PRODUCT DATA

AURUM[®] JCF3030 Thermoplastic Polyimide

TYPICAL PROPERTIES		TEST METHOD	UNITS	VALUE
PHYSICAL Specific Gravity Mold Shrinkage (MD/TD) Water Absorption 24 hrs @ 73°F Moisture Absorption, 24 Hrs.		ASTM D-792 ASTM D-955 ASTM D-570 73°F,60%RH	- % % %	1.44 0.0/0.8 0.20 0.09
MECHANICAL Tensile Strength Elongation Flexural Strength Flexural Modulus Izod Impact Strength	73°F 300°F 73°F 300°F 73°F 300°F 73°F 300°F	ASTM D-638 ASTM D-638 ASTM D-790 ASTM D-790 ASTM D-256	psi (MPa) % psi (MPa) psi (MPa) ft lb/in (J/m)	24,600 (170) - 5 - 33,300 (230) - 1,566,700 (10,800) - 2.0 (110)
THERMAL Melt Point Glass Transition Temperature Melt Flow Index Heat Deflection Temperature		DSC DSC ASTM D-1238 788°F/4.8Lbs. 788°F/22Lbs. ASTM D-648	°F (°C) °F (°C) g/10 min " °F (°C)	730 (388) 482(250) 2.0 29 475 (246)

DESCRIPTION

AURUM JCF3030 is a high-performance polyimide for precision injection molded components and extruded products. A member of the AURUM family of advanced engineering resins, carbon fiber reinforced AURUM JCF3030 offers a unique balance of mechanical, thermal, and tribological properties for outstanding performance in demanding automotive, business machinery, industrial equipment, aerospace, and semiconductor equipment applications. AURUM components offer excellent mechanical strength and toughness, dimensional stability, low outgassing, and exceptional radiation resistance. In addition, AURUM exhibits outstanding resistance to hydraulic, automotive, and many industrial fluids and solvents, a low coefficient of thermal expansion, creep resistance, and flame retardancy. AURUM JCF3030 withstands high PV levels and provides a low wear factor and low friction surface over a broad temperature range in lubricated environments.

INJECTION MOLDING

AURUM JCF3030 can be readily injection molded in most reciprocating screw injection molding machines. AURUM resin pellets should be dried prior to melt processing on trays in an air circulation oven or desiccating hopper dryer under the following conditions: 8 hours at 428°F, 10 hours at 392°F, or 12 hours at 356°F. Cylinder temperature requirements range from 770 -788°F. Injection pressures of 11,000 -35,000 psi, nominal back pressures of 0-50 psi, medium to high injection velocities, and screw speeds of 100 -200 rpm are utilized for AURUM injection molding. Mold temperatures range from 356 - 392°F. AURUM sprue and runner systems can be ground and mixed with virgin AURUM resin at 15% - 30% levels without significant loss of mechanical or wear properties for enhanced economies. AURUM can be easily purged with unfilled or glass fiber reinforced polyethersulfone, polysulfone, or polyetherimide. AURUM can be injection molded with select outerheating design hot runner systems.

APPLICATIONS

AURUM JCF3030 components are excellent replacements for metals. ceramics, and other plastics. Highperformance AURUM parts include: thrust washers and oil seal rings for automotive and off road vehicle transmissions, thermal insulators and stripper fingers for high-speed copiers, jet engine components, check valve balls, spline couplings, heat-resistant gears, vanes, wear strips, and valve seats. Other AURUM applications include carriers for aluminum hard disks and silicon wafers, journal bearings, and bearing retainers.

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