



BOSTIK

THERMELT® 868 Natural

POLYAMIDE HOT MELT RESIN

KEY FEATURES

- Enhanced UV resistance versus standard PA
- Light color product
- Flammability UL94: V0

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Resin Thermelt® 868 natural is a pure copolyamide hot melt resin and non-reactive, specially designed for Low Pressure Molding applications.

FEATURES

- Enhanced UV resistance compared to standard PA,
 - Light color product,
 - Soft material,
 - A good fluidity at application temperature.
- This resin is in accordance with UL 94 V0 class.

APPLICATIONS

Resin Thermelt® 868 natural is mainly used for molding of electronic/electric components, connectors and cables.

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

INDICATIVE DATA	VALUE	STANDARD TEST
Viscosity Brookfield (200°C, SC4-S27, 50 RPM)	[Pa.s] 3.6	ASTM D3236
Softening point (Cup and Ball)	[°C] 162	ASTM D3461
Water content	[%] <0.2	Bostik
Hardness (23°C, 15s)	[Shore D] 20	ISO 868
Density	~1	Internal test
Water absorption (Immersed 7 days, 23°C)	[%] 2.5	ISO 62
Glass transition (DSC)	[°C] -25	Bostik
Colour	Natural	
Commercial shape	Pellets	

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MECHANICAL PROPERTIES

INDICATIVE DATA	VALUE	STANDARD TEST
Max Stress (50 mm/min, 23°C)	[MPa] >2.5	ISO 527
Elongation at break (50 mm/min, 23°C)	[%] >200	ISO 527
Young modulus (50 mm/min, 23°C)	[MPa] 55	ISO 527

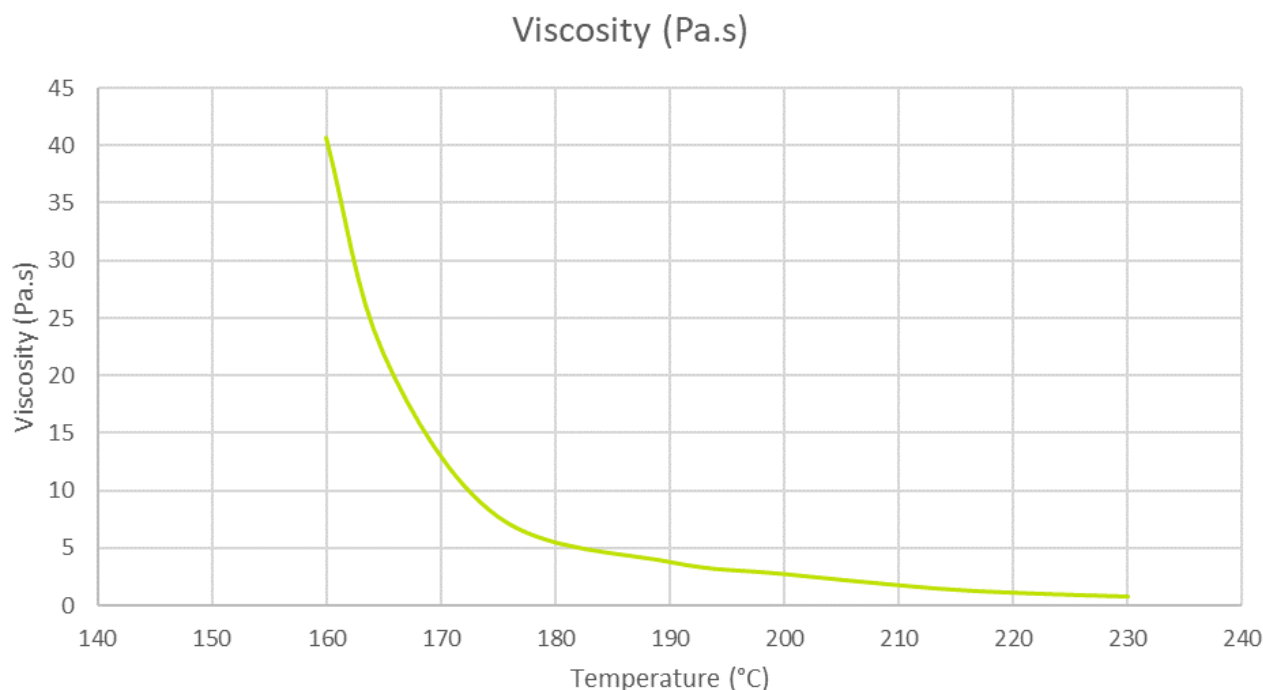
ELECTRICAL PROPERTIES

INDICATIVE DATA	VALUE	STANDARD TEST
Transversal resistivity (500V)	[Ω.cm] 1.10 ¹¹	IEC 62631-3
Dielectric rigidity (23°C)	[kV.mm ⁻¹] 19	IEC 60243-1
Relative permittivity (50Hz, 23°C) (1kHz, 23°C) (1MHz, 23°C) (1GHz, 23°C) (5GHz, 23°C)	-	IEC 62631-2
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	[F.m ⁻¹] 3.4	ASTM D150
	2.7	ASTM D150
	2.6	ASTM D2520

PROCESSING CONDITIONS

RECOMMENDED PARAMETERS	VALUE
Melt Temperature Range	[°C] 180 - 210
Mold Temperature Range	[°C] 20 - 60
Drying Time (Air oven, thin layer)	[h] 6
Drying Temperature	[°C] 80

Resin Thermelt® 868 natural can be used in both melter and extruder.



PACKAGING

For existing packaging sizes, please call your Bostik sales representative.

STORAGE STABILITY

The product has a shelf life of 18 months when properly stored in a cool and dry location in closed original packing. Resin Thermelt® 868 natural will absorb moisture from the air. Because of risk of moisture absorption, we highly recommend to store any open bag in a close container.

FURTHER INFORMATION

The following publication is available on request:

- Safety Data Sheets (SDS)
- Regulatory Information Sheet (RIS)

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