

**Nylon (Natural Extruded) Material Properties**

Physical Properties		Test Method ASTM
Specific Gravity	1.14 – 1.15	D792
Tensile Strength (73° F, psi)	9,000 – 12,000	D638
Tensile Modulus of Elasticity (73° F)	250,000 – 400,000	D638
Elongation (73° F)	20 – 200	D638
Flexural Strength (73° F)	12,500 – 14,000	D790
Flexural Modulus of Elasticity (73° F)	175,000 – 410,000	D790
Shear Strength (73° F)	9,600	D790
Compressive Strength (10% Def., psi)	12,000	D695
Compressive Modulus of Elasticity (73° F, psi)	--	D695

Mechanical Properties		Test Method ASTM
Coefficient of Friction Dynamic (Dry vs. Steel)	0.17 – 0.43	--
Hardness (Rockwell, 73°F)	R110 – 120	D785
Hardness (Durometer, 73°F)	D55 – 70	D676
Tensile Impact (73° F, ft lb./in ²)	90 – 180	D1822
Coefficient Linear Thermal Exp. (in/in/°F)	5.5×10 ⁻⁵	D696
Deformation Under Load (122 °F, 2000 psi, %)	1.0 – 3.0	D621

Temperature Properties		Test Method ASTM
Deflection Temperature at 264 psi (°F)	200 – 450	D648
Deflection Temperature at 66 psi (°F)	400 – 460	D648
Melting Point (°F)	482 – 500	D789
Cont. Service Temp in Air, Max (°F)	180 – 200	--
Dielectric Strength Short Time (Volts/mil)	300 – 400	D149
Volume Resistivity (OHM-CM)	4.5×10 ¹³	D257
Dielectric Constant 60 Hz	4.1	D150
Dielectric Constant 10 ³ Hz	4.0	D150
Dielectric Constant 10 ⁵ Hz	3.4	D150

Environmental Properties		Test Method ASTM
Water Absorption Immersion at 24 Hours (%)	0.6 – 1.5	D570
Water Absorption Immersion Saturation (%)	7 – 9	D570
Acid Weak (73° F)	Acceptable	--
Acid Strong (73° F)	Unacceptable	--
Alkali Weak (73° F)	Acceptable	--
Alkali Strong (73° F)	Acceptable	--
Hydrocarbons, Aromatic (73 °F)	Acceptable	--
Hydrocarbons, Aliphatic (73 °F)	Acceptable	--
Ketones (73 °F)	Acceptable	--
Ethers (73 °F)	Acceptable	--
Esters (73 °F)	Acceptable	--
Alcohols (73 °F)	Acceptable	--
Inorganic Salt Solutions (73 °F)	Acceptable	--
Continuous Sunlight (73 °F)	Limited	--

Note: Property data shown are typical average values and will vary based on specific production lots and by size and product configuration. They should be used only as a guide to primary selection for the application of a given material and never for purchase specifications. All values shown are based on bone dry specimens.