

# THERMOPLASTICS Portfolio

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#### **THERMOPLASTICS**

A thermoplastic is a class of polymer that can be softened through heating and then processed using methods such as extrusion, injection moulding, thermoforming and blow moulding. Thermoplastics harden once cooled and do not show any changes in chemical property after being heated and cooled multiple times. In general, thermoplastics have a number of advantages and disadvantages:

#### Advantages:

- Readily recyclable
- Wide range of mechanical properties
- Lightweight compared to metals
- Aesthetically-superior surface finish compared to thermosets
- Good chemical resistance
- Energy-efficient processing

#### Disadvantages:

- Due to their low melting point compared to metals, thermoplastics are inappropriate for use on some high temperature applications.
- Some thermoplastics are susceptible to creep when exposed to long-term stress loads.

Thermoplastic elastomers (TPEs) are copolymers or compounds that deliver thermoplastic and elastomeric properties. TPEs exhibit thermoplastic characteristics above their melt temperatures, which allow them to be shaped into fabricated articles. When used within their design temperature ranges, TPEs show elastomeric behaviour without cross-linking during fabrication. In addition, this process is reversible, meaning that products can be reprocessed and remoulded.

The plastics pyramid below gives a general overview of the types of polymer and their properties. Every application has unique material characteristic requirements for temperature, strength, cost and more. Before a thermoplastic polymer can be used it is normally mixed with additives, such as stabilisers, plasticisers, lubricants, flame retardants and colourants, to improve the polymer's functionality, stability or appearance. For example, stabilisers are added to reduce degradation due to sunlight or heat and plasticisers can be added to increase the mobility of amorphous chain segments, lowering the glass transition temperature and decreasing brittleness. Graphene and related nanomaterials are additives that offer a broad range of multi-functionality to thermoplastics. Versarien are experienced in the compounding of nanomaterials and other additives into thermoplastics to achieve the desired properties.

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The plastics pyramid. Credit: https://divplast.com/plastics-material-selection

#### POLYMERS PORTFOLIO

**Polygrene-Thermoplastics** are produced by melt-processing Versarien's nanomaterials (e.g. Nanene<sup>™</sup> and Hexotene<sup>™</sup>) along with other additives and virgin polymer pellets using processes such as twin-screw extrusion to manufacture compounds and masterbatches in pellet or filament form.

Versarien's materials testing either takes place through its R&D teams based at the Graphene Engineering Innovation Centre (GEIC), University of Manchester and at the Cambridge Graphene Centre (CGC), University of Cambridge or through Versarien funded researchers based at WMG, University of Warwick. A number of tests are also performed by independent test laboratories or performed entirely by our clients.

Versarien is here to help you select the right enhanced plastic for your application.



Process flow for the manufacture of Versarien's Polygrene<sup>™</sup>-Thermoplastic compounds/masterbatches and their downstream products



POLYGRENE SERIES	POLYMER TYPE
	COMMODITY POLYMERS
1100	High density polyethylene (HDPE)
	ENGINEERING POLYMERS
1200	Acrylonitrile butadiene styrene (ABS)
1205	Acrylonitrile styrene acrylate (ASA)
1215	Polyamide-6 (PA6)
1220	Polyamide-6,6 (PA66)
1230, 1231, 1232	Thermoplastic polyurethane (TPU) (ether-based)
1235, 1236, 1237	Polyether block amide (PEBA)
	SPECIALTY POLYMERS
1300, 1301, 1302	Ethylene copolymers
1305	Polyetherimide (PEI)
1315	Poly aryl ether ketones (PAEKs)

TERMINOLOGY EXAMPLES (POLYGRENE-XXXX-Y-Z)									
SERIES (XXXX)		FILLER TYPE (Y) *		FILLER LOADING (Z)					
1100	-	N2	-	30					
HDPE		Nanene-002 (graphene)		30 wt.%					
1215	-	HBN1	-	0.5					
РАб		Hexagonal boron nitride		0.5 wt.%					
1237	-	N2	-	0.1					
РЕВА		Nanene-002 (graphene)		0.1 wt.%					
1315	-	N2	-	0.5					
РЕЕК		Nanene-002 (graphene)		0.5 wt.%					

PRODUCT FAMILY	APPLICATION / USAGE
Polygrene-MF	Polygrene-MF1105 - polypropylene (PP) macrofibres for concrete reinforcement
Polygrene-3D	3D printing filaments
Polygrene-E	Electrically conductive compounds for applications such as EMI shielding
Polygrene-T	Thermally conductive compounds for applications such as thermal management

\* See Nanomaterials Portfolio for filler technical datasheets: <u>https://www.versarien.com/index.php/download\_file/187/</u>

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#### POLYMERS PORTFOLIO POLYGRENE-1100 BLOW MOULDED BOTTLES



#### POLYMERS PORTFOLIO **COMMODITY POLYMERS**



#### **Polygrene-1100 Series**

PRODUCT INFORMATION										
Polymer Type	High density polyethylene (HDPE)									
Form					Pellets	;				
Properties	HDP	'E has excell	ent impact st	rength, high s	trength to w	eight ratio, a	nd outstandii	ıg chemical r	esistance.	
Uses		В	low molding a	applications, b	ottles for co	nsumer good	ls and food pa	ackaging		
			PRODUC	T CHARAC	<b>TERISTICS</b>					
NAME	TEST METHOD	UNIT				PRO	DUCT			
			HDPE	N2-20/30	N2-0.1	N2-0.5	HBN1-30	HBN1-1.0	HBN2-30	HBN2-1.0
GENERAL POLYN	<b>MER PROPERTIES</b>									
Colour	Visual		Translucent	Black	Black	Black	White	White	White	White
Density	ISO 1183	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
RHEOLOGICA	L PROPERTIES	U								
Melt Mass-Flow Rate	ISO 1133	g/10 min	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
THERMAL I	PROPERTIES	0								
Melting Temperature	ISO 11357-3	00	134	-	137	-	-	-	-	-
Glass Transition Temperature	ISO 11357-2	٥Ľ	-	-	_	-	-	-	-	-
MECHANICA	PROPERTIES									
Tensile Modulus		MPa	1380	-	1530	1630	-	1690	-	1680
Yield Stress	100 507 1 0	MPa	35.4	-	44.2	48.4	-	35.3	-	33.8
Yield strain	150 527-1,-2	%	11.8	-	14.4	11.1	-	10.4	-	10.5
Stress at Break	5 mm/min	MPa	-	-	-	-	-	35.5	-	33.8
Strain at Break		%	55	-	55	52	-	48	-	45





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#### **Polygrene-1200 Series**

PRODUCT INFORMATION								
Polymer Type	ABS							
Form			Pell	lets				
Properties		High rigidity, tough	ness and dimensional stab	ility, good impact and mechanical	properties.			
Uses	Enclosu	res for electrical d	evices, protective headgea	r, joinery, small kitchen appliances,	, automotive parts			
PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS								
NAME	TEST METHOD UNIT PRODUCT							
			ABS	N2-10/20	N2-0.1			
GENERAL POLYN	NER PROPERTIES							
Colour	Visual		White	Black	Black			
Density	ISO 1183	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	1.04	-	-			
RHEOLOGICA	L PROPERTIES							
Melt Mass-Flow Rate	ISO 1133	g/10 min	12	-	-			
THERMAL F	PROPERTIES	C						
Melting Temperature	ISO 11357-3	00	-	-	-			
Glass Transition Temperature	ISO 11357-2	ι. Γ	-	-	-			
MECHANICAL	<b>PROPERTIES</b>							
Tensile Modulus		MPa	2240	-	2530			
Yield Stress		MPa	44.4	-	61.4			
Yield strain	13U 3Z/-1,-Z	%	2.5	-	3.1			
Stress at Break	5 IIIII/MIN	MPa	-	-	-			
Strain at Break		%	32	-	39			

#### **Polygrene-1205 Series**

		PROD	UCT INFORMATION						
Polymer Type	ASA								
Form			Pellets						
Properties	High rigidity and dimensional stability, good impact and mechanical properties.UV and weather resistant.								
Uses		Furniture, fi	ttings and cosmetic packaging, au	tomotive body parts.					
			PRODUCT CHARACT	ERISTICS					
NAME	<b>TEST METHOD</b>	UNIT		PRODUCT					
			ASA	N2-0.1	N2/HBN1-10/20				
GENERAL POLY	MER PROPERTIE	S							
Colour	Visual		White	Black	Black/White				
Density	ISO 1183	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	-	-	-				
RHEOLOGIC	AL PROPERTIES								
Melt Mass-Flow Rate	ISO 1133	g/10 min	-	-	-				
THERMAL	PROPERTIES								
Melting Temperature	ISO 11357-3		-	-	-				
<b>Glass Transition</b>	100 11257 2	°C							
Temperature	130 11337-2		-	-	-				
MECHANICA	AL PROPERTIES								
Tensile Modulus		MPa	2290	2340	-				
Yield Stress	100 507 1 0	MPa	56.2	61.7	-				
Yield strain	13U 3Z/-1,-Z	%	3.3	3.6	-				
Stress at Break	0 IIIII/IIIII	MPa	-	-	-				
Strain at Break		%	37	44	-				

#### POLYMERS PORTFOLIO Engineering Polymers

#### **Polygrene-1215 Series**



			PRODUCT I	NFORMATION						
Polymer Type		Polyamide-6 (PA6, Nylon-6)								
Form				Pellets						
Properties	Outstanding mec	hanical proper	ties, outstanding we grades are	ear, abrasion, chemica e self-extinguishing, e	l and oil resistance xcellent aesthetics	, long term heat resista	nce and almost all			
Uses	Gears	s, bearings, au	tomotive body parts,	, electric and electron	iic components, tex	tiles, sport and leisure	goods.			
			PRODUCT CH	ARACTERISTICS						
NAME	TEST METHOD	UNIT			PRODUCT					
			PA6	N2-10/20	N2-0.1	HBN1-10/20	HBN1-0.5			
GENERAL POLY	YMER PROPERTIES	5								
Colour	Visual		Translucent	Black	Black	White	White			
Density	ISO 1183	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	-		-	-	-			
RHEOLOGIC	AL PROPERTIES	•								
Melt Mass-Flow Rate	ISO 1133	g/10 min	-	-	-	-	-			
THERMAL	<b>PROPERTIES</b>	•								
Melting Temperature	ISO 11357-3		224	-		-	-			
Glass Transition Temperature	ISO 11357-2	°C	-	-	-	-	-			
MECHANIC	AL PROPERTIES									
Tensile Modulus		MPa	2410	-	3060	-	3150			
Yield Stress		MPa	70.4	-	93.6	-	86.7			
Yield strain	15U 5Z/-1,-Z	%	3.9	-	4.0	-	3.8			
Stress at Break	5 mm/min	MPa	-	-	-	-	-			
Strain at Break		%	145	-	45	-	20			





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#### **Polygrene-1220 Series**



			PRODU	CT INFORMATIO	N				
Polymer Type		Polyamide-6,6 (PA66, Nylon-6,6)							
Form				Pe	ellets				
Properties	Excellent mecha	Excellent mechanical properties, outstanding wear, abrasion, chemical and oil resistance, long term high heat resistance, excellent aesthetics.							
Uses	Textil	Textiles, electric and electronic components (complex parts), automotive parts exposed to high temperatures.							
			PRODUCT	<b>CHARACTERIS</b>	TICS				
NAME	<b>TEST METHOD</b>	UNIT			PRO	DUCT			
			PA66	N2-10/20	N2-0.1	N2-0.5	HBN1-10/20	HBN1-0.5	
GENERAL I	POLYMER PROPERTIES								
Colour	Visual		Off White		Black	Black	White	White	
Density	ISO 1183	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	1.09		-	-	-	-	
RHEOLO	GICAL PROPERTIES	-							

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RHEOLOGIC	AL PROPERTIES	-						
Melt Mass-Flow Rate	ISO 1133	g/10 min	-	-	-	-	-	-
THERMAL	PROPERTIES	-						
Melting Temperature	ISO 11357-3		263	-	-		-	-
Glass Transition Temperature	ISO 11357-2	°C	-	-	-	-	-	-
MECHANIC/	L PROPERTIES							
Tensile Modulus		MPa	2190	-	2330	2440	-	2340
Yield Stress		MPa	57.3	-	69	69.7	-	68.1
Yield strain	150 527-1,-2 E mm/min	%	11	-	10.8	8.7	-	10.2
Stress at Break	5 11111/11111	MPa	-	-	-	-	-	-
Strain at Break		%	31	-	33	23	-	28





#### **Polygrene-1230 Series**

PRODUCT INFORMATION								
Polymer Type Thermoplastic polyurethane (TPU), ether based	Thermoplastic polyurethane (TPU), ether based							
Form Pellets	Pellets							
Properties Resistance to hydrolysis and good flexibility at low temperature, good wear performance	Resistance to hydrolysis and good flexibility at low temperature, good wear performance							
Uses Cable sheathing, plugs and terminations, hoses, damping elements.	Cable sheathing, plugs and terminations, hoses, damping elements.							
Shore D Hardness ~ 36								
PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS								
NAME TEST METHOD UNIT PRODUCT								

			IPU	N2-10/20	N2-0.1
GENERAL POLY	MER PROPERTIES				
Colour	Visual		Translucent	Black	Black
Density	ISO 1183	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	1.12	-	-
RHEOLOGICA	L PROPERTIES				
Melt Mass-Flow Rate	ISO 1133	g/10 min	-	-	-
THERMAL	PROPERTIES				
Melting Temperature	ISO 11357-3	٥C	180		181
Glass Transition Temperature	ISO 11357-2	U	-	-	-
MECHANICA	L PROPERTIES				
Tensile Modulus		MPa	19.6	-	24.6
Yield Stress	100 507 1 0	MPa	-	-	-
Yield strain	130 327-1,-2 50 mm/min	%	-	-	-
Stress at Break	50 11111/11111	MPa	25.8	-	28.3
Strain at Break		%	544	-	545
Shore D Hardness	ISO 868	-	36	-	36

#### Polygrene-1231 Series

		PI	RODUCT INFORMATION					
Polymer Type			Thermoplastic polyuret	hane (TPU), ether based				
Form			Pel	lets				
Properties	Hyd	drolysis resistance	and good flexibility at low t	emperature, good wear and abrasio	n performance			
Uses		Ear tag	s, hoses, roller tyres for conv	eyor systems and shopping trolleys	;			
Shore D Hardness			~	54				
PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS								
NAME	TEST METHOD	UNIT		PRODUCT				
			TPU	N2-10/20	N1-0.1			
GENERAL POLY	MER PROPERTIES							
Colour	Visual		White	Black	Black			
Density	ISO 1183	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	1.12	<u>-</u>				
RHEOLOGICA	L PROPERTIES	0						
Melt Mass-Flow Rate	ISO 1133	g/10 min	-	-	-			
THERMAL	PROPERTIES	8						
Melting Temperature	ISO 11357-3	00	210		210			
Glass Transition Temperature	ISO 11357-2	٥Ľ	-	-	_			
MÉCHANICA	L PROPERTIES							
Tensile Modulus		MPa	232.5	-	244			
Yield Stress		MPa	-	-	-			
Yield strain	15U 5Z7-1,-Z	%	-	-	-			
Stress at Break	ou min/min	MPa	54.6	-	54			
Strain at Break		%	534	-	524			
Shore D Hardness	ISO 868	-	54	-	54			



#### **Polygrene-1232 Series**



PRODUCT INFORMATION								
Polymer Type		Thermoplastic polyurethane (TPU), ether based						
Form			Pelle	ts				
Properties	Нус	Irolysis resistan	ce and good flexibility at low ter	nperature, good wear and abrasio	n performance			
Uses		Ski	binding elements, ski surface fi	ilms, spike studs in sport shoes.				
Shore D Hardness			~ 74	1				
PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS								
NAME	TEST METHOD	UNIT		PRODUCT				
			TPU	N1-10/20	N1-0.3			
GENERAL POLYMER PROPERTIES								
Colour	Visual		Translucent	Black	Black			
Density	ISO 1183	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	1.12	-	-			
RHEOLOGICA	L PROPERTIES							
Melt Mass-Flow Rate	ISO 1133	g/10 min	-	-	-			
THERMAL	PROPERTIES							
Melting Temperature	ISO 11357-3	٥٥	220		220			
Glass Transition Temperature	ISO 11357-2	U	-	-	-			
MECHANICA	L PROPERTIES							
Tensile Modulus		MPa	960	-	1100			
Yield Stress	100 507 1 0	MPa	-	-	-			
Yield strain	13U 3Z7-1,-Z 10 mm/min	%	-	-	-			
Stress at Break		MPa	74.8	-	59.3			
Strain at Break		%	261	-	235			
Shore D Hardness	ISO 868	-	74	-	74			





#### **Polygrene-1235 Series**

		PR	ODUCT INFORMATION				
Polymer Type	Poly ether block amide (PEBA)						
Form			Pelle	ts			
Pronerties	Bio	compatible. low hv	steresis, lightweight, outstand	ding impact resistance even at lov	v temperatures		
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Shore D Haruness			~ 3;				
		PROI	DUCT CHARACTERISTICS	5			
NAME	TEST METHOD	UNIT		PRODUCT			
			PEBA	N2-10/20	N2-0.5		
GENERAL POLYMER PROPERTIES							
Colour	Visual		Translucent	Black	Black		
Density	ISO 1183	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	1.01	-	-		
RHEOLOGICA	AL PROPERTIES						
Melt Mass-Flow Rate	ISO 1133	g/10 min	-		-		
THERMAL	PROPERTIES						
Melting Temperature	ISO 11357-3	٥c	172				
Glass Transition Temperature	ISO 11357-2	U	-	-	-		
MECHANICA	L PROPERTIES						
Tensile Modulus		MPa	22.7	-	26.1		
Yield Stress	190 597 1 9	MPa	-	-	-		
Yield strain	50 JZ7-1,-Z	%	-	-	-		
Stress at Break	JU 11111/11111	MPa	21.5	-	22.4		
Strain at Break		%	1023	-	1100		
Shore D Hardness	ISO 868	-	35	-	35		

#### **Polygrene-1236 Series**

		P	RODUCT INFORMATION				
Polymer Type	Poly ether block amide (PEBA)						
Form			Pelle	ts			
Properties	Bio	compatible, low h	ysteresis, lightweight, outstan	ding impact resistance even at lov	v temperatures		
Uses		•	Flexible parts, power	transmission belts			
Shore D Hardness	~ 45						
PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS							
NAME	TEST METHOD UNIT PRODUCT						
			PEBA	N2-10/20	N2-0.1		
GENERAL POLY	MER PROPERTIES						
Colour	Visual		Translucent	Black	Black		
Density	ISO 1183	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	1.01	-	-		
RHEOLOGICAL PROPERTIES							
Melt Mass-Flow Rate	ISO 1133	g/10 min	-	-	-		
THERMAL	PROPERTIES	-					
Melting Temperature	ISO 11357-3	٥ <b>0</b>	172				
Glass Transition Temperature	ISO 11357-2	U	-	-	-		
MECHANICA	L PROPERTIES						
Tensile Modulus		MPa	98.2	-	103		
Yield Stress		MPa	-	-	-		
Yield strain	150 527-1,-2	%	-	-	-		
Stress at Break	50 mm/min	MPa	29.2	-	29.8		
Strain at Break		%	880	-	890		
Shore D Hardness	ISO 868	-	45	-	45		

#### **Polygrene-1237 Series**

**PRODUCT INFORMATION** 



#### POLYMERS PORTFOLIO ENGINEERING POLYMERS



Polymer Type	Poly ether block amide (PEBA)						
Form	Pellets						
Properties	Biocompatible, low hysteresis, lightweight, outstanding impact resistance even at low temperatures						
Uses	Sports equipment, footwear, medical tubing						
Shore D Hardness	~ 70						
PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS							

NAME	TEST METHOD	UNIT			PRODUCT		
			PEBA	N2-10/20	N2-0.1	HBN1-10/20	HBN1-0.5
GENERAL POLY	MER PROPERTIES						
Colour	Visual		Translucent	Black	Black	White	White
Density	ISO 1183	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	1.01	-	-	-	-
RHEOLOGICA	L PROPERTIES						
Melt Mass-Flow Rate	ISO 1133	g/10 min	-	-	-	-	-
THERMAL	PROPERTIES						
Melting Temperature	ISO 11357-3	٥٥	172	-	-	-	-
Glass Transition Temperature	ISO 11357-2	U	-	-	-	-	-
MECHANICA	L PROPERTIES						
Tensile		MPa	642	-	720	-	680
Yield Stress	100 507 1 0	MPa	30.2	-	37.8	-	33.1
Yield strain	130 327-1,-2 10 mm/min	%	16.2	-	16.5	-	15.5
Stress at Break		MPa	43.3	-	51.9	-	45.9
Strain at Break		%	219	-	257	-	245
Shore D Hardness	ISO 868	-	70	-	70	-	70



POLYMERS PORTFOLIO POLYGRENE-1305 & POLYGRENE-1315 TENSILE TEST SPECIMENS







	PRODUCT INFORMATION
Polymer Type	Ethylene copolymers(Vinyl acetate, acrylate and others)
Form	Pellets
Properties	EVA1: Increases toughness and flexibility, chemical and microbial resistant. EMA2: Imparts elastomeric properties, excellent aging, corrosion, and weather-resistant properties. EBAGMA3: Asphalt modifier, good metal adhesion, corrosion resistant.
Uses	Non-migrating PVC plasticiser (EVA), compatibilizerPlasticiser for different matrices (PE, PC, polyesters) (EMA), mitigating agent for cathodic disbondment, asphalt modifier, compatibilizer (EBAGMA).

PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS									
NAME	TEST METHOD	UNIT		PRODUCT					
			EVA	EMA	EBAGMA	N2-10/20/30/40			
<b>GENERAL POLY</b>	MER PROPER	TIES							
Colour	Visual		Translucent	Translucent	Translucent	Black			
Density	ISO 1183	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	1	0.95	0.84	-			
RHEOLOGIC/	AL PROPERTI	ES							
Melt Mass-Flow	150 1133	g/10	35	3	8	_			
Rate	150 1155	min	55	5	0				
THERMAL	PROPERTIES								
Melting	150 11357-3		66	85	72	_			
Temperature	100 11007 0	°C	00	66	12				
Glass Transition	150 11357-2	U	_	_	_	_			
Temperature	100 11007 2								
MECHANICA	L PROPERTIE	S							
Tensile Modulus		MPa	-	-	-	-			
Yield Stress	190 527-1-2	MPa	-	-	-	-			
Yield strain	mm/min	%	-	-	-	-			
Stress at Break	- 11111/ 11111	MPa	5.9	-	-	-			
Strain at Break		%	950	-	-	-			
Shore A Hardness	ISO 868	-	70	-	-	-			

<sup>1</sup> EVA: Ethylene vinyl acetate copolymer
<sup>2</sup> EMA: Ethylene methyl acrylate copolymer
<sup>3</sup> EBAGMA: Ethylene butyl acrylate glycidyl methyl acrylate terpolymer



#### **Polygrene-1305 Series**



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		Р	RODUCT INFORMATION					
Polymer Type	Polyetherimide (PEI)							
Form			Pel	ets				
Properties	High heat resistance, stiffness, impact strength, transparency, high mechanical strength, good electrical properties, high flame resistance, low smoke generation, and chemical resistance. Autoclavable.							
Uses	Automotive (Transmission components, fuses, gears, bearings), electrical motor parts, aircraft components for weight reduction in place of metal parts (metal replacement)							
		PRO	DUCT CHARACTERISTIC	S				
NAME	TEST METHOD	UNIT	PRODUCT					
			PEI	N2-10/20	N2-0.5			
GENERAL POLY	MER PROPERTIES							
Colour	Visual		Amber	Black	Black			
Density	ISO 1183	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	1.26	-	-			
RHEOLOGICA	L PROPERTIES							
Melt Mass-Flow Rate	ISO 1133	g/10 min	-	-	-			
THERMAL	PROPERTIES							
Melting Temperature	ISO 11357-3	٥c	-					
Glass Transition Temperature	ISO 11357-2	U	213	-	-			
MECHANICA	L PROPERTIES							
Tensile Modulus		MPa	3060	-	3210			
Yield Stress	160 507 1 0	MPa	110	-	115			
Yield strain	5 mm/min	%	5.9	-	5.8			
Stress at Break	5 1111/1111	MPa	-	-	-			
Strain at Break		%	50	-	13			
Shore D Hardness	ISO 868	-	-	-	-			

#### **Polygrene-1315 Series**

		PI	RODUCT INFORMATION				
Polymer Type			Poly ether ether	ketone (PEEK)			
Form			Pelle	ts			
Properties	Excellent mechanical properties even at high temperatures (up to 250°C), abrasion Resistance, chemical Resistance, High Ductility and elongation, hydrolysis resistance and autoclavable.						
Uses	Aerospa	ce (metal replace	ments), medical implants and	equipment, dental implants, or pro	ocessing equipment		
		PRO	<b>DUCT CHARACTERISTICS</b>	3			
NAME	<b>TEST METHOD</b>	UNIT	PRODUCT				
			PEEK	N2-10/20	N2-0.5		
GENERAL POLYMER PROPERTIES							
Colour	Visual		Light brown	Black	Black		
Density	ISO 1183	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	-	-	-		
RHEOLOGICAL PROPERTIES		•					
Melt Mass-Flow Rate	ISO 1133	g/10 min	-	-	-		
THERMAL	PROPERTIES	U U					
Melting Temperature	ISO 11357-3	00	345				
Glass Transition Temperature	ISO 11357-2	- U	-	-	-		
MECHANICA	AL PROPERTIES						
Tensile Modulus		MPa	3580	-	3670		
Yield Stress		MPa	98.7	-	103		
Yield strain	15U 5Z1-1,-Z	%	4.6	-	4.6		
Stress at Break	5 mm/min	MPa	-	-	-		
Strain at Break		%	23.3	-	53.3		
Shore D Hardness	ISO 868	-	-	-	-		

### POLYGRENE

# **Polygrene-MF**

Polypropylene (PP) is a thermoplastic used in a number of construction applications (geopolymer mesh, micro/macrofibres).

Macrofibres are generally used to minimise and/or eliminate both plastic and drying shrinkage cracking. They can be used to replace rebar and welded wire reinforcement and provide equal or better performance when the proper dosage is used. Macrofibres provide all the benefits of microfibres, in addition to increased durability, flexural toughness, and resistance to impact and abrasion. Versarien have developed graphene enhanced PP macrofibres that are superior to standard virgin PP macrofibers with 100% higher elastic modulus (stiffness).

The benefits of **Polygrene-MF** includes:

- Increased flexural strengths
- Improved tensile properties of concrete
- Increased durability
- Reduced CO<sub>2</sub> and cost (less material, removal of steel rebar)
- Reduced material (thinner slab, less cover, reduced reinforcement)



#### **CONCRETE TEST DATA** Independent testing performed by SOCOTEC UK Limited (UKAS accredited)

Concrete is relatively weak in tension and often requires some form of reinforcement to cope with tensile forces. Here, 3 kg/m<sup>3</sup> dosage of Polygrene-MF were added. Beams were tested against BS EN 14889-2 Fibres for concrete - Polymer fibres.



Industry Standard PP Macrofibre Control Concrete CEM I Control Mixes Polygrene-MF reinforced CEM I Mix

Limit Of Proportionality (LOP) (with crack induced test piece) **Crack Mouth Opening Displacement (CMOD)** Polygrene-PP macrofibres outperform industry standard PP macrofibre reinforced concretes by +30% at the same dosage

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## Polygrene-3D

### **PRODUCT INFORMATION** Form Available in 1.75mm and 2.85mm diameter filament spools to suit most printers. High performance materials for 3D printing technologies. Versarien's graphene enhanced 3d printer filaments have been developed for demanding applications requiring higher performance over standard filaments. Formulated using Versarien's proprietary nanomaterials and premium polymers. Description Suitable for most commercially available FDM/FFF 3D printers with a heated print bed and adjustable temperature settings. Uses **┽//→** -2 Ø Increases in **Increases** in 1.75 / 2.85 mm **Increases** in elongation at **Faster printing** tensile modulus tensile strength filaments break Get in touch today to discuss your requirements info@versarien.co.uk





# **Polygrene-E**



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