

# Nylene® 7140 HS

## TECHNICAL DATASHEET

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### DESCRIPTION

- Nylon 6/6 Homopolymer resin with increased wear resistance and lubricity
- Suitable for injection molding applications
- Has the inherent strength, lubricity, and chemical resistance common to nylon 6/6 homopolymer materials while exhibiting lower friction and wear characteristics

PROPERTIES	TEST METHOD	UNIT	VALUE
<b>PHYSICAL PROPERTIES</b>			
Specific Gravity	D792	n/a	1.20
<b>MECHANICAL PROPERTIES</b>			
Elongation	D638	%	20
Flexural Modulus	D790	psi (MPa)	415,000 (2860)
Notched Izod @ 23°C	D256	ftlb/in (J/m)	1.0 (53)
Tensile Strength	D638	psi (MPa)	11,500 (79)
<b>THERMAL PROPERTIES</b>			
DTUL @ 264 psi/1.82 MPa	D648	°F (°C)	194 (90)
Melt Point	D3418	°F (°C)	490 (254)

### NOTES

- Testing conducted on dry-as-molded specimens at 73°F

### PROCESSING CONSIDERATIONS: PA 6/6 UNREINFORCED

°F (°C)	Rear Zone	500-540 (260-282)	<p><b>Melt Temperature:</b> Nylene® PA6/6 melts at 490 °F (254°C), actual melt temperatures of 540-600 (282-316°C) are permissible, depending on residence time and shot size.</p> <p><b>Mold Temperature:</b> 120-200 °F (49-93°C), highly filled grades require 180-200 °F (82-93°C) to obtain the best overall surface appearance, higher temperatures will increase crystallinity.</p> <p><b>Residence Time:</b> should not exceed 6 minutes if possible, less with higher melt temperatures.</p> <p><b>Shot Size:</b> should be between 25-75% of barrel capacity.</p> <p><b>Fill Rate:</b> fast fill rates are suggested for best surface appearance.</p> <p><b>Regrind Level:</b> typically no more than 25% is recommended, with higher levels possible for unfilled grades depending on the end use requirements. Make certain regrind is properly dried to virgin moisture levels.</p> <p><b>Drying Temperature:</b> 150-180 °F (65-182°C) for 2-4 hours, Nylene® PA6/6 should be dried to less than 0.20% moisture for optimum performance. Drying longer than 4 hours or at higher temperatures may cause oxidation of the polymer or remove essential volatiles.</p>
	Center Zone	520-560 (271-293)	
	Front Zone	540-580 (282-304)	
	Nozzel	535-575 (279-301)	
	Melt Temp.	540-580 (282-304)	
PRESSURE	Injection	7-15,000	
	Hold	5-12,000	
	Back	0-50	

### CHARACTERISTICS

Resin Type: Nylon 6/6  
 Product Characteristics:  
 Unreinforced, Heat Stabilized, Heat Stabilized

### INJECTION MOLDING PROCESSING

Prime Grade

### FEATURES

- Good chemical resistance
- Good strength
- Good wear resistance
- Homopolymer
- Low friction

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