

Chemical Designation

PA 6 (Polyamide 6)

Colour

blue grey opaque

Density

1.24 g/cm³

Fillers

detectable filler

Data generated directly after machining
(standard climate Germany).

Main features

- high toughness
- resistant to many oils, greases and fuels
- electrically insulating
- good wear properties
- good weldable and bondable
- good slide and wear properties
- high strength
- good machinability

Target Industries

- electronics
- food technology
- mechanical engineering

<i>Mechanical properties</i>	<i>parameter</i>	<i>value</i>	<i>unit</i>	<i>norm</i>	<i>comment</i>
Tensile strength	50mm/min	80	MPa	DIN EN ISO 527-2	(1) For tensile test: specimen type 1b (2) For Charpy test: support span 64mm, norm specimen. n.b. = not broken
Modulus of elasticity (tensile test)	1mm/min	3600	MPa	DIN EN ISO 527-2	
Tensile strength at yield	50mm/min	80	MPa	DIN EN ISO 527-2	
Elongation at yield (tensile test)	50mm/min	4	%	DIN EN ISO 527-2	
Elongation at break (tensile test)	50mm/min	21	%	DIN EN ISO 527-2	
Impact strength (Charpy)	max. 7,5J	n.b.	kJ/m ²	DIN EN ISO 179-1eU	
Notched impact strength (Charpy)	max. 7,5J	4	kJ/m ²	DIN EN ISO 179-1eA	
Shore hardness	D	81		DIN EN ISO 868	
<i>Thermal properties</i>	<i>parameter</i>	<i>value</i>	<i>unit</i>	<i>norm</i>	<i>comment</i>
Glass transition temperature		45	°C	DIN EN ISO 11357	1)
Melting temperature		220	°C	DIN EN ISO 11357	
Service temperature	short term	160	°C		2)
Service temperature	long term	100	°C		
<i>Electrical properties</i>	<i>parameter</i>	<i>value</i>	<i>unit</i>	<i>norm</i>	<i>comment</i>
surface resistivity	Silver electrode, 23°C, 12% r.h.	> 10 ¹³	Ω	-	1)
					(1) Specimen in 20mm thickness
<i>Other properties</i>	<i>parameter</i>	<i>value</i>	<i>unit</i>	<i>norm</i>	<i>comment</i>
Water absorption	24h / 96h (23°C)	0.3 / 0.6	%	DIN EN ISO 62	1)
Resistance to hot water/ bases		(+)		-	2)
Resistance to weathering		-		-	3)
Flammability (UL94)	corresponding to	HB		DIN IEC 60695-11-10;	4)

