

# Eastar™ AN001, Natural

Copolyester

Eastman Chemical Company

## Message:

Eastar™ AN001 Copolyester has excellent appearance and is nearly water-clear. Its most outstanding features are its chemical resistance and processing capabilities. Exposure to aromatic oils often causes crazing or actual fracture of many polymer resins, but AN001 maintains its physical properties when exposed to these oils, and its appearance is virtually unchanged.

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General Information			
UL YellowCard		E118289-220107	
Features	Barrier Resin		
	Excellent Printability		
	Good Chemical Resistance		
	Good Colorability		
	Good Impact Resistance		
	Good Processability		
	Good Stiffness		
	Good Toughness		
	High Clarity		
	High Gloss		
Uses	Cosmetic Packaging		
	Packaging		
	Personal Care		
Appearance	Natural Color		
Forms	Pellets		
Processing Method	Extrusion		
	Injection Molding		
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method

Specific Gravity	1.20	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	ASTM D792
Molding Shrinkage - Flow (3.20 mm)	0.20 to 0.60	%	ASTM D955
<b>Hardness</b>	<b>Nominal Value</b>	<b>Unit</b>	<b>Test Method</b>
Rockwell Hardness (R-Scale, 23°C)	103		ASTM D785
<b>Mechanical</b>	<b>Nominal Value</b>	<b>Unit</b>	<b>Test Method</b>
Tensile Strength			ASTM D638
Yield, 23°C	47.0	MPa	
Break, 23°C	51.0	MPa	
Tensile Elongation			ASTM D638
Yield, 23°C	5.0	%	
Break, 23°C	320	%	
Flexural Modulus (23°C)	2000	MPa	ASTM D790
Flexural Strength (Yield, 23°C)	69.0	MPa	ASTM D790
<b>Impact</b>	<b>Nominal Value</b>	<b>Unit</b>	<b>Test Method</b>
Notched Izod Impact			ASTM D256
-40°C	40	J/m	
23°C	80	J/m	
Unnotched Izod Impact			ASTM D4218
-40°C	No Break		
23°C	No Break		
Instrumented Dart Impact			ASTM D3763
-40°C, Energy at Peak Load	48.0	J	
23°C, Energy at Peak Load	42.0	J	
<b>Thermal</b>	<b>Nominal Value</b>	<b>Unit</b>	<b>Test Method</b>
Deflection Temperature Under Load			ASTM D648
0.45 MPa, Unannealed	73.0	°C	
1.8 MPa, Unannealed	65.0	°C	
<b>Optical</b>	<b>Nominal Value</b>	<b>Unit</b>	<b>Test Method</b>
Transmittance			ASTM D1003
Total	91.0	%	
Regular	89.0	%	
Haze	0.30	%	ASTM D1003
<b>Injection</b>	<b>Nominal Value</b>	<b>Unit</b>	
Drying Temperature	70.0	°C	
Drying Time	3.0	hr	
Processing (Melt) Temp	230 to 280	°C	
Mold Temperature	15.0 to 30.0	°C	

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