

# Braskem America Inc. - Polypropylene Homopolymer

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### **General Information**

#### **Product Description**

Low gas fade

#### Applications

Suggested uses include BCF multi-filaments, high tenacity continuous filament yarn, fine denier staple fibers

General						
Material Status	Commercial: Active					
Availability	North America					
Features	Gas-fading Resistant					
Uses	<ul><li>BCF Multifilaments</li><li>Fibers</li></ul>	<ul><li>Filaments</li><li>Staple Fibers</li></ul>	• Yarn			
Agency Ratings	• FDA 21 CFR 177.1520					

ASTM & ISO Properties <sup>1</sup>					
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method		
Melt Mass-Flow Rate (MFR) (230°C/2.16 kg)	18	g/10 min	ASTM D1238		
Mechanical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method		
Tensile Strength <sup>2</sup> (Yield)	35.2	MPa	ASTM D638		
Tensile Elongation <sup>2</sup> (Yield)	9.0	%	ASTM D638		
Flexural Modulus - 1% Secant <sup>3</sup>	1310	MPa	ASTM D790A		
Impact	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method		
Notched Izod Impact (23°C)	27	J/m	ASTM D256A		
Hardness	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method		
Rockwell Hardness (R-Scale)	104		ASTM D785		
Additional Information	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method		
Elongation of Fibers <sup>4</sup>	93	%	ASTM D2256		
Suggested Takeup Roll Speed	33.3	m/sec	Internal Method		
Tenacity of Fibers <sup>4</sup>	2.90	g/denier	ASTM D2256		

## Notes



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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Typical properties: these are not to be construed as specifications.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 51 mm/min

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> 1.3 mm/min

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> 3.3 draw ratio, 1250 m/min roll speed, 225°C spin temperature