

# TECHNYL® A 218 Y10 NATURAL

Polyamide 66  
Solvay Engineering Plastics

Message:

TECHNYL® A 218 Y10 is an unreinforced polyamide 66, medium viscosity, heat stabilized and specially modified to have improved frictional properties for injection moulding. This grade offers all of the primary properties of unreinforced polyamide 66 and mainly has excellent surface properties as low coefficient of friction and good resistance to wear.

| General Information       |                                                           |             |                   |              |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------------|--------------|
| Additive                  | heat stabilizer                                           |             |                   |              |
| Features                  | Heat Stabilized - Inorganic                               |             |                   |              |
|                           | Low friction coefficient                                  |             |                   |              |
|                           | Excellent appearance                                      |             |                   |              |
| Uses                      | Large household appliances and small household appliances |             |                   |              |
|                           | Industrial application                                    |             |                   |              |
|                           | Pulley                                                    |             |                   |              |
|                           | Consumer goods application field                          |             |                   |              |
| Agency Ratings            | EC 1907/2006 (REACH)                                      |             |                   |              |
| RoHS Compliance           | RoHS compliance                                           |             |                   |              |
| Appearance                | Dark gray                                                 |             |                   |              |
| Forms                     | Particle                                                  |             |                   |              |
| Processing Method         | Injection molding                                         |             |                   |              |
| Multi-Point Data          | Isothermal Stress vs. Strain (ISO 11403-1)                |             |                   |              |
| Resin ID (ISO 1043)       | PA66                                                      |             |                   |              |
| Physical                  | Dry                                                       | Conditioned | Unit              | Test Method  |
| Density                   | 1.16                                                      | --          | g/cm <sup>3</sup> | ISO 1183/A   |
| Water Absorption          |                                                           |             |                   | ISO 62       |
| 23°C, 24 hr               | 1.2                                                       | --          | %                 | ISO 62       |
| Equilibrium, 23°C, 50% RH | 2.8                                                       | --          | %                 | ISO 62       |
| Mechanical                | Dry                                                       | Conditioned | Unit              | Test Method  |
| Tensile Modulus (23°C)    | 3900                                                      | 1500        | MPa               | ISO 527-2/1A |
| Tensile Stress            |                                                           |             |                   | ISO 527-2/1A |
| Yield, 23°C               | 83.0                                                      | 65.0        | MPa               | ISO 527-2/1A |
| Fracture, 23°C            | 92.0                                                      | 43.0        | MPa               | ISO 527-2/1A |
| Tensile Strain            |                                                           |             |                   | ISO 527-2    |
| Yield, 23°C               | 10                                                        | 22          | %                 | ISO 527-2    |
| Fracture, 23°C            | 9.0                                                       | 98          | %                 | ISO 527-2    |
| Flexural Modulus (23°C)   | 2900                                                      | 1300        | MPa               | ISO 178      |

|                                         |           |             |                   |             |
|-----------------------------------------|-----------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Flexural Stress (23°C)                  | 125       | 65.0        | MPa               | ISO 178     |
| Impact                                  | Dry       | Conditioned | Unit              | Test Method |
| Charpy Notched Impact Strength (23°C)   | 3.5       | 10          | kJ/m <sup>2</sup> | ISO 179/1eA |
| Charpy Unnotched Impact Strength (23°C) | No Break  | --          |                   | ISO 179/1eU |
| Notched Izod Impact (23°C)              | 3.5       | 8.0         | kJ/m <sup>2</sup> | ISO 180     |
| Thermal                                 | Dry       | Conditioned | Unit              | Test Method |
| Heat Deflection Temperature             |           |             |                   |             |
| 0.45 MPa, not annealed                  | 230       | --          | °C                | ISO 75-2/Bf |
| 1.8 MPa, not annealed                   | 80.0      | --          | °C                | ISO 75-2/Af |
| Melting Temperature                     | 263       | --          | °C                | ISO 11357-3 |
| Electrical                              | Dry       | Conditioned | Unit              | Test Method |
| Surface Resistivity                     | 1.0E+14   | 1.0E+12     | ohms              | IEC 60093   |
| Volume Resistivity                      | 1.0E+15   | 1.0E+13     | ohms·cm           | IEC 60093   |
| Dielectric Strength (2.00 mm)           | 30        | 28          | kV/mm             | IEC 60243-1 |
| Dissipation Factor                      | 0.020     | 0.11        |                   | IEC 60250   |
| Comparative Tracking Index (Solution A) | 575       | 600         | V                 | IEC 60112   |
| Flammability                            | Dry       | Conditioned | Unit              | Test Method |
| Oxygen Index                            | 26        | --          | %                 | ISO 4589-2  |
| Injection                               | Dry       | Unit        |                   |             |
| Drying Temperature                      | 80        |             | °C                |             |
| Suggested Max Moisture                  | 0.20      |             | %                 |             |
| Rear Temperature                        | 265 - 275 |             | °C                |             |
| Middle Temperature                      | 270 - 280 |             | °C                |             |
| Front Temperature                       | 280 - 285 |             | °C                |             |
| Mold Temperature                        | 60 - 80   |             | °C                |             |
| Injection instructions                  |           |             |                   |             |

The material is supplied in airtight bags, ready for use. In case that the virgin material has absorbed moisture, it must be dried with a dehumidified air drying equipment, dew point mini -20°C. Recommended time 2-4h

Injection Advice:

For unfilled polyamide, Solvay recommends the use of high alloy steel with a weak chromium content. For example: X38CrMoV5-1 (EN Norm) - 1.2367 /1.2343 (DIN Norm). For Mould Temperature, in the case of parts where the surface roughness is required we can recommend a temperature of 90°C to 120°C with an optimum at 105°C.

The processing parameters like processing temperatures are a recommendation and can be adjusted in function of injection machine size, part geometry / design

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