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## Tenite™ Propionate 380A3V32818 Clear, Trsp

Eastman Chemical Company - Cellulose Acetate Propionate

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Tenite™ cellulosic plastics are noted for their excellent balance of properties - toughness, hardness, strength, surface gloss, clarity, and a warm feel. The mechanical properties of Tenite™ cellulosic plastics differ with plasticizer levels. Lower plasticizer content yields a harder surface, higher heat resistance, greater rigidity, higher tensile strength, and better dimensional stability. Higher plasticizer content increases impact strength. Tenite™ cellulosic plastics are available in natural, clear, selected ambers or smoke transparents and black translucent. Color concentrates are available in let-down ratios from 10:1 to 40:1. Tenite™ Cellulosic Acetate Propionate 380-18 has a plasticizer level of 18%. It is resistant to high temperatures.

**General**

Material Status	• Commercial: Active		
Availability	• Africa & Middle East • Asia Pacific	• Europe • Latin America	• North America
Additive	• Plasticizer (18%)		
Features	• Good Strength • Good Toughness • High Clarity	• High Gloss • High Hardness • High Heat Resistance	• Plasticized • Renewable Resource Content • Soft
Uses	• Eyeglasses		
Appearance	• Amber • Black	• Clear/Transparent • Natural Color	
Forms	• Pellets		

**ASTM & ISO Properties <sup>1</sup>**

Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Specific Gravity	1.19		ASTM D792
Molding Shrinkage - Flow	2.0E-3 to 6.0E-3	in/in	ASTM D955
Water Absorption (73°F, 24 hr)	1.4	%	ASTM D570
Mechanical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Tensile Strength (Yield, 73°F)	3210	psi	ASTM D638
Tensile Strength (Break, 73°F)	4000	psi	ASTM D638
Tensile Elongation (Break, 73°F)	35	%	ASTM D638
Flexural Modulus (73°F)	170000	psi	ASTM D790
Flexural Strength (Yield, 73°F)	4210	psi	ASTM D790
Impact	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Notched Izod Impact			ASTM D256
-40°F	2.0	ft·lb/in	
73°F	9.8	ft·lb/in	
Hardness	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Rockwell Hardness (R-Scale, 73°F)	55		ASTM D785
Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Deflection Temperature Under Load <sup>2</sup> (66 psi, Annealed)	171	°F	ASTM D648
Deflection Temperature Under Load <sup>2</sup> (264 psi, Annealed)	153	°F	ASTM D648
Vicat Softening Temperature <sup>2</sup>	189	°F	ASTM D1525
CLTE - Flow (73°F)	1.1E-5	in/in/°F	ASTM D696
Specific Heat (73°F)	0.301 to 0.399	Btu/lb/°F	DSC

1.7 Btu-in/hr/ft<sup>2</sup>/°F ASTM C177Thermal Conductivity<sup>3</sup> (73°F)

<b>Electrical</b>	<b>Nominal Value</b>	<b>Unit</b>	<b>Test Method</b>
Dielectric Strength (73°F)	300 to 470	V/mil	ASTM D149
Dielectric Constant (73°F, 1 MHz)	3.30 to 3.80		ASTM D150
Dissipation Factor (73°F, 1 MHz)	0.010 to 0.15		ASTM D150
<b>Optical</b>	<b>Nominal Value</b>	<b>Unit</b>	<b>Test Method</b>
Refractive Index	1.460 to 1.490		ASTM D542
Transmittance (59.8 mil)	> 90.0	%	ASTM D1003
Haze (59.8 mil)	< 8.5	%	ASTM D1003
<b>Additional Information</b>	<b>Nominal Value</b>	<b>Unit</b>	<b>Test Method</b>
Soluble Matter Loss (73°F)	0.10	%	ASTM D570
Weight Loss on Heating - 72 hrs (176°F)	1.0	%	ASTM D1562

### Notes

<sup>1</sup> Typical properties: these are not to be construed as specifications.

<sup>2</sup> Conditioned 4 hours at 70°C (158°F)

<sup>3</sup> Range: 0.17 to 0.33



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