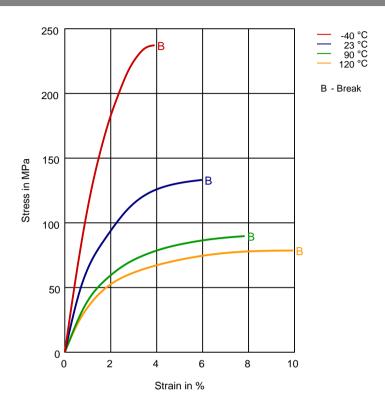
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Stress-strain (cond.)



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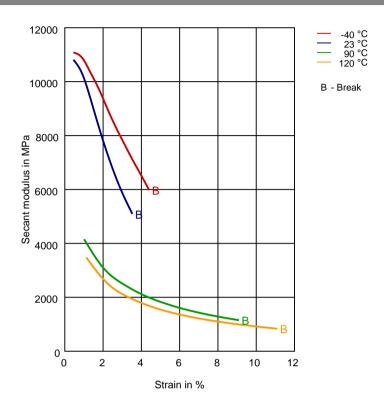
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Secant modulus-strain (dry)



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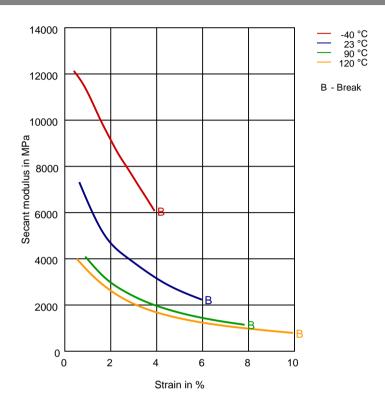
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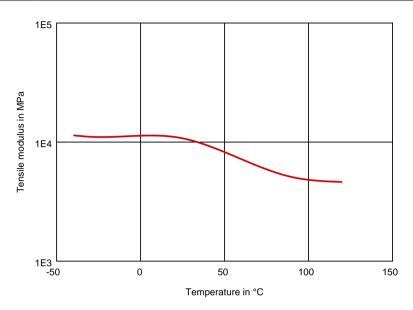
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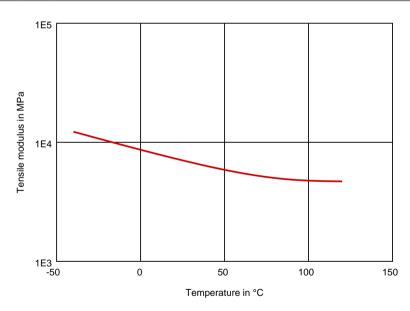
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### Tensile modulus-temperature (dry)



### Tensile modulus-temperature (cond.)



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### Chemical Media Resistance

### Salt solutions



Zinc Chloride solution (50% by mass) (23°C)

### Symbols used:

✓ possibly resistant

Defined as: Supplier has sufficient indication that contact with chemical can be potentially accepted under the intended use conditions and expected service life. Criteria for assessment have to be indicated (e.g. surface aspect, volume change, property change).

Xnot recommended - see explanation

Defined as: Not recommended for general use. However, short-term exposure under certain restricted conditions could be acceptable (e.g. fast cleaning with thorough rinsing, spills, wiping, vapor exposure).

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