

## Polypropylene

## Borealis BD950MO

## Polypropylene Heterophasic Copolymer

## Description

BD950MO is a heterophasic copolymer. This grade is intended for compression and injection moulding. The main features of this grade are good stiffness and impact resistance, very good processability, high melt strength, and extremely low tendency to stress whitening.

This grade uses Borealis Nucleation Technology (BNT) to increase productivity by cycle time reduction. As with all BNT grades, products exhibit excellent dimensional consistency with different colorants. In addition, this grade provides excellent creep resistance and optimum stiffness-impact balance. This polymer contains slip and antistatic additives to ensure good demoulding properties, low dust attraction, and low friction coefficient which meets the industry standards for closure opening torques.

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## Typical characteristics

Borealis BD950MO can be described with following typical characteristics:

Very good processability  
Very good stiffness and impact balance

High creep performance  
Low friction

## Applications

Borealis BD950MO is intended for following applications:

Caps and closures for beverage and food

Caps and closures for industrial packaging

## Physical properties

Property	Typical value *	Unit	Test method
Density	905	kg/m <sup>3</sup>	ISO 1183-1
Melt flow rate ( 230 °C/2.16 kg)	7	g/10min	ISO 1133-1
Flexural modulus	1400	MPa	ISO 178
Tensile modulus ( 1 mm/min)	1500	MPa	ISO 527-2
Tensile stress at yield ( 50 mm/min)	30	MPa	ISO 527-2
Tensile strain at yield ( 50 mm/min)	6	%	ISO 527-2
Charpy impact strength, notched ( 23 °C)	8	kJ/m <sup>2</sup>	ISO 179-1/1eA
Charpy impact strength, notched ( -20 °C)	4	kJ/m <sup>2</sup>	ISO 179-1/1eA
Heat deflection temperature B ( 0.45 MPa)	90	°C	ISO 75-2

\* Data should not be used for specification work

## Processing techniques

This product is easy to process with standard injection moulding machines.

Processing setting	Typical value/range
Melt temperature	230 - 250 °C
Holding pressure <sup>1</sup>	200 - 500 bar
Mould temperature	1 - 30 °C
Injection speed	As high as possible

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<sup>1</sup> Minimum to avoid sink marks

Shrinkage 1 - 2 %, depending on wall thickness and moulding parameters

### Packaging and storage

Borealis BD950MO should be stored in dry conditions at temperatures below 50°C and protected from UV-light. Improper storage can initiate degradation, which can result in odour generation and colour changes and can have negative effects on the physical properties of this product.

### Product compliance documents

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