

Testing : **Flexural Properties Of Plastics**
 Test Method : ASTM D790-10 Procedure A
 Project Number : P20111235
 Customer : Bedford Reinforced Plastics, Inc.
 Attention : Bridgett Diehl
 Analyst : D.Loehr
 Date : May 20, 2011

Purchase Order # : H11-0822



Material : **BRP-11-4-VE-5-45-1**
 Sample Preparation : Machined by Intertek PTL
 Sample Dimensions : 0.503" x 0.245" x 5.00" (Average)
 Sample Type : ASTM Flex Bar
 Span Length (in) : 3.920
 Cross-Head Speed (in/min) : 0.105
 Span-To- Depth Ratio : 16±1:1
 Radius Of Supports (in) : 0.197
 Radius Of Loading Nose (in) : 0.197
 Conditioning : 40+ hours at 23°C ± 2°C / 50% ± 10% RH
 Test Conditions : 23°C ± 2°C / 50% ± 10% RH
 Significance : ASTM D 790 specifies modulus and strength be reported to 3 significant figures and standard deviation be reported to two significant figures.

Test Temperature	Test Number	Initial Fracture Flexural Stress (PSI)	Maximum Flexural Stress (PSI)	Flexural Modulus (tangent *) (PSI)
73°F (Lengthwise)	1	87700	89900	3040000
	2	97700	98800	3140000
	3	102000	103000	3190000
	4	96300	96500	3200000
	5	-----	84200	2780000
	Average	95900	94500	3070000
	Std. Dev.	6000	7400	170000
150°F (Lengthwise)	1	-----	84200	3080000
	2	-----	82700	2920000
	3	-----	80600	3080000
	4	-----	79900	3010000
	5	-----	80700	3080000
	Average		81600	3030000
	Std. Dev.		1800	71000
-50°F (Lengthwise)	1	-----	111000	3250000
	2	-----	112000	3180000
	3	94300	96500	2930000
	4	-----	119000	3310000
	5	106000	113000	3190000
	Average	100000	110000	3170000
	Std. Dev.		8300	140000

* = computer generated curve fit

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73°F (Crosswise)	1	----	25700	1820000
	2	----	23200	1870000
	3	----	20200	1770000
	4	----	22100	1770000
	5	21400	21500	1810000
	Average	21400	22500	1810000
	Std. Dev.		2100	41000
150°F (Crosswise)	1	----	19500	1450000
	2	----	20800	1520000
	3	----	19100	1550000
	4	----	19300	1530000
	5	----	16700	1480000
	Average		19100	1510000
	Std. Dev.		1500	40000
-50°F (Crosswise)	1	----	24700	1930000
	2	----	25300	1900000
	3	----	26800	1970000
	4	----	28700	1850000
	5	----	26700	1890000
	Average		26400	1910000
	Std. Dev.		1600	45000

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Testing : **High Speed Puncture Properties of Plastics**
 Test Method : ASTM D 3763-10
 Project Number : P20111235
 Customer : Bedford Reinforced Plastics, Inc.
 Attention : Bridgett Diehl
 Analyst : J. Goodrich
 Date : May 25, 2011

Purchase Order # : H11-0822

Attachments: 3



Material : **BRP-11-4-VE-5-45-1**
 Test Speed : 3.3 meters/sec
 Specimen Size : 102mm x 102mm
 Specimen Type : Plaque
 Specimen Preparation : Machined by Intertek PTL
 Test Equipment : Instron Dynatup 8250 Impulse Data Acquisition System v 2.0.0
 Tup Diameter : 12.7mm
 Clamp Assembly : Base Support 76mm diameter
 : Top Support 76mm diameter
 Significance : ASTM D 3763 specifies that results be calculated to three significant figures

Test Condition	Average Thickness (mm)	Average Deflection At Peak Load (mm)	Average Peak Load (Newtons)	Average Energy At Peak Load (Joules)	Average Total Energy (Joules)
23°C ± 2°C / 50% ± 10% RH	6.29	9.05	10600	67.4	150
** 150°F (66°C)	6.22	9.52	10300	70.5	164
*-50°F (- 46°C)	6.36	8.33	11500	62.6	155

For complete analysis of these test results, including individual impact results and standard deviations, refer to the supplied tables and graphs.


* The test specimens are conditioned at the required temperature for a minimum of 6 hours, removed from the chamber, and impacted within 5 to 8 seconds.

** The test specimens are conditioned at the required temperature for a minimum of a 1/2 hour, removed from the chamber, and impacted within 5 to 8 seconds.

Conversions

mm to in ÷ by 25.4
 Newtons to lbs ÷ by 4.44822
 Joules to ft•lbs ÷ by 1.35582
 meters/sec to ft/sec ÷ by 0.30479

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Testing	:	Tensile Properties	
Test Method	:	ASTM D 638-10	
Project Number	:	P20111235	Purchase Order # : H11-0822
Customer	:	Bedford Reinforced Plastics, Inc.	
Attention	:	Bridgett Diehl	
Analyst	:	J. McCarthy / G. Sime	Attachments: 6
Date	:	May 31, 2011	
			
Material	:	BRP-11-4-VE-5-45-1 LW	
Sample Preparation	:	Machined by Intertek PTL	
Sample Type	:	ASTM Type I Tensile Bar	
Cross-Head Speed	:	0.2 in/min	
Extensometer	:	10% based on 50mm gage length for 73°F and 150°F; 4% based on 25mm gage for -50°F.	
	:	Meets minimum requirements for Practice E 83: Modulus (Class B-2) / Elongation (Class C).	
Conditioning	:	40+ Hours At 23°C ± 2°C / 50% ± 10% RH	
Significance	:	ASTM D 638 specifies that strength and modulus be reported to 3 significant figures, elongation and standard deviation be reported to 2 significant figures.	

Test Temperature	Test Number	Maximum Tensile Strength (PSI)	Elongation At Break (%)	Modulus Of Elasticity (PSI)
73°F	1	77900	2.3	3950000
	2	80500	2.3	3950000
	3	76600	2.2	4040000
	4	61300	2.6	3590000
	5	79900	2.2	4160000
	6	73800	2.1	4190000
Average Width : 0.502"				
Average Thickness : 0.248"				
	Average	75000	2.3	3980000
	Std. Dev.	7100	0.17	220000
150°F	1	57200	1.7	3960000
	2	68300	2.1	4020000
	3	60800	2.2	3410000
	4	57600	1.9	3420000
	5	71600	2.1	3910000
	Average	63100	2.0	3740000
	Std. Dev.	6500	0.20	300000
-50°F	1	90400	2.8	3870000
	2	98000	2.6	4350000
	3	91300	2.7	3980000
	4	84500	2.5	4100000
	5	85000	2.4	4080000
	Average	89800	2.6	4080000
	Std. Dev.	5500	0.16	180000

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Test Method	:	ASTM D 638-10	
Project Number	:	P20111235	Purchase Order # : H11-0822
Customer	:	Bedford Reinforced Plastics, Inc.	
Attention	:	Bridgett Diehl	
Analyst	:	J. McCarthy / G. Sime	
Date	:	May 24, 2011	

Material	:	BRP-11-4-VE-5-45-1 CW	
Sample Preparation	:	Machined by Intertek PTL	
Sample Type	:	ASTM Type I Tensile Bar	
Cross-Head Speed	:	0.2 in/min	
Extensometer	:	10% based on 50mm gage length for 73°F and 150°F; 4% based on 25mm gage for -50°F.	
	:	Meets minimum requirements for Practice E 83: Modulus (Class B-2) / Elongation (Class C).	
Conditioning	:	40+ Hours At 23°C ± 2°C / 50% ± 10% RH	
Significance	:	ASTM D 638 specifies that strength and modulus be reported to 3 significant figures, elongation and standard deviation be reported to 2 significant figures.	



Test Temperature	Test Number	Maximum Tensile Strength (PSI)	Elongation At Break (%)	Modulus Of Elasticity (PSI)
73°F	1	11500	1.8	2050000
	2	11100	1.6	2050000
	3	12400	1.7	2050000
	4	11600	1.7	1960000
	5	11800	1.8	2000000
Average Width : 0.505"				
Average Thickness : 0.249"				
	Average	11700	1.7	2020000
	Std. Dev.	480	0.08	41000
150°F	1	10400	1.7	1580000
	2	10100	1.7	1640000
	3	10000	1.5	1720000
	4	11200	1.7	1700000
	5	7670	1.2	1810000
Average Width : 0.503"	6	8260	1.3	2030000
Average Thickness : 0.245"				
	Average	9610	1.5	1750000
	Std. Dev.	1400	0.22	160000
-50°F	1	13400	2.1	2160000
	2	13900	2.5	2050000
	3	15000	2.5	2100000
	4	12500	2.3	2090000
	5	11900	1.7	2170000
Average Width : 0.503"				
Average Thickness : 0.245"				
	Average	13300	2.2	2110000
	Std. Dev.	1200	0.33	50000

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Testing : **Determining The Izod Pendulum Impact Resistance Of Plastics**
 Test Method : ASTM D 256-10 (Method A)
 Project Number : P20111235 Purchase Order # : H11-0822
 Customer : Bedford Reinforced Plastics, Inc.
 Attention : Bridgett Diehl
 Analyst : D.Loehr
 Date : May 24, 2011



Material : **BRP-11-4-VE-5-45-1**
 Sample Preparation : Machined and notched by Intertek PTL
 Sample Type : Notched
 Pendulum Capacity : 16.6 ft•lb.
 Conditioning : 40+ hours at 23°C ± 2°C / 50% ± 10% RH
 Conditioning : Minimum 6 hours in a freezer at -50° F. Samples removed from freezer and impacted within 5 seconds
 Conditioning : Minimum 30 minutes in a oven at 150° F. Samples removed from oven and impacted within 5 seconds
 Test Conditions : See below

Test Condition	Test Number	Width (in)	Depth Under Notch (in)	Impact Strength (ft•lb)	Impact Strength (ft•lb/in)	Break Type
73°F Lengthwise (Modified number of test specimens)	1	0.242	0.401	16.533	68.32	Non-Break
	2	0.243	0.401	16.541	68.07	Non-Break
	3	0.242	0.400	16.017	66.19	Non-Break
	4	0.247	0.399	10.892	44.10	Partial
	Average	0.244	0.400	Non-break Average	67.52	

Note: The first specimen could not be reported; the result exceeded the energy of the 10 ft•lb. pendulum

150°F Lengthwise	1	0.245	0.400	15.470	63.14	Non-Break
	2	0.246	0.400	11.198	45.52	Partial
	3	0.245	0.401	12.674	51.73	Partial
	4	0.244	0.401	10.361	42.46	Partial
	5	0.243	0.401	11.525	47.43	Partial
	Average	0.245	0.401	Partial Average	46.79	
	Std. Dev.			Std. Dev.	3.88	
-50°F Lengthwise	1	0.244	0.399	16.142	66.16	Non-Break
	2	0.248	0.399	16.522	66.62	Non-Break
	3	0.247	0.398	15.983	64.71	Non-Break
	4	0.243	0.400	16.536	68.05	Non-Break
	5	0.248	0.398	16.555	66.75	Non-Break
	Average	0.246	0.399		66.46	
	Std. Dev.				1.20	
	C.O.V. (%)				2	

Note: Non-break specimens are considered a departure from the standard and are not supposed to be reported as a standard result. They are reported here for informational purposes only.

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Testing : **Determining The Izod Pendulum Impact Resistance Of Plastics**
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 Attention : Bridgett Diehl
 Analyst : D.Loehr
 Date : May 24, 2011



Material : **BRP-11-4-VE-5-45-1**
 Sample Preparation : Machined and notched by Intertek PTL
 Sample Type : Notched
 Pendulum Capacity : 5 ft•lb. 73°F and -50°F
 Pendulum Capacity : 2 ft•lb. 150°F
 Conditioning : 40+ hours at 23°C ± 2°C / 50% ± 10% RH
 Conditioning : Minimum 6 hours in a freezer at -50° F. Samples removed from freezer and impacted within 5 seconds
 Conditioning : Minimum 30 minutes in a oven at 150° F. Samples removed from oven and impacted within 5 seconds
 Test Conditions : See below

Test Condition	Test Number	Width (in)	Depth Under Notch (in)	Impact Strength (ft•lb)	Impact Strength (ft•lb/in)	Break Type
73°F	1	0.247	0.400	1.629	6.60	Partial
	2	0.246	0.400	1.838	7.47	Partial
	3	0.242	0.399	1.435	5.93	Partial
	4	0.243	0.402	1.597	6.57	Partial
	5	0.245	0.401	1.581	6.45	Partial
Crosswise	Average	0.245	0.400		6.60	
	Std. Dev.				0.55	
	C.O.V. (%)				8	
150°F	1	0.243	0.401	1.483	6.10	Partial
	2	0.244	0.400	1.856	7.61	Partial
	3	0.244	0.401	1.546	6.34	Partial
	4	0.243	0.399	1.704	7.01	Partial
	5	0.243	0.400	1.499	6.17	Partial
Crosswise	Average	0.243	0.400		6.65	
	Std. Dev.				0.65	
	C.O.V. (%)				10	
-50°F	1	0.243	0.401	1.901	7.82	Partial
	2	0.243	0.401	1.807	7.44	Partial
	3	0.243	0.401	1.817	7.48	Partial
	4	0.243	0.400	1.791	7.37	Partial
	5	0.243	0.402	2.000	8.23	Partial
Crosswise	Average	0.243			7.67	
	Std. Dev.				0.36	
	C.O.V. (%)				5	

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TEST REPORT FOR:

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Attn: Bridgett Diehl

DATE IN:

March 1, 2010

P/O:

H10-0409

TESTING PURPOSE:

Flexural Strength and Density per MIL-PRF-62419A

MATERIAL IDENTIFICATION:

One material

Material tested has not met the specified requirement of MIL-PRF-62419A for Specific Gravity.

APPROVED:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John M. Radman".

John M. Radman
Senior Technical Director

SAMPLE

DISPOSITION: Samples destroyed.



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FLEXURAL STRENGTH

REFERENCE:

MIL-PRF-62419A and
ASTM-D-790-07

REQUIREMENT:

Flexural Strength = > 5,400 psi

METHOD:

The thickness and width of each specimen was measured and the cross-sectional area calculated. The specimens were individually tested using a three-point load system on a Tension/Compression Tester. The load nose and supports were aligned so that the axes of the cylindrical surfaces were parallel and the load nose was midway between the supports. The specimens were centered on the supports perpendicular to the loading nose and supports. The support span and applied load were as specified in ASTM-D-790-07 using a 16 to 1 ratio. The load was applied and simultaneous load-deflection data was taken.

The Flexural Strength was calculated as follows:

$$S = 3PL / 2bd^2$$

Where:

- S = Flexural Strength (psi)
- P = minimum load (lbs)
- L = support span (in)
- b = width of beam (in)
- d = depth of beam (in)

Testing was performed at -60°F, +72°F, and +160°F. The specimens were allowed to stabilize at specified temperature prior to testing.



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RESULTS:

Temperature	Specimen	Flexural Strength (psi)
-60°F	1	56,300
	2	59,600
	3	62,100
	4	60,100
	5	66,000
	Average	60,820
+72°F	1	47,300
(Room Temp)	2	44,600
	3	44,300
	4	46,700
	5	48,000
	Average	46,180
+160°F	1	30,900
	2	38,200
	3	30,200
	4	32,900
	5	32,200
	Average	32,880

Material tested has met the specified requirements of MIL-PRF-62419A for Flexural Strength.



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