TUB121B Polyethylene Copolymer

TUB121B is a black high density bimodal polyethylene copolymer designed for extrusion of potable water, natural gas, industrial, and mining pipe. It is listed by the Plastics Pipe Institute (PPI TR-4, as both PE 4710 and PE 100) and is certified to NSF/ANSI Standard 14, NSF/ANSI Standard 61, CSA B137.1 and CSA B137.4.

Typical Properties¹

	Values		ASTM
	English Units	SI Units	Method
Density (Natural)	_	0.9485 g/cc	D 4883
Density (Black)	_	0.959 g/cc	D 792
Melt Index 190°C/5.0 kg	_	0.30 g/10 min	D 1238
Melt Index 190°C/ 21.6 kg	_	8.5 g/10 min	D 1238
Tensile Strength			
@ Yield (2 in/min)	3,625 psi	25.0 MPa	D 638
@ Break (2 in/min)	4,600 psi	31.7 MPa	D 638
Elongation			
@ Break (2 in/min)	>600%	>600%	D 638
Flexural Modulus ²	130,000 psi	896 MPa	D 790
Notched Izod Impact Strength	9 ft-lbf/in	0.49 kJ/m	D 256
Hardness (Shore D)	66	66	D 2240
Brittleness Temperature	<-180 °F	<-118 °C	D 746
Vicat Softening Point	259 °F	126 °C	D 1525
Thermal Stability	428 °F min	220 °C min	D2513/D3350
Hydrostatic Design Basis			
@ 23 °C	1600 psi	11.0 MPa	D 2837
@ 60 °C	1000 psi	6.9 MPa	D 2837
Minimum Required Strength	_	10.0 MPa	ISO 9080
Environmental Stress Crack Resistance ³	>5000 hrs	>5000 hrs	D 1693
Notch Tensile (PENT)	>10,000 hrs	>10,000 hrs	F 1473
Carbon Black Concentration	2.3%	2.3%	D 1603
Cell Classification	445574C	445576C	D 3350
Oxidative Resistance Classification	CC3	CC3	D3350
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² 2% Secant-Method 1

³ Condition C



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