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# Standard Classification System for Polyamide Molding and Extrusion Materials (PA)<sup>1</sup>

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### 1. Scope\*

- 1.1 This classification system covers polyamide materials suitable for molding and extrusion. Some of these compositions are also suitable for application from solution.
- 1.2 This classification system allows for the use of recycled polyamide materials provided that the requirements as stated in this classification system are met. The proportions of recycled material used, as well as the nature and amount of any contaminant, however, cannot be covered practically in this specification.
- 1.3 The properties included in this classification system are those required to identify the compositions covered. There may be other requirements necessary to identify particular characteristics important to specialized applications. These may be specified by using the suffixes as given in Section 5.
- 1.4 This classification system and subsequent line callout (specification) are intended to provide a means of calling out plastic materials used in the fabrication of end items or parts. It is not intended for the selection of materials. Material selection should be made by those having expertise in the plastic field after careful consideration of the design and the performance required of the part, the environment to which it will be exposed, the fabrication process to be employed, the costs involved, and the inherent properties of the material other than those covered by this classification system.
- 1.5 The values stated in SI units are to be regarded as standard. No other units of measurement are included in this standard.
- 1.6 The following precautionary caveat pertains only to the test methods portion, Section 11, of this classification system. This standard does not purport to address all of the safety concerns, if any, associated with its use. It is the responsibility of the user of this standard to establish appropriate safety and health practices and determine the applicability of regulatory requirements prior to use.

Note 1—This classification system is similar to  $\overline{\text{ISO 1874-1/-2}}$ , although the technical content is significantly different.

#### 2. Referenced Documents

- 2.1 ASTM Standards: <sup>2</sup>
- D 257 Test Methods for D-C Resistance or Conductance of Insulating Materials
- D 789 Test Methods for Determination of Relative Viscosity and Moisture Content of Polyamide (PA)
- D 792 Test Methods for Density and Specific Gravity (Relative Density) of Plastics by Displacement
- D 883 Terminology Relating to Plastics
- D 1600 Terminology for Abbreviated Terms Relating to Plastics
- D 3892 Practice for Packaging/Packing of Plastics
- D 4000 Classification System for Specifying Plastic Materials
- D 6260 Test Method for Gravimetric Determination of Carbon Black in Nylon Materials (PA)<sup>3</sup>
- E 29 Practice for Using Significant Digits in Test Data to Determine Conformance with Specifications
- 2.2 IEC/ISO Standards:4
- IEC 60243-1 Electrical Strength of Insulating Materials— Test Methods—Part 1: Tests at Power Frequencies
- IEC 60250 Recommended Methods for the Determination of the Permittivity and Dielectric Dissipation Factor of Electrical Insulating Materials at Power, Audio and Radio Frequencies Including Metre Wavelengths
- ISO 75-1 Plastics—Determination of Temperature of Deflection Under Load—Part 1: General Test Methods
- ISO 75-2 Plastics—Determination of Temperature of Deflection Under Load—Part 2: Plastic and Ebonite
- ISO 179-1 Plastics—Determination of Charpy Impact Strength—Part 1: Non-instrumented Impact Test
- ISO 294-1 Plastics—Injection Moulding of Test Specimens of Thermoplastic Materials—Part 1: General Principles, Multipurpose-Test Specimens and Bars
- ISO 307 Determination of Viscosity Number of Polyamides In Dilute Solutions

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For referenced ASTM standards, visit the ASTM website, www.astm.org, or contact ASTM Customer Service at service@astm.org. For *Annual Book of ASTM Standards* volume information, refer to the standard's Document Summary page on the ASTM website.

<sup>3</sup> Withdrawn.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Available from American National Standards Institute (ANSI), 25 W. 43rd St., 4th Floor, New York, NY 10036.



ISO 527-1 Plastics—Determination of Tensile Properties— Part 1: General Principles

ISO 527-2 Plastics—Determination of Tensile Properties— Part 2: Testing Conditions

ISO 1183 Plastics—Methods for Determining the Density and Relative Density of Non-Cellular Plastics

ISO 1874-1 Plastics—Polyamide (PA) Homopolymers and Copolymers for Moulding and Extrusion—Part 1: Designation

ISO 1874-2.2 Plastics—Polyamide (PA) Homopolymers and Copolymers for Moulding and Extrusion—Part 2:
 Preparation of Test Specimens and Determination of Properties

ISO 3167 Plastics, Multipurpose Test Specimens

ISO 3451-4 Plastics—Determination of Ash—Part 4: Polyamides

ISO 11357-1 Plastics—Differential Scanning Calorimetry—Part 1: General Principles

ISO 11357-3 Plastics—Differential Scanning Calorimetry—Part 3: Determination of Temperature and Enthalpy of Melting and Crystallization

ISO 15512 Plastics—Determination of Water Content

### 3. Terminology

3.1 The terminology used in this classification system is in accordance with Terminologies D 883 and D 1600.

#### 4. Classification

4.1 Polyamide materials are classified into groups in accordance with their composition. These groups are subdivided into classes and grades as shown in the Basic Property Table (Table PA).

Note 2—An example of this classification system for unreinforced polyamide is given as follows: The designation PA0123 indicates the following:

PA = polyamide as found in Terminology D 1600,

01 (group) = polyamide 66,

2 (class) = heat stabilized, and

3 (grade) = with a minimum viscosity number of 210 and the requirements given in Table PA.

4.1.1 Grades of reinforced or filled versions, or both, of the basic materials are identified by a single letter that indicates the reinforcement or filler used and two digits, in multiples of 5, that indicate the nominal quantity in percent by weight. Thus, a letter designation G for glass reinforced and 35 for percent or reinforcement, G35, specifies a material with a nominal glass level of 35 %. The reinforcement letter designations and associated tolerance levels are shown as follows:

Symbol	Material	(Based on the Total Mass)
С	carbon- and graphite-fiber-reinforced	±2 %
G	glass-reinforced	±2 %
L	lubricants (such as PTFE, graphite, silicone, and molybdenum disulfide)	Depends upon material and process—to be specified.
M	mineral-reinforced	±2 %
R	combinations of reinforcements or fillers, or both	±3 %

Note 3—An example of this classification system for reinforced polyamide is given as follows: The designation PA012G35 indicates the following:

PA = polyamide as found in Terminology D 1600,

01 (group) = polyamide 66, 2 (class) = heat stabilized, and

G35 (grade) = nominal 35 % glass with the requirements

given in Table PA.

Note 4—This part of the classification system uses percent of reinforcements or additives, or both, in the callout of the modified basic material. The types and percentages of reinforcements and additives should be shown on the supplier's technical data sheet unless they are proprietary in nature. If necessary, additional control of these reinforcements and additives can be accomplished by use of the suffix part of the system (see Section 5).

Note 5—Materials containing reinforcements or fillers, or both, at nominal levels not in multiples of 5 are included in the nearest PA grade designation. For example, a material with a nominal glass fiber level of 33 % is included with Grade G35 as shown in Note 4.

Note 6—Ash content of filled or reinforced materials may be determined using Test Method ISO 3451-4.

- 4.2 Variations of polyamide materials that are not in Table PA are classified in accordance with Tables PA and A or B. Table PA is used to specify the group of polyamide and Table A or B is used to specify property requirements.
- 4.2.1 Specific requirements for variations of polyamide materials shall be shown by a six-character designator. The designation will consist of the letter "A" or "B" and the five digits comprising the cell numbers for the property requirements in the order as they appear in Tables A and B.
- 4.2.1.1 Although the values listed are necessary to include the range of properties available in existing material, users should not infer that every possible combination of the properties exists or can be obtained.
- 4.2.2 When the grade of the basic material is not known, is not important or does not meet the Table PA requirements, the use of "0" grade classification shall be used for reinforced materials in this classification system.

Note 7—An example of this classification system for a reinforced polyamide material is given as follows. The designation PA0110G30A42270 would indicate the following material requirements:

PA0110 = Polyamide 66, from Table PA,

G30 = Glass reinforced at 30 % nominal,

A = Table A property requirements,

4 = Tensile strength, 140 MPa, min,

2 = Tensile modulus, 4500 MPa, min,

= Charpy impact,  $5.0 \text{ kJ/m}^2$ , min,

7 = Deflection temperature at 1.8 MPa, 200°C, min,

and

0 = Unspecified.

If no properties are specified, the designation would be PA0110G30A00000.

Note 8—When a grade of polyamide is not fully identified by a standard callout, it is possible to specify all table properties by the use of an addition of Classification D 4000 suffixes. Suffix values will override the PA table values. An example of an unreinforced polyamide material is given as follows: PA0212KN023. This example is a general purpose, low

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viscosity PA6 material where K denotes tensile properties, N denotes tensile modulus with ISO 527 as the test method, and 023 denotes a value of 2300 MPa. This value for tensile modulus overrides the normal table value. This example can be applied to replace all table values, that is, tensile stress, notched Charpy impact, and heat deflection temperature.

4.3 To facilitate the specification of special materials where the basic property table does not reflect the properties required, Table B has been incorporated into this classification system. This table will be used in a manner similar to Table A.

Note 9—Pigmented or colored polyamides can differ significantly from the natural polymers in mechanical properties depending on the choice of colorants and concentrations. The main property affected is ductility, as illustrated by a reduction in Charpy impact and elongation values. In a typical white pigmented polyamide, elongation losses of up to  $50\,\%$  and Charpy impact losses of up to  $30\,\%$  are common. If specific

properties of pigmented materials are necessary, Table B may be employed to specify property requirements.

Note 10—An example of a special material using this classification system is as follows: The designation PA0220B54220 would indicate the following material requirements from Table B:

PA0220 = Polyamide 6, heat stabilized, from Table PA,

B = Table B property requirements,

- 5 = Tensile strength, 70 MPa, min,
- 4 = Tensile modulus, 2400 MPa, min,
- 2 = Charpy impact,  $4.0 \text{ kJ/m}^2$ , min,
- 2 = Deflection temperature at 1.8 MPa, 55°C, min,
- 0 = unspecified.

TABLE PA Requirements for Polyamides Dry-as-Molded<sup>A,B</sup>

Group	Description	Class	Description	Grade	Description <sup>C</sup>	Viscosity Number, ISO 307, min, mL/g	Density, <sup>D</sup> ISO 1183 g/cm <sup>3</sup>	Tensile Strength, ISO 527-1 and ISO 527-2, MPa, min	Tensile Modulus, <sup>E</sup> ISO 527-1 and ISO 527-2, MPa, min	Charpy Impact Resistance, ISO 179/ 1eA, kJ/m², min	Deflection Temperature, ISO 75-1 and ISO 75-2, at 1.8 MPa, °C, min
01	PA66	1	General-	1		135	1.13 to 1.15	70	2300	3.3	60
			purpose	2		165	1.13 to 1.15	70	2300	3.3	60
				3		210	1.13 to 1.15	70	2300	3.3	60
				4		270	1.13 to 1.15	70	2300	3.3	60
				5	recycled	115	1.13 to 1.15	70	2300	3.3	60
				6	recycled	135	1.13 to 1.15	70	2300	3.3	60
				G15	15 % glass	allud	1.20 to 1.26	100	4000	3.0	215
				G20	20 % glass		1.25 to 1.33	115	5000	4.0	220
				G25	25 % glass		1.29 to 1.37	140	6000	5.0	225
				G35	35 % glass	lent	1.35 to 1.45	170	8000	7.0	235
				G40	40 % glass		1.42 to 1.52	175	9000	8.0	235
				G45	45 % glass		1.45 to 1.55	180	10 000	9.0	240
				M40	40 % mineral		1.45 to 1.55	80	5000	2.0	100
				0	other AS						
		2	Heat-	1 1		135	1.13 to 1.15	70	2300	3.0	60
			stabilized	1092 ta		165	1.13 to 1.15	I-DC170 U41	2300	a/as(3.0-d6)	60
				3		210	1.13 to 1.15	70	2300	3.0	60
				4		270	1.13 to 1.15	70	2300	3.0	60
				5	recycled	115	1.13 to 1.15	70	2300	3.0	60
				6	recycled	135	1.13 to 1.15	70	2300	3.0	60
				G15	15 % glass		1.20 to 1.26	100	4000	3.0	220
				G25	25 % glass		1.29 to 1.37	140	6000	5.0	225
				G30	30 % glass		1.32 to 1.42	160	7000	6.0	230
				G35	35 % glass		1.35 to 1.45	170	8000	7.0	235
				G40	40 % glass		1.43 to 1.53	175	9000	8.0	235
				G45	45 % glass		1.45 to 1.55	180	10 000	9.0	240
				M40	40 % mineral		1.45 to 1.55	80	5000	2.0	100
				R20	20 % filler		1.23 to 1.31	70	3200	1.5	
				R40	40 % filler		1.43 to 1.53	100	5500	2.5	200
				0	other						
		3	Nucleated	1		135	1.13 to 1.15	80	2500	2.8	60
				2		165	1.13 to 1.15	80	2500	2.8	60
				3		210	1.13 to 1.15	80	2500	2.8	60
				4		270	1.13 to 1.15	80	2500	2.8	60
				5	recycled	115	1.13 to 1.15	80	2500	2.8	60
				6	recycled	135	1.13 to 1.15	80	2500	2.8	60
				0	other						
		4	Nucleated, heat- stabilized	1 2 3 4 5		Requirements	s the same as o	orresponding g	rades under G	Group 01, Class	3
				0	other						
		5	Impact-	1			1.06 to 1.12	52	1700	9.0	50
			modified	2	recycled		1.06 to 1.12	50	1600	8.0	50
				G15	15 % glass		1.15 to 1.23	85	3000	6.0	210
				G35	35 % glass		1.31 to 1.41	110	5500	6.0	225

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				0	other						
		6	Impact-	1			1.08 to 1.12	52	1700	9.0	50
			modified,	2	recycled		1.08 to 1.12	50	1600	8.0	50
			heat-	G15	15 % glass		1.15 to 1.23	85	3000	6.0	210
			stabilized	G35 M40	35 % glass 40 % mineral		1.31 to 1.41 1.45 to 1.55	110 75	5500 4500	6.0 4.0	225
				R35	35 % filler		1.38 to 1.48	80	5500	3.0	200
				0	other		1.00 to 1.10	00	0000	0.0	200
		7	Toughened	1			1.06 to 1.10	42	1500	40	45
				2	recycled		1.05 to 1.11	40	1300	35	45
				G15	15 % glass		1.15 to 1.23	70	2800	9.0	180
				G35	35 % glass		1.28 to 1.38	110	5500	11	220
		8	Tough	0 1	other		1.06 to 1.10	42	1500	40	45
		0	Tough- ened,	2	recycled		1.05 to 1.10	40	1300	35	45 45
			heat-	G15	15 % glass		1.15 to 1.23	70	2800	9.0	180
			stabilized	G35	35 % glass		1.28 to 1.38	110	5500	11	220
				G45	45 % glass		1.39 to 1.49	130	8000	10	230
				M35	35 % mineral		1.37 to 1.47	70	3800	6.0	
		_		0	other				0.400		
		9	Weather- stabil-	1	** a valad	135	1.13 to 1.17 1.13 to 1.17	80	2400	2.5	60
			ized <sup>G</sup>	2	recycled other	115	1.13 10 1.17	65	2200	2.0	60
		0	Other	0	other						
02	PA6	1	General-	1	illeh	100	1.12 to 1.14	75	2400	4.0	50
			purpose	2		135	1.12 to 1.14	70	2200	3.0	50
				3		150	1.12 to 1.15	70	2200	3.0	50
				4	S://Sts	200	1.12 to 1.15	70	2200	3.0	50
				G15	15 % glass		1.20 to 1.28	110	4200	4.0	170
				G25 G30	25 % glass 30 % glass		1.28 to 1.36 1.32 to 1.40	135 150	5000 7000	6.5 7.5	180 180
				G35	35 % glass		1.32 to 1.40	155	7500	8.0	180
				M30	30 % mineral		1.30 to 1.40	70	3200	2.4	50
				M40	40 % mineral		1.44 to 1.52	75	4500	4.0	70
				R40	40 % glass/		1.42 to 1.50	100	6000	3.0	180
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Group	Description	Class	Description	Grade	Description <sup>C</sup>	Viscosity Number, ISO 307, min, mL/g	Density, <sup>D</sup> ISO 1183 g/cm <sup>3</sup>	Tensile Strength, ISO 527-1 and ISO 527-2, MPa, min	Tensile Modulus, <sup>E</sup> ISO 527-1 and ISO 527-2, MPa, min	Charpy Impact Resistance, ISO 179/ 1eA, kJ/m², min	Deflection Temperature, F ISO 75-1 and ISO 75-2, at 1.8 MPa, °C, min
				0	other						
		5	Impact-	1			1.05 to 1.12		1700	30	45
			modified	2			1.05 to 1.18		2000	6.0	45
				3	4= 0/		1.05 to 1.18	40	1000	6.0	35
				G15 G30	15 % glass		1.15 to 1.24	75	3300	9.0	130 180
				G35	30 % glass 35 % glass		1.30 to 1.40 1.32 to 1.42	135 135	6500 6800	15 15	190
				G40 0	40 % glass other		1.39 to 1.47	135	8000	10	200
		6	Impact-	1	othor		1.05 to 1.12	45	1700	30	45
			modified,	2			1.05 to 1.18	55	2000	6.0	45
			heat-	3			1.05 to 1.18	40	1000	6.0	35
			stabilized	4			1.05 to 1.18		1000	30	30
				G15	15 % glass		1.15 to 1.24	75	3300	9.0	130
				G30	30 % glass		1.30 to 1.40	135	6500	15	180
				G35	35 % glass		1.32 to 1.42	135	6800	10	190
				G40 M35	40 % glass		1.39 to 1.47	135	8000 3200	10	200 50
				M40	35 % mineral 40 % mineral		1.35 to 1.45 1.39 to 1.47	65 65	3200	3.0 3.0	50
		7	Flexural-	0	other injection		1.05 to 1.16		2375 max	10	45
		,	modified, heat-	2	molding extrusion		1.05 to 1.16		2000 max	7.0	25
			stabilized	3	blends		1.05 to 1.10	35	1700 max	4.5	35
			olabilizoa	0	other				1700 max	1.0	00
		0	Other	0	other						
$03^H$	PA11	1	General	1		115 to	1.01 to 1.06	35	900	4.0	36
			purpose			140					
				2	5.//50	160 to 190	1.01 to 1.06	35	900	6.0	36
		2	Heat-	0	other	115 to	1.01 to 1.06	16 35	900	4.0	36
			stabilized	2		140 160 to	1.01 to 1.06	35	900	6.0	36
				3	black AS	190 160 to	7 1.01 to 1.06	35	900	4.0	36
				log <sub>4</sub> sta		190 210 to	1.01 to 1.06	4-bcf <sub>35</sub> 04	4fb 200 46	a/ast <sub>6.0</sub> d67	779-05
				0	other	255					
		3	Plasticized	1	other	170 to	1.01 to 1.06	30	370	25	36
		O	i idolloized			200	1.01 to 1.00	00	070	23	00
				0	other						
		4	Plasti- cized,	1		180 to 240	1.01 to 1.06	35	500	25	36
			Heat Sta-	2		170 to	1.01 to 1.06	35	400	25	36
			bilized	3		200 115 to	1.01 to 1.06	30	350	25	36
				4	black	140 175 to	1.01 to 1.06		400	25	36
				5		240 170 to	1.01 to 1.06	30	370	25	36
						190			370	25	36
				6		200 to	1.01 10 1.00				
					black	230	1.01 to 1.06			25	36
				7	black		1.01 to 1.06		340	25	36
		0	Other	7 0	other	230 160 to				25	36
04	PA12	0 1	Other General	7		230 160 to 240 100 to		35		25 2.5	36 35
04	PA12			7 0 0	other	230 160 to 240 100 to 210 100 to	1.01 to 1.06	35 30	340		
04	PA12		General	7 0 0 1	other	230 160 to 240 100 to 210 100 to 210 211 to	1.01 to 1.06	35 30 35	340 800	2.5	35
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		2	Heat- stabilized	1		100 to 150	1.00 to 1.06	35	800	2.5	35
			Stabilized	2		151 to 210	1.00 to 1.06	35	800	2.5	35
				3		211 to 280	1.00 to 1.06	35	1000	2.5	35
				G15	15 % glass		1.10 to 1.20	75	3000	10	160
				G25	25 % glass		1.10 to 1.25	90	3000	15	160
				G30	30 % glass		1.15 to 1.30	95	4000	15	160
				G40	40 % glass		1.30 to 1.45	100	4500	15	160
				R30	30 % filler		1.18 to 1.32	55	3500	5.0	100
				0	other						
		3	Nucleated	1		100 to 180	1.00 to 1.06	35	800	1.0	35
				2		181 to	1.00 to 1.06	35	800	1.0	35
				•		250					
		4	Plasticized	0 1	other	100 to	1.00 to 1.06	30	300 to 550	15	
						280					
				2		100 to 280	1.00 to 1.06	30	450 to 750	10	
		5	Plasti-	0 1	other	100 to	1.00 to 1.06	20	200 to 350	20	
			cized, heat-	2		280 100 to	1.00 to 1.06	30	300 to 550	15	
			stabilized	3		280 100 to	1.00 to 1.06	30	450 to 750	10	
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				0	other	280					
		0	Other	0	other						
05	PA612	1	General	1	G.G. CLAIL	100 to	1.05 to 1.07	50	1800	2.0	45
			purpose			139					
				2		140 to	1.05 to 1.07	50	1800	2.5	45
				3		200	1.05 to 1.07	50	1800	3.0	45
					35 % glass		1.28 to 1.38	-DC140 U4	7000	a/ast <sub>9.0</sub> do	175
				G45	45 % glass		1.38 to 1.48	150	8500	11	180
				0	other						
		2	Heat-	1		140	1.05 to 1.07	50	1800	2.0	45
			stabilized	G20	20 % glass		1.17 to 1.25	105	4500	5.0	170
				G30	30 % glass		1.25 to 1.33	120	5500	5.0	170
				G35 0	35 % glass		1.28 to 1.38	140	7000	9.0	175
		3	Weather-	1	other	140	1.05 to 1.07	50	1800	1.5	45
		O	stabi-	•		140	1.00 to 1.07	30	1000	1.5	40
			lized <sup>G</sup>								
				0	other						
06	PA46	1	General-	1		170	1.16 to 1.20	85	2300	6.0	
			purpose	2		195	1.16 to 1.20	85	2300	6.0	140
				0	other						
		2	Heat-	1		165	1.16 to 1.20	85	2300	6.0	140
			stabilized	2		195	1.16 to 1.20	85	2300	6.0	140
				G15	15 % glass		1.25 to 1.31	125	5000	3.6	240
				G30	30 % glass		1.38 to 1.42	175	8000	7.5	280
				G40	40 % glass		1.48 to 1.53	195	10 000	10.0	280
				G50 R50	50 % glass 50 % filler		1.58 to 1.63 1.60 to 1.67	210 140	12 000 9000	12.0 4.0	280 280
				0	other		1.00 10 1.07	140	3000	4.0	200
		3	Flame-	1			1.32 to 1.36	45	2250	4.0	140
			retar-	G15	15 % glass		1.55 to 1.59	115	6000	4.5	270
			dant <sup>1</sup> ,	G30	30 % glass		1.63 to 1.69	155	10 000	7.5	280
			heat-		-						
			stabilized	G40	40 % glass		1.76 to 1.80	145	11 000	8.0	280
			Stabilized	G45	45 % glass		1.75 to 1.79	165	12 000	8.0	280