# **VESTORAN® X7342**

## Polyphenylene Ether

#### **Evonik Industries AG**

#### Message:

Modified polyphenylene ether (PPE), high heat resistant, 20 % glass-fiber reinforced

VESTORAN X7342 is the registered trademark of the Evonik Degussa GmbH for molding compounds containing poly-2,6-dimethyl-1,4-phenylene ether as polymeric constituent (poly-phenylene ether, PPE, also referred to as PPO).

As a material of amorphous structure, VESTORAN X7342 shows very small mold shrinkage. Therefore molded parts have a very low tendency to warp. Moldings of VESTORAN X7342 are dimensionally stable and hydrolysis resistant even in hot water, but are more sensitive to organic solvents than semi-crystalline plastics. VESTORAN X7342 is resistant to aqueous alkalines and acides, certain alcohols, and glycol solutions.

Due to the glass-fiber reinforcement the compound combines outstanding heat deflection temperature under load with high strength and rigidity. The even smaller shrinkage compared to non-reinforced VESTORAN depends on the orientation of the glass fibers in the molded part.

General Information				
UL YellowCard	E100203-217732			
Filler / Reinforcement	Glass fiber reinforced material, 20% filler by weight			
Features	Good dimensional stability			
	Low warpage			
	Rigidity, high			
	High strength			
	alkali resistance			
	Alcohol resistance			
	Heat resistance, high			
	Hydrolysis resistance			
	Low shrinkage			
	amorphous			
Forms	Particles			
Processing Method	Injection molding			
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method	
Density	1.19	g/cm³	ISO 1183	
Melt Volume-Flow Rate (MVR) (300°C/21.6		2		
kg)	40.0	cm³/10min	ISO 1133	
Molding Shrinkage			ISO 294-4	
80°C, 2.00 mm <sup>1</sup>	0.23	%	ISO 294-4	
Vertical flow direction: 80°C, 2.00mm <sup>2</sup>	0.43	%	ISO 294-4	
Vertical flow direction: 150°C, 2.00mm <sup>3</sup>	0.060	%	ISO 294-4	
Flow direction: 150°C, 2.00mm <sup>4</sup>	0.050	%	ISO 294-4	
Mechanical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method	
Tensile Modulus	5900	MPa	ISO 527-2	
Tensile Stress (Break)	100	MPa	ISO 527-2	
Tensile Strain (Break)	2.5	%	ISO 527-2	
Impact	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method	

Charpy Notched Impact Strength (23°C, Complete Break)	14	kJ/m²	ISO 179/1eA
Charpy Unnotched Impact Strength (23°C, Complete Break)	45	kJ/m²	ISO 179/1eU
Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Heat Deflection Temperature			
0.45 MPa, not annealed	170	°C	ISO 75-2/B
1.8 MPa, not annealed	165	°C	ISO 75-2/A
Vicat Softening Temperature			
	170	°C	ISO 306
	180	°C	ISO 306/A
Electrical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Surface Resistivity			IEC 60093
5	1.0E+14	ohms	IEC 60093
	1.0E+15	ohms	IEC 60093
Volume Resistivity	1.0E+13	ohms·cm	IEC 60093
Dielectric Strength <sup>6</sup>	29	kV/mm	IEC 60243-1
Dissipation Factor			IEC 60250
100 Hz	8.0E-3		IEC 60250
1 MHz	1.0E-3		IEC 60250
Comparative Tracking Index			IEC 60112
Solution a <sup>7</sup>	150	V	IEC 60112
Solution a	175	V	IEC 60112
Injection	Nominal Value	Unit	
Drying Temperature	80.0 - 110	°C	
Drying Time	2.0	hr	
Rear Temperature	280	°C	
Middle Temperature	300	°C	
Front Temperature	320	°C	
Nozzle Temperature	310	°C	
Processing (Melt) Temp	300 - 330	°C	
Mold Temperature	80.0 - 90.0	°C	
Injection Pressure	80.0 - 160	MPa	
Back Pressure	0.500 - 1.00	MPa	
Screw L/D Ratio	20.0:1.0		
Screw Compression Ratio	2.0 : 1.0 - 3.0 : 1.0		
Vent Depth	0.050	mm	
Injection instructions			
Nozzle: Diameter min. 3 mmHolding pressu pressure 50 to 100 bar)	re: 50 to 80% of injection press	ureHydraulic back pressure: 5 to 10	bar, no decompression (specific back
NOTE			

film gate at rim mold temperature

80°C

1.

	determined on 2 mm sheets with
	film gate at rim mold temperature
2.	80°C
	Post shrinkage, determined on 2
	mm sheets with film gate at rim
3.	after 4 h heat aging at 150°C
	Post shrinkage, determined on 2
	mm sheets with film gate at rim
4.	after 4 h heat aging at 150°C
5.	Roa
6.	K20/P50
7.	100 drops value

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