HOSTAFORM® LX90Z XAP®2 ECO-B

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Hostaform® acetal copolymer grade LX90Z XAP®2 is UV stabilized material available in a range of molded in metallic colors generally for automotive interior applications. In addition, Hostaform® LX90Z XAP®2 has lower volatile emissions as required for some automotive interiors. Besides material, optimal finish for specialty metallic parts is dependent on proper drying, gate design, knit line locations, and special processing. Please contact Celanese Technical Service for assistance with your application. Low Emission Performance [VDA-275] < 5 PPM
ECO-B: Hostaform® ECO-B is a POM-Copolymer with the same properties and performance as standard grades but produced with sustainability in mind. Using a mass-balance approach, biogenic feedstocks are used to offset the use of fossil-based raw materials and decrease greenhouse gas emissions. The process is audited and certified according to the ISCC Plus mass balance approach.

Product information

Resin Identification	POM		ISO 1043
Part Marking Code	>POM<		ISO 11469

Rheological properties

Molding shrinkage, parallel	2.3	%	ISO 294-4, 2577
Molding shrinkage, normal	1.4	%	ISO 294-4, 2577

Typical mechanical properties

Tensile modulus	392000	psi	ISO 527-1/-2
Tensile stress at yield, 50mm/min	7800	psi	ISO 527-1/-2
Tensile strain at yield, 50mm/min	8	%	ISO 527-1/-2
Flexural modulus	421000	psi	ISO 178
Flexural stress at 3.5%	9720	psi	ISO 178
Charpy notched impact strength, 23°C	1.9	ftlb/in²	ISO 179/1eA
Charpy notched impact strength, -30°C	1.9	ftlb/in²	ISO 179/1eA
Poisson's ratio	0.422		

Thermal properties

Melting temperature, 10°C/min	329	°F	ISO 11357-1/-3
Temperature of deflection under load, 1.8 MPa	194	°F	ISO 75-1/-2
Temperature of deflection under load, 0.45 MPa	297	°F	ISO 75-1/-2
Coefficient of linear thermal expansion (CLTE), parallel	0.50	E-4/°F	ISO 11359-1/-2
Coefficient of linear thermal expansion (CLTE), normal	0.556	E-4/°F	ISO 11359-1/-2

Physical/Other properties

Humidity absorption, 2mm	0.2	%	Sim. to ISO 62
Water absorption, 2mm	0.75	%	Sim. to ISO 62
Density	0.0516	lb/in³	ISO 1183

Injection

Drying Recommended	no	
Drying Temperature	212	°F
Drying Time, Dehumidified Dryer	3 - 4	h
Processing Moisture Content	≤0.2	%
Melt Temperature Optimum	374	°F

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Min. melt temperature	356	°F
Max. melt temperature	383	°F
Max. screw tangential speed	≤0.3	m/s
Mold Temperature Optimum	230	°F
Min. mold temperature	212	°F
Max. mold temperature	257	°F
Hold pressure range	8700 - 17400	psi
Hold Pressure Time (h is the max. wall thickness of the part in mm)	$2h^2$-3	s
Back pressure	580	psi

Characteristics

Processing	Injection Molding, Extrusion
Additives	Release agent
Special characteristics	Light stabilized or stable to light, U.V. stabilized or stable to weather, Specialty appearance, Low emissions
Sustainability	Bio-Content

Additional information

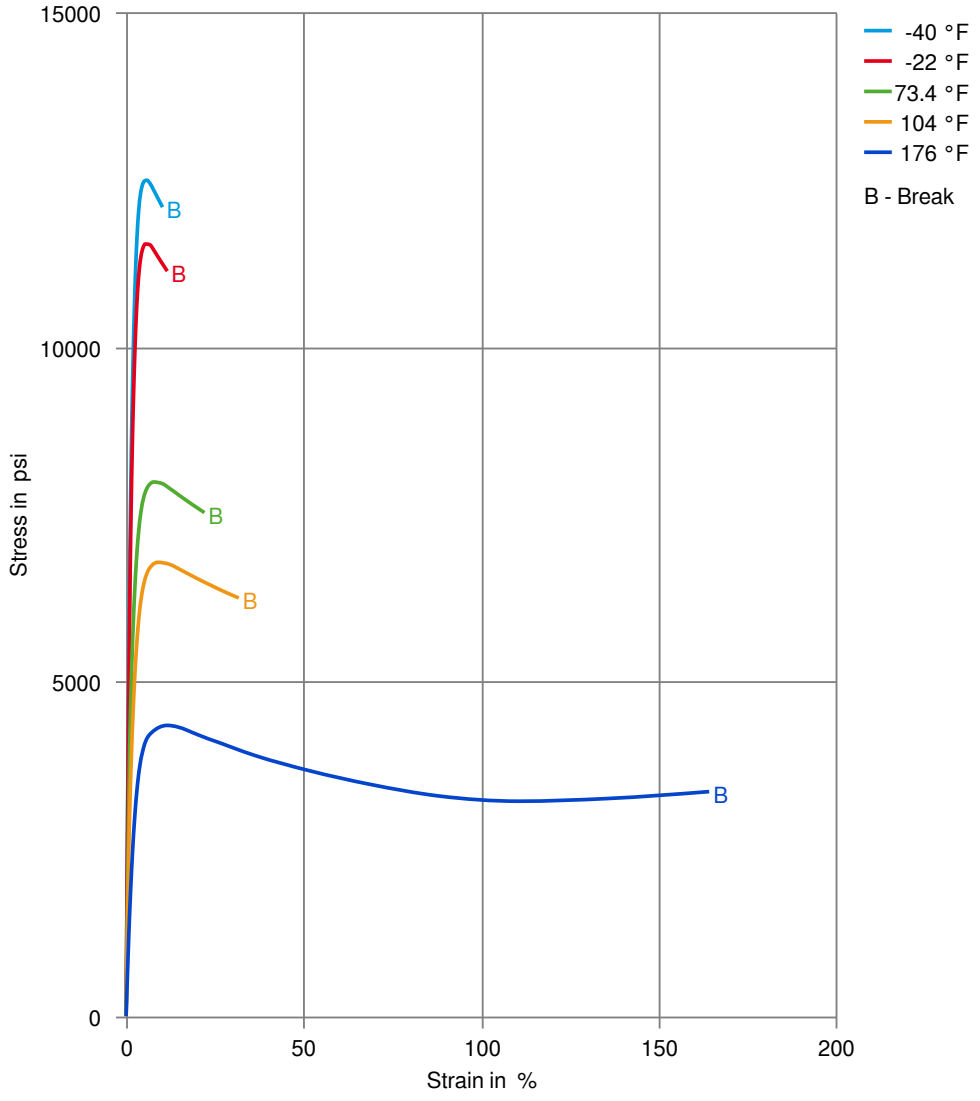
Processing Notes

Pre-Drying

Drying is required for this material to prevent poor appearance and performance of the part.

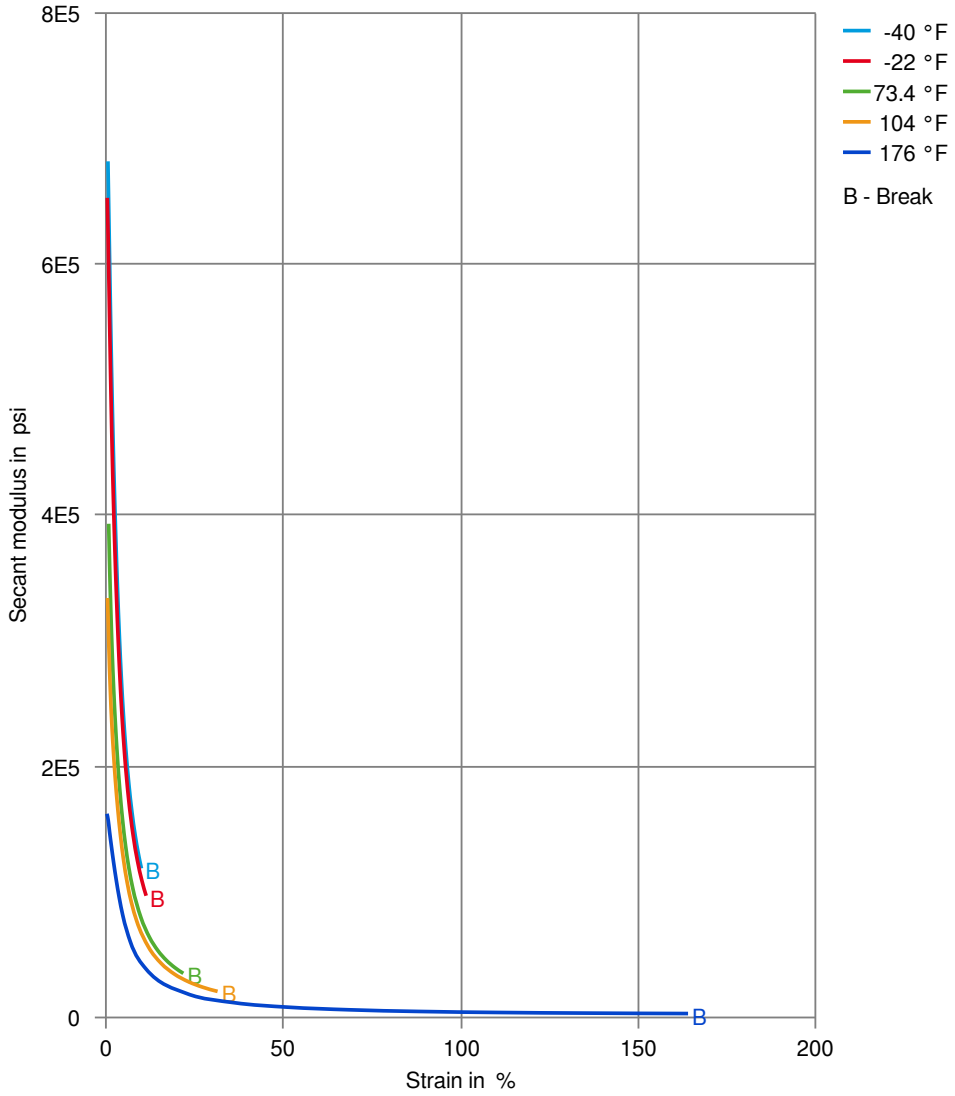
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Stress-strain



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Secant modulus-strain



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