

# Ultramid® 8231G HS BK-106

Polyamide 6

BASF Corporation

## Message:

Ultramid 8231G HS BK-106 is a black pigmented heat stabilized, 15% glass fiber reinforced PA6 injection molding compound. The glass fiber reinforcement enhances performance such as strength, stiffness and heat deflection temperature. The heat stabilizer system extends the properties at elevated temperatures. It also has excellent chemical resistance to greases, oils and hydrocarbons.

## Applications

Ultramid 8231G HS BK-106 is ideally suited for more demanding performance applications such as washers, gears, engine and motor parts, chutes, and higher temperature environments.

General Information			
UL YellowCard	E36632-231123		
Filler / Reinforcement	Glass Fiber, 15% Filler by Weight		
Additive	Heat Stabilizer		
Features	Good Chemical Resistance		
	Good Stiffness		
	Grease Resistant		
	Heat Stabilized		
	High Strength		
	Hydrocarbon Resistant		
Uses	Oil Resistant		
	Automotive Applications		
	Gears		
Agency Ratings	Washer		
	EC 1907/2006 (REACH)		
	RoHS Compliant		
RoHS Compliance	Black		
Appearance	Pellets		
Forms	Injection Molding		
Processing Method	Physical	Nominal Value	Unit
Specific Gravity	Test Method		
	1.23	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	ASTM D792, ISO 1183
Molding Shrinkage - Flow (3.18 mm)	0.50	%	
Water Absorption			
24 hr	1.4	%	ASTM D570
23°C, 24 hr	1.4	%	ISO 62
Saturation	8.1	%	ASTM D570
Saturation, 23°C	8.1	%	ISO 62
Equilibrium, 50% RH	2.3	%	ASTM D570
Equilibrium, 23°C, 50% RH	2.3	%	ISO 62

Hardness	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Rockwell Hardness (R-Scale)	121		ASTM D785
Mechanical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Tensile Modulus (23°C)	5800	MPa	ISO 527-2
Tensile Strength (Break, 23°C)	118	MPa	ASTM D638, ISO 527-2
Tensile Elongation (Break, 23°C)	2.9	%	ASTM D638, ISO 527-2
Flexural Modulus			
23°C	4940	MPa	ASTM D790
23°C	5300	MPa	ISO 178
Impact	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Charpy Notched Impact Strength (23°C)	4.0	kJ/m <sup>2</sup>	ISO 179
Notched Izod Impact			
23°C	43	J/m	ASTM D256
23°C	3.8	kJ/m <sup>2</sup>	ISO 180
Drop Impact Resistance (23°C)	2.71	J	Internal Method
Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Heat Deflection Temperature (1.8 MPa, Unannealed)	198	°C	ISO 75-2/A
Peak Melting Temperature	220	°C	ASTM D3418, ISO 3146
CLTE - Flow	5.0E-5	cm/cm/°C	ASTM E831
Injection	Nominal Value	Unit	
Drying Temperature	80.0	°C	
Drying Time	2.0 to 4.0	hr	
Suggested Max Moisture	0.15	%	
Processing (Melt) Temp	250 to 290	°C	
Mold Temperature	80.0 to 95.0	°C	
Injection Pressure	3.50 to 12.5	MPa	
Injection Rate	Fast		

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