

GLS 467-036 Translucent

Thermoplastic Elastomer

Key Characteristics

Product Description

GLS 467-036 Translucent is a general purpose TPE compound designed for various consumer markets, including like toys, personal and infant care related applications. It has dry and comfortable hand feeling.

General

Material Status	• Commercial: Active
Regional Availability	• Asia Pacific
RoHS Compliance	• RoHS Compliant
Appearance	• Translucent
Forms	• Pellets
Processing Method	• Injection Molding

Technical Properties ¹

Physical	Typical Value (English)	Typical Value (SI)	Test Method
Density / Specific Gravity	0.880	0.880	ASTM D792
Elastomers	Typical Value (English)	Typical Value (SI)	Test Method
Tensile Stress ^{2,3} (300% Strain, 73°F (23°C))	348 psi	2.40 MPa	ASTM D412
Tensile Strength ^{2,3} (Yield, 73°F (23°C))	682 psi	4.70 MPa	ASTM D412
Tensile Elongation ^{2,3} (Break, 73°F (23°C))	680 %	680 %	ASTM D412
Hardness	Typical Value (English)	Typical Value (SI)	Test Method
Durometer Hardness (Shore A, 10 sec)	42	42	ASTM D2240
Fill Analysis	Typical Value (English)	Typical Value (SI)	Test Method
Apparent Viscosity 392°F (200°C), 11200 sec ⁻¹	15.1 Pa·s	15.1 Pa·s	ASTM D3835

Processing Information

Injection	Typical Value (English)	Typical Value (SI)
Suggested Max Regrind	20 %	20 %
Rear Temperature	330 to 370 °F	166 to 188 °C
Middle Temperature	350 to 380 °F	177 to 193 °C
Front Temperature	370 to 440 °F	188 to 227 °C
Nozzle Temperature	360 to 420 °F	182 to 216 °C
Processing (Melt) Temp	380 to 440 °F	193 to 227 °C
Mold Temperature	60 to 100 °F	16 to 38 °C

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Injection Notes

Color concentrates with polypropylene (PP), ethylene vinyl acetate (EVA), or low density polyethylene (PE) carriers are most suitable for coloring GLS 467-036 Translucent. Improved color dispersion can be achieved by using higher melt flow concentrates (with a melt flow from 25 - 40 g/10 min). Typical loadings for color concentrates are 1% to 5% by weight. Concentrates based on PVC should not be used. The final determination of color concentrate suitability should be determined by customer trials.

Purge thoroughly before and after use of this product with a low flow (0.5 - 2.5 MFR) polyethylene (PE) or polypropylene (PP).

Regrind levels up to 20% can be used with GLS 467-036 Translucent with minimal property losses, provided that the regrind is free of contamination. To minimize losses during molding, the melt temperature should be as low as possible. The final determination of regrind effectiveness should be determined by the customer.

GLS 467-036 Translucent has excellent melt stability. Maximum residence times may vary, depending on the size of the barrel. Generally, the barrel should be emptied if it is idle for periods of 8 - 10 minutes or longer.

Drying is not Required

Notes

¹ Typical values are not to be construed as specifications.

² Die C

³ 2 hr

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