## WINDFORM® GF 2.0

## Polyamide

CRP Technology s.r.l.

## Message:

Technology: Selective Laser Sintering

Windform® GF 2.0 is the evolutionary substitute for Windform GF, our first generation material. Windform® GF 2.0 is a composite material made of polyamide filled with glass and aluminium, which presents an improvement in both the thermal and mechanical properties, and the aesthetics of the product. In terms of performance, Windform® GF 2.0 shows a significant improvement in the HDT (almost +8%), that is, the heat deflection temperature as well as an increase in the values of tensile strength and elongation strength, therefore offering greater ductility than the previous version, appreciable in various racing applications and functions subject to greater vibrations. Excellent mechanical properties per unit of density, thanks to its lighter weight. Windform® GF 2.0, furthermore, shows less moisture absorption than the other Windform products. On an aesthetic level, Windform® GF 2.0 maintains and enhances the light grey colour and glossy metallic appearance, appreciated in many design and wind tunnel applications, offering an even brighter look. Moreover, of great importance, is the improvement in detail reproduction, which makes Windform® GF 2.0 particularly suitable for applications which require accurate and superior surface definition and excellent reproduction of even the finest details. Excellent value for money. Applications:

Objects of design and functional aesthetic reproduction, intake manifolds (intake and cooling ducts, air inlet systems), hydraulic ducts (fluid temperature further elevated up to 134°C), fuel systems and household appliances.

Surface Finish: After SLS Process 6.0 Ra µm After finishing 1.8 Ra µm

General Information				
Filler / Reinforcement	Aluminum			
	Glass Fiber			
Features	Filled			
	Good Flexibility			
	Low to No Water Absorption			
	Moisture Resistant			
	Outstanding Surface Finish			
	Vibration Damping			
Uses	Appliance Components			
	Appliances			
	Automotive Applications			
Appearance	Aluminum			
Forms	Powder			
Processing Method	3D Printing, Laser Sintering/Melting			
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit		
Density (20°C)	1.41	g/cm³		
Mechanical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method	
Tensile Modulus	4300	MPa	ISO 527-2	
Tensile Stress	50.6	MPa	ISO 527-2	
Tensile Strain (Break)	4.6	%	ISO 527-2	

Flexural Modulus	3430	MPa	ISO 14125
Flexural Stress	80.2	MPa	ISO 14125
Flexural Modulus - per density unit	2430	MPa/g/cm <sup>3</sup>	
Flexural Strength - per density unit	56.9	MPa/g/cm <sup>3</sup>	
Tensile Modulus - per density unit	3050	MPa/g/cm <sup>3</sup>	
Ultimate Tensile Strength - per density unit	35.9	MPa/g/cm <sup>3</sup>	
Impact	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Charpy Notched Impact Strength (23°C)	4.7	kJ/m²	ISO 179
Charpy Unnotched Impact Strength (23°C)	22	kJ/m²	ISO 179
Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Deflection Temperature Under Load (1.8			
MPa, Unannealed)	134	°C	ASTM D648B
Vicat Softening Temperature	169	°C	ASTM D1525 <sup>1</sup>
Melting Temperature	180	°C	ISO 11357
Electrical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Surface Resistivity	9.1E+13	ohms	ASTM D257
Volume Resistivity	1.0E+13	ohms·cm	ASTM D257
NOTE			
1.	Loading 1 (10 N)		

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