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**xPP405-Clear**

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**HDT50**

**High Elongation**

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# xPP405-Clear HDT50 High Elongation Clear

## Description

xPP405-Clear is a high elongation and high toughness material with outstanding impact resistance and excellent surface finish. This stiff and durable high performance material is ideal for a wide variety of tools in the production floor, including manufacturing aids and final parts such as housings and consumer goods applications. The unique set of performance attributes makes it comparable to an unfilled thermoplastic like polypropylene. Parts can be printed with various DLP printers and machined, tapped, or polished for final finish.

Available Colors: Black, Clear

Mechanical Properties	Method	Green	Post Processed
Tensile Stress at Break	ASTM D638	30 ± 3 MPa <sup>[21]</sup>	39 ± 4 MPa <sup>[2]</sup>
Tensile Stress at Yield	ASTM D638	18 ± 1 MPa <sup>[21]</sup>	41 ± 1 MPa <sup>[2]</sup>
Young's Modulus	ASTM D638	793 ± 26 MPa <sup>[21]</sup>	1618 ± 23 MPa <sup>[2]</sup>
Elongation at Failure	ASTM D638	120 ± 14 % <sup>[21]</sup>	92 ± 18 % <sup>[2]</sup>
Maximum Flexural Stress	ASTM D790		69 ± 2 MPa <sup>[1]</sup>
Flexural Modulus	ASTM D790		1500 ± 76 MPa <sup>[1]</sup>
Flexural Strain at Break	ASTM D790		Does not Break <sup>[1]</sup>
Impact Strength—IZOD Notched	ASTM D256		65.27 ± 3 J/m <sup>[6]</sup>
Impact Strength—IZOD Unnotched	ASTM D256		>1500 J/m <sup>[6]</sup>
<b>Other Properties</b>			
HDT @ 0.455 MPa	ASTM D648		53°C <sup>[16]</sup>
Shore Hardness "D" (0s,3s)	ASTM D2240		79,76 <sup>[10]</sup>
Water Absorption	ASTM D570-98		2% <sup>[11]</sup>
Liquid Density	ASTM D1475		1.050 <sup>[12]</sup>
Solid Density (Green)	ASTM D1475		1.126 <sup>[12]</sup>
Solid Density (Post Processed)	ASTM D1475		1.134 <sup>[12]</sup>
<b>Liquid Properties</b>			
Viscosity @ 25°C (77°F)	ASTM D7867		2300 cP <sup>[5]</sup>

"All specimen are printed unless otherwise noted. All specimen were conditioned in ambient lab conditions at 19-23C / 40-60% RH for at least 24 hours." ASTM Methods: D638 Type IV, 50mm/min, D790-B, 2mm/min, D256 Notched IZOD (Machine Notched), 6 mm x 12 mm, D648, D2240, Type "D" (0, 3 seconds), D1475, D7867

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## Clear Color Properties

Method: ASTM E308, Total Transmission

Part State	L*	a*	b*	C*	h	dE
Green / no post-processing <sup>[8]</sup>	92.425	-1.205	2.195	2.5	118.735	NA
Dymax 5000EC 10 minutes / side <sup>[9]</sup>	92.255	-0.52	1.265	1.37	112.28	1.17
Loctite CL36 60 min/side <sup>[22]</sup>	92.18	-0.32	0.89	0.94	109.88	1.831366

## QUV exterior weathering conditions (ASTM G-154—Cycle 1): Clear color

Method: ASTM G-154—Cycle 1 & ASTM E308, Total Transmission

QUV Exposure Time (Hrs)	L*	a*	b*	C*	h	dE
0	90.86	-0.65	1.03	1.22	122.49	NA
240	91.06	-0.47	1.42	1.49	108.47	0.47

## QUV exterior weathering conditions (ASTM G-154—Cycle 1): Clear color mechanical properties

Method: ASTM G-154—Cycle 1 FOR16324 5mm/min

QUV Exposure Time (Hrs)	Tensile Stress at break (MPa)	Yield Stress (MPa)	Young's Modulus (MPa)	Elongation at break (%)
0	49 ± 3	42 ± 1	1412 ± 60	116 ± 12
300	41 ± 3	40 ± 1	1343 ± 103	78 ± 12
520	41 ± 2	44 ± 1	1469 ± 35	63 ± 16
800	38 ± 1	45 ± 1	1478 ± 51	46 ± 16

Method: ASTM G-154—Cycle 1 FOR19972 5mm/min current

QUV Exposure Time (Hrs)	Tensile Stress at break (MPa)	Yield Stress (MPa)	Young's Modulus (MPa)	Elongation at break (%)
0	40±2	34±1	1260±34	118±12
325	35±2	36±1	1469±11	80±14
650	34±1	39±1	1510±32	68±7
975	30±2	37±1	1500±10	50±9

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## Post Processing

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xPP405-Clear requires post processing to achieve specified properties. Prior to post curing, support structures should be removed from the printed part, and the part should be washed in a compatible cleaner. Nexa3D recommends either IPA or Cleaner C in 2 minute interval wash cycles. Use compressed air to remove residual solvent from the surface of the material between intervals. Exact times and methods can be found by contacting us at [www.nexa3d.com](http://www.nexa3d.com).

## Post Curing

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## Post Processing Options

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Color/Dyeing - Laboratory testing shows that dyeing xPP405-Clear using solvent solutions is possible. In order to maintain mechanical properties we recommend dyeing after post cure is completed. Dyeing prior to post cure, results may vary and effect mechanical properties.

Polishing / Coating is needed for optimum clarity to be obtained. For more information please contact your Henkel representative.

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## Note

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