

**AD1 Series**
**THERMOLAST® K**

The AD1 Series is your material solution for applications with excellent adhesion to polar thermoplastics such as ABS, PC and PC/ABS. The compounds are available in natural and black colors.

**Typical applications**

- Bumpers
- Door sills
- Function and design elements
- Grommets
- Handles (hand tools and power tools etc.)
- Seals
- Thumb wheels

**Material advantages**

- Easy coloring (compounds in natural colors)
- Excellent adhesion
- Excellent processing behavior
- Insert molding possible
- Pleasant surface feel (Soft touch)
- Suitable for automotive-interior
- UL 94 HB listed
- UV resistance

**Processing Method:** Injection Molding

	Color / RAL DESIGN	Hardness DIN ISO 7619-1 ShoreA	Density DIN EN ISO 1183-1 g/cm <sup>3</sup>	Tensile Strength <sup>1</sup> DIN 53504/ISO 37 MPa	Elongation at Break <sup>1</sup> DIN 53504/ISO 37 %	Tear Resistance ISO 34-1 Methode B (b)(Graves)	Adhesion to ABS <sup>2</sup> VDI 2019 two-component injection molding N/mm	Adhesion to PC <sup>2</sup> VDI 2019 two-component injection molding N/mm
<b>TC3MSB</b>	natural	31	1.100	2.0	600		1.5 (A)	1.5 (A)
<b>TC3MSZ</b>	black	30	1.100	2.0	600	9.0	1.5 (A)	1.5 (A)
<b>TC4MSB</b>	natural	39	1.100	3.0	650	10.0	2.5 (A)	2.0 (A)
<b>TC4MSZ</b>	black	40	1.100	3.0	650	10.0	2.5 (B)	2.5 (A)
<b>TC5MLB</b>	natural	50	1.100	3.5	600	13.0	2.0 (A)	2.0 (A)
<b>TC5MLZ</b>	black	49	1.100	3.5	600	13.0	2.0 (A)	2.5 (A)
<b>TC6MLB</b>	natural	60	1.100	4.5	550	16.5	4.0 (A)	3.0 (A)
<b>TC6MLZ</b>	black	59	1.100	4.5	550	16.5	4.0 (B)	3.5 (B)
<b>TC7MLB</b>	natural	68	1.100	5.0	500	16.0	6.5 (D)	5.5 (B)

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<b>TC7MLZ</b>	black	69	1.100	5.0	500	16.0	6.0 (D)	5.0 (B)
<b>TC8MLB</b>	natural	77	1.100	5.5	400	17.0	6.0 (D)	8.0 (D)
<b>TC8MLZ</b>	black	77	1.100	5.5	400	19.5	8.0 (D)	8.5 (D)

<sup>1</sup> Deviating from ISO 37 standard test piece S2 is tested with a traverse speed of 200 mm/min.

<sup>2</sup> The adhesion quality depends on mold design, product geometry and process parameters.

All values published in this data sheet are rounded average values.

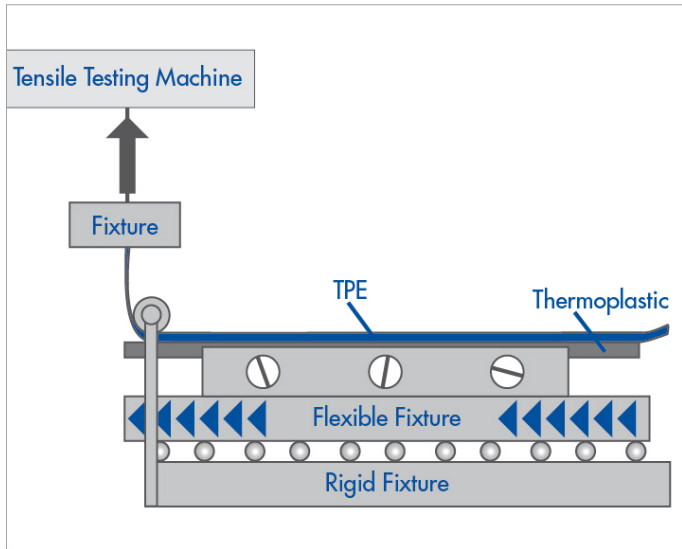
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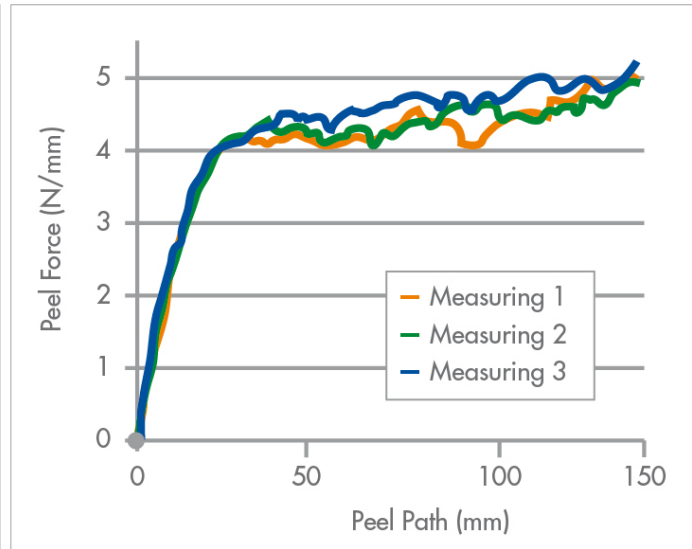
Description peel test

# Peel test according to VDI guide line 2019

Test Setup



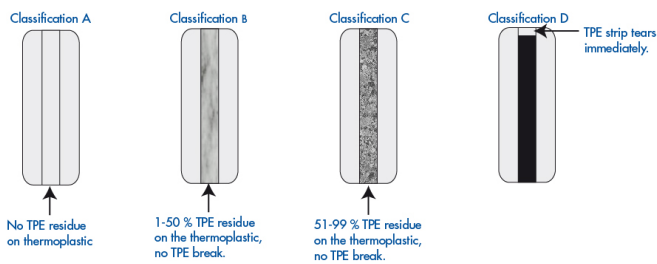
Example diagram for results of a peel test



## Classification

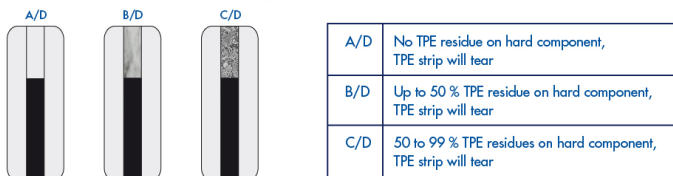
### Peel test according to VDI Guideline 2019

For the VDI peel test we add two characters to the peel force value. The first character describes the TPE residue on the hard component.



A	No TPE residue on hard component
B	Up to 50 % TPE residue on hard component
C	50 to 99 % TPE residue on hard component
D	TPE strip tears immediately

The second character describes if the TPE strip will tear during the measurement at any position on the peel path.



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**Processing Guideline Injection Molding**

Cylinder temperature	180 - 210 - 240 °C, max. 250 °C (360 - 410 - 460 °F, max. 480 °F)
Hotrunner	Hot runner temperatures: 200 -250 °C (390 - 480 °F). The runner should be empty after a maximum of 2 - 3 shots.
Injection pressure	200 - 1000 bar (2900 - 14504 psi) (depending on the size and weight of the part).
Injection rate	In general, the fill time should not be more than 1–2 seconds.
Hold pressure	We recommend to derive the optimum hold pressure from determining the solidification point, starting with 40 % - 60 % of the required injection pressure.
Back pressure	20 - 100 bar; if color batches are used, higher back pressure is necessary.
Screw retraction	If an open nozzle is used processing with screw retraction is advisable.
Mold temperature	The mold temperature depends on the hard component. A temperature exceeding 80 °C (175 °F) should be avoided. The common temperature is 40 - 60 °C (105 - 140° F).
Predrying	To achieve optimum mechanical values, drying the material for 2 - 4 hours at 60 - 80 °C (140 - 175 °F) is recommended.
Needle valve	With materials < 50 Shore A the use of a needle valve is advisable.
Screw geometry	Standard 3-zone polyolefine screw.
Residence time	The residence time is to be set as short as possible with a maximum of 10 minutes.
Cleaning recommendation	For cleaning and purging of the machine it is appropriate to use polypropylene or polyethylene. Machine must be PVC-free.

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