

PA 2241 FR

1 General

PA 2241 FR is a flame retardant polyamide 12 for processing in laser sintering systems. It contains a halogen-based flame retardant. Mainly due to its recyclability the material is economical, enabling low-cost part production.

Typical applications

Ø aviation (interior, e.g. air ducts and air outlet valves)

2 Technical data

General material properties

| Colour | | white | |
|--------------------------------|------------|-------|-------|
| Bulk density (new powder) | EN ISO 60 | 0.45 | g/cm³ |
| Colour of laser-sintered parts | | white | |
| Density of laser-sintered part | EOS-method | 1.00 | g/cm³ |

Tests have been conducted by: Ø EOS GmbH, Krailling

Mechanical properties

| | | | dry / cond | |
|------------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-----|
| Tensile modulus | EN ISO 527 | x-direction | 1900 / 1600 | MPa |
| | | y-direction | 1900 / 1600 | MPa |
| | | z-direction | 1900 / 1600 | MPa |
| Tensile strength | EN ISO 527 | x-direction | 49 / 44 | MPa |
| | | y-direction | 49 / 44 | MPa |
| | | z-direction | 46 / 41 | MPa |

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| | | | dry / cond | |
|------------------------------------|------------|-------------|------------|---|
| Tensile strain at tensile strength | EN ISO 527 | x-direction | 7 / 11 | % |
| | | y-direction | 7 / 11 | % |
| | | z-direction | 6/8 | % |
| Strain at break | EN ISO 527 | x-direction | 15 / 22 | % |
| | | y-direction | 15 / 22 | % |
| | | z-direction | 6/9 | % |

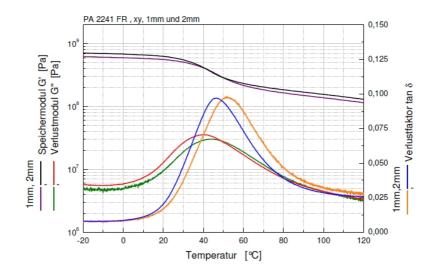
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Short term influcence of temperature on mechanical properties

Dynamic Mechanical Thermal Analysis (DMTA):

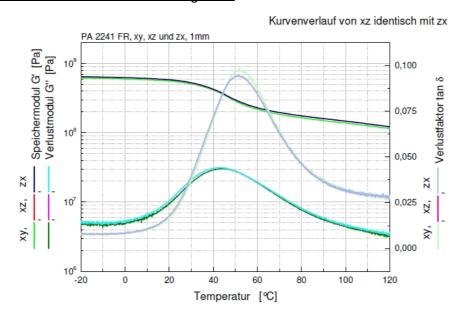
Dynamic modulus (Speichermodul G'), loss modulus (Verlustmodul G'') and loss factor (Verlustfaktor tand) as a function of temperature.

Influence of the wall-thickness





Influence of the orientation in the building room



Tests have been conducted by:

Ø Polymer Service GmbH Merseburg

Thermal properties

| Heat distortion temperature | | | | |
|-----------------------------|----------------|-----|----|--|
| - HDT A | EN ISO 75 | 84 | °C | |
| - HDT B | EN ISO 75 | 154 | °C | |
| Melting point | EN ISO 11357-1 | 185 | °C | |
| (now nowder) | | | | |
| (new powder) | | | | |

Tests have been conducted by:

- Ø Polymer Service GmbH, Merseburg
- Kunststoff Vertrieb Dr. Schiffers GmbH und Co. KG, Ulm
- Ø NETZSCH-Gerätebau GmbH

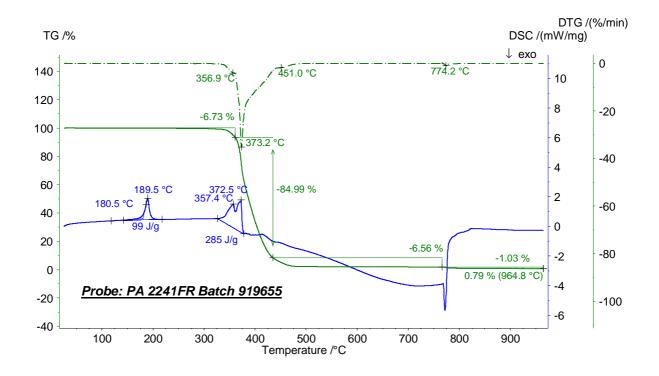


Thermo Gravimetric Analysis / Differential Scanning Calorimetry

Rate of mass change

Change in mass

Differential Scanning Calorimetry



Change in test atmosphere from N₂ to air at 770°C.

Tests have been conducted by:

Ø NETZSCH-Gerätebau GmbH



Burning behaviours

| Flammability properties | CS 25 / JAR25 / FAR 25 § 25-853 (a) App. F Part I Vertical Bunsen Burner Test | | |
|-------------------------|---|------------------------------------|----------|
| | 12s Ignition Time 60s Ignition Time | 1.0 / 1.5 / 2.0 1.0 / 1.5 / 2.0 | mm mm |
| Smoke generation | ABD 0031 (Issue: F), method: AITM 2.0007 | 1.0 / 1.5 / 2.0 | mm |
| Toxic gas generation | ABD 0031 (Issue: F), method: AITM 3.0005 | 1.0 / 1.5 / 2.0 | mm |

Conversion of units: 1.0 mm is equivalent to 0.03937 inches

Tests of burning behaviours have been conducted by:

Ø Direction Générale de l'armement, DGA Techniques aéronautiques

Others

| Plastics – evaluation of action of microorganisms | EN ISO 846, procedure A | Growth intensity: 0 (0,0,0,0,0) |
|--|----------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Aspergillus niger Denisillium funiculasum | p. ocoum. o r . | (0,0,0,0,0) |
| Penicillium funiculosum Penicillium funiculosum | | 0 = no growth, not even |
| Paecilomyces variotiiGliocladium virens | | microscopically detectable |
| | | |
| Chaetomium globosum | | |

Tests have been conducted by:

Ø Amtliche Materialprüfanstalt Bremen

Ask for the test reports at EOS GmbH, feel free to contact us for further informations.

The test specimens have been manufactured in accordance with the operating instructions and training manual. All test specimens were built with refreshed powder (refreshing 50 %).

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