# **BMC 620M**

### Thermoset Polyester

Bulk Molding Compounds, Inc.

### Message:

General Information

BMC 620M molding compound is a mineral filled, glass-fiber-reinforced polyester compound suitable for compression, and stuffer injection mo lding It is characterized by high impact strength, good moldability, excellent overall electrical properties and flame resistance. Typical applications include phase separators circuit breaker housings, and applications requiring the properties of Military specification Mil-M-14G Type MAI-60. Although BMC 620M was designed to meet this specification, it has not been submitted for QPL recognition. BMC 620M molding compound is produced in a range of industrial colors, and is supplied in bulk form only.

General Information				
Filler / Reinforcement	Glass\Mineral			
Features	Flame Retardant			
	Good Electrical Properties			
	Good Moldability			
	High Impact Resistance			
Uses	Electrical/Electronic Applications			
Agency Ratings	MIL M-14G, Type MAI-60			
Appearance	Colors Available			
Forms	BMC - Bulk Molding Compound			
Processing Method	Compression Molding			
	Injection Molding			
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method	
Specific Gravity	1.86	g/cm³	ASTM D792	
Molding Shrinkage - Flow (Compression	0.45 0.05			
Molded)	0.15 to 0.25	%	ASTM D955	
Water Absorption (23°C, 24 hr)	0.13	%	ASTM D570	
Hardness	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method	
Barcol Hardness	35		ASTM D2583	
Mechanical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method	
Tensile Strength (Yield, Compression Molded)	62.1	MPa	ASTM D638	
Flexural Strength (Compression Molded)	152	MPa	ASTM D790	
Compressive Strength	179	MPa	ASTM D695	
Impact	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method	
Notched Izod Impact (Compression	TVOTTING VAIGO	Offic	Tool Would	
Molded)	530	J/m	ASTM D256	
Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method	
Deflection Temperature Under Load (1.8				
MPa, Unannealed, Compression Molded)	260	°C	ASTM D648	
Electrical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method	

NOTE			
Mold Temperature	138 to 166	°C	
Injection	Nominal Value	Unit	
6.35 mm	V-0		
3.18 mm	V-0		
1.59 mm	V-0		
Flame Rating			UL 94
Flammability	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Comparative Tracking Index (CTI)	500	V	UL 746
Arc Resistance	185	sec	ASTM D495
Dissipation Factor (60 Hz)	0.020		ASTM D150
Dielectric Constant (60 Hz)	5.20		ASTM D150
Dielectric Strength <sup>1</sup>	14	kV/mm	ASTM D149

1. Method A (Short-Time)

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