# **TCA® 850A**

## Thermoset Polyester

#### **Continental Structural Plastics**

## Message:

The original TCA® formulation, 850A is a standard density Class A SMC, gray in color, and designed for automotive body panels. 850A utilizes all of the paint pop resistance, surface smoothness, and robustness of TCA.

General Information			
Filler / Reinforcement	Glass Fiber,28% Filler by Weight		
Features	Good Chemical Resistance		
	Good Crack Resistance		
	Good Dimensional Stability		
	Good Surface Finish		
	High Heat Resistance		
Uses	Automotive Applications		
	Automotive Exterior Parts		
Appearance	Grey		
Forms	SMC - Sheet Molding Compound		
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Specific Gravity	1.92	g/cm³	ASTM D792
Molding Shrinkage	0.090	%	
Water Absorption (24 hr)	< 0.80	%	ASTM D570
Mechanical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Tensile Modulus	9500	МРа	ASTM D638
Tensile Strength	74.0	МРа	ASTM D638
Flexural Modulus	9300	МРа	ASTM D790
Flexural Strength	172	МРа	ASTM D790
Impact	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Notched Izod Impact (Area)	90.0	kJ/m²	ASTM D256
Unnotched Izod Impact (Area)	88.0	kJ/m²	ASTM D256

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