# 5121 ESDP

## **Product description**

Colour	Weight (mg)	Size (mm)	Bulk density (g/l)	Packaging	Approved for direct food contact
Black	1.2	2.5 – 5.0	19.5 – 22.5	Bulk / Bag	No

## Physical properties

	Test method	30g/l	40g/l
Compressive strength	ISO 844		
25% strain (kPa)	5mm/min	150	210
50% strain (kPa)		220	300
75% strain (kPa)		460	600
Compression set 25% strain – 22 hours – 23°C (%)	ISO 1856 (Method C) Stabilising 24h	12.0	11.5
Burn rate (mm/min)	ISO 3795 12.5mm thick	95	70
Surface resistance (Ω)	EN 61340-2-3	≤ 108	≤ 10 <sup>8</sup>

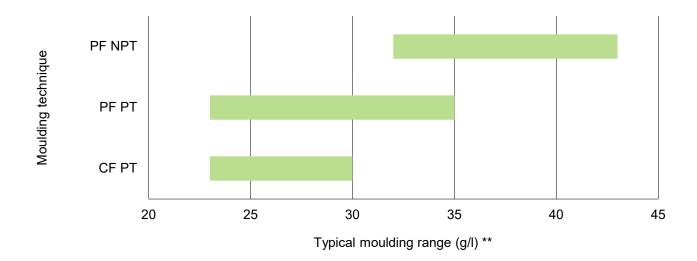
ARPRO 5121 ESDP is ideal for the protection of electro-sensitive goods. The specified surface resistance is maintained for more than 5 years. Electrostatic discharge (ESD) is the sudden flow of electricity caused by sudden contact between two objects with different electrical potentials. ARPRO 5121 ESDP dissipates the electrical charge, therefore protecting goods packed with this material.

#### Moulding

ARPRO 5121 ESDP can be moulded using Crack Fill (CF) and Pressure Fill (PF):

Crack fill: applied to Pre-Treated (PT) ARPRO.

Pressure fill: applied to either Pre-Treated (PT) or Non-Pre-Treated (NPT) ARPRO.



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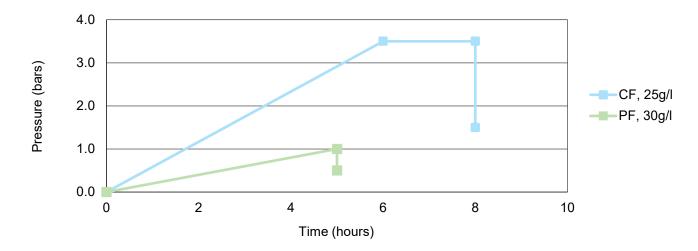
Shrinkage, surface aspect and cycle time are influenced by process parameters, tool and equipment layout, and part geometry.

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#### **Pre-treatment**

Recommended pre-treatment cycle with pressure tank environment and incoming compressed air both at 23°C: Crack fill: 6 hours up to 3.5 bar, hold 2 hours at 3.5 bar, decrease and maintain at 1.5 bar throughout production. Pressure fill: 5 hours up to 1 bar, decrease and maintain at 0.5 bar throughout production.



Pre-treatment cycles can be adapted according to moulding process, density and part geometry:

If internal cell pressure is too high, this may lead to fusion issues. In this case, decrease time, pressure or temperature to improve fusion.

Increase time, pressure or temperature to reduce moulded density and improve aspect.

Operating the pressure tank above ambient temperature, up to a maximum of 50°C, significantly shortens pretreatment time.

#### Post-treatment

For moulded densities below 50g/l and depending on the parts dimensions, post-treatment at a temperature of 80°C is recommended for 3 to 8 hours. This helps to remove water content, as well as ensuring dimensional stability and a geometric shape.

## **Shrinkage**

Typical values range from 2.0% to 2.6%. The higher the moulded density, typically the lower the shrinkage.

### **Storage**

A storage temperature above 15°C is strongly recommended.

Indoor storage strongly recommended.

If stored outdoors, it is strongly recommended to keep the material indoors for 24 hours before moulding.