High Performance > 300°F | Polyetheretherketone (PEEK)

TECAPEEK unfilled PEEK

TECAPEEK® stock shapes are made exclusively with Victrex PEEK polymer. TECAPEEK is a unique, semi-crystalline, high temperature engineering thermoplastic. It is an excellent material for a wide spectrum of applications where thermal, chemical, and combustion properties are critical to performance. Especially significant in this regard is TECAPEEK's ability to retain its flexural and tensile properties at very high temperatures in excess of 250°C (482°F). The addition of glass fiber or carbon fiber reinforcements enhances the mechanical and thermal properties of the basic TECAPEEK® material.



- · Excellent flexural, impact, and tensile characteristics
- Very high continuous working temperature
- Very high heat deflection temperature
 For unreinforced TECAPEEK™, the HDT @264 psi is 152°C (306°F). The addition of 30% reinforcement results in a dramatic increase to 315°C (600°F).
- Exceptional chemical resistance
 TECAPEEK™ is insoluble in all common solvents.
- · A superior dielectric at high temperatures and frequencies
- Good radiation resistance
 TECAPEEK™ exhibits superior resistance to high doses of gamma radiation.
- · Outstanding wear and abrasion resistance
- Low smoke and toxic gas emissions
- Excellent hydrolysis resistance
 TECAPEEK™ has an excellent resistance to hydrolysis in boiling water and superheated steam
 (sterilization/autoclavability) at temperatures in excess of 250°C (482°F).

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	Properties	Condition	Value		Test Method	Comment
Mechanical	Modulus of elasticity (tensile test)	1% Sec, 73°F	650,000	psi	ASTM D 638	
	Tensile strength at yield	@ 73°F	16,000	psi	ASTM D 638	
	Elongation at yield	@ 73°F	4.9	%	ASTM D 638	
	Elongation at break	73°F	40	%	ASTM D 638	
	Flexural strength	@ 73°F	26,000	psi	ASTM D 790	
	Modulus of elasticity (flexural test)	@ 73°F	600,000	psi	ASTM D 790	
	Compression strength	@ 73°F 10% strain	17,500	psi	ASTM D 695	
	Notched impact strength (Izod)	@ 73°F	0.95	ft-lbs/in	ASTM D 256	
	Rockwell hardness	M Scale	99		ASTM D 785	
	Coefficient of friction	@ 68°F 1200 in/min, 155 lbs load	0.18		ASTM D 3702	(1) Injection molded specimen
Thermal	Melting temperature		633	°F	-	
	Deflection temperature	@ 264 psi	320	°F	ASTM D 648	(1) Injection molded specimen
	Service temperature	Long Term	480	°F	-	(2) Injection molded specimen
	Thermal expansion (CLTE)		2.6*10 ⁻⁵	in/in/°F	ASTM D 696	(3) Injection molded specimen
	Thermal conductivity		1.7	BTU-in/hr- ft ² -°F	ASTM C 177	(4) Injection molded specimen
Electrical	Specific surface resistivity		1.0*10 ¹⁶	Ω/square	ASTM D 257	(1) Injection molded specimen
	Volume resistivity	@ 73°F	4.9*10 ¹⁶	Ω*cm	ASTM D 149	(2) Injection molded specimen
	Dielectric strength	0.1" thick IEC 60243-1	630 V/mil	V/mil	ASTM D 257	(3) Injection molded specimen
Other	Moisture absorption	@ saturation, 73°F	0.5	%	D570	
	Moisture absorption	@ 24 hours, 73°F	0.5	%	ASTM D 570	
	Flammability (UL94)		V-0	%	-	(1) Injection molded specimen 3.0mm

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