

# Overmolding product selection guide

Duragrip and Alcryn thermoplastic elastomers



#### **Product Selection Guide**

The *DuraGrip* and *Alcryn* thermoplastic elastomer (TPE) product families offered by the LYB Advanced Polymers Solutions (APS) business provide targeted properties for overmolding applications.

- Pleasant haptics including resilient, soft, warm feel and satin texture.
- Aesthetically pleasing colorability.
- High friction for a secure grip under wet or dry conditions.
- Resistance to scuffs, scrapes, scratches, denting and household cleaning solutions.
- Alternative grades achieving chemical bonding to a wide variety of rigid substrates.

#### **DuraGrip Products**

The *DuraGrip* line of injection-moldable grades range from 30 to 85 Shore A hardness and are suitable for applications over a broad temperature range (-40°C to +70°C).

Product	Hardness	<b>Tensile Strength</b> Yield (73F / 23C) ASTM D412	<b>Tear Strength</b> (75 F / 24C) ASTM D624	Color	Applications
DuraGrip 60	000 Series				
6030BK	30A	680 psi	108 lbf/in	Black	Chemical bonding to Polypropylene
6030NC	30A	635 psi	81 lbf/in	Natural	and Polyethylene
6040NC	40A	752 psi	87 lbf/in	Natural	
6050NC	50A	859 psi	119 lbf/in	Natural	Grips and handles
6070BK	70A	1210 psi	163 lbf/in	Black	
6070NC	70A	1140 psi	149 lbf/in	Natural	Furniture footpads
6080NC	80A	1200 psi	191 lbf/in	Natural	
6090BK	90A	1940 psi	-	Black	Cell phone cases

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DuraGrip 61	00 Series				
6140NC	40A	-	105 lbf/in	Natural	Chemical bonding to Nylon, ABS,
6150BK	50A	850 psi	146 lbf/in	Black	PC, PC/ABS and PBT
6150NC	50A	1170 psi	145 lbf/in	Natural	
6160BK	60A	960 psi	168 lbf/in	Black	Grips and handles
6160NC	60A	2060 psi	184 lbf/in	Natural	
6170BK	70A	1340 psi	211 lbf/in	Black	Furniture footpads
6170NC	70A	2150 psi	220 lbf/in	Natural	
6185BK	85A	2130 psi	310 lbf/in	Black	Cell phone cases

#### **Alcryn Products**

*Alcryn* offers a unique and highly desirable combination of functional rubber properties and environmental resistance. Based on a partially cross-linked, chlorinated olefin alloy, this longstanding proprietary melt-processible rubber (MPR) is formulated to deliver key characteristics that allow applications to withstand harsh conditions without sacrificing the look, feel and overall performance that is expected of rubber. The *Alcryn* line of injection-moldable grades range from 51 to 88 Shore A hardness and are suitable for applications over a broad temperature range (-87°C to +90°C).

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Alcryn 200	0 Series				
2060CL	60A	-	27%/69%	Translucent	- Chemical bonding to PVC, PC/ABS
2060NC	59A	-85C to 90C	13%/62%	Neutral	
2070NC	68A	-85C to 90C	16%/64%	Neutral	Grips and handles
2080NC	76A	-76C to 90C	17%/61%	Neutral	
2090NC	88A	-	27%/74%	Neutral	Automotive parts
2060BK	59A	-87C to 90C	13%/62%	Black	_
2070BK	68A	-79C to 90C	14%/64%	Black	Industrial applications
2080BK	78A	-86C to 90C	14%/62%	Black	
2090BK	88A	-	27%/74%	Black	Wire & Cable strain relief boots
2095BK	93A	-	-	Black	-

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Alcryn 2100	Series				
2160NC	59A	-66C to 90C	18%/86%	Neutral	
2165TR	66A	-	34%/83%	Translucent	Chemical bonding to PC, ABS, ASA, PC/ABS, PC/PBT
2170NC	70A	-60C to 90C	18%/88%	Neutral	FC/AB3, FC/FBT
2180NC	81A	-58C to 90C	22%/89%	Neutral	
2150BK	51A	-69C to 90C	21%/89%	Black	- Automotive parts; cowl vent grills
2160BK	60A	-68C to 90C	18%/86%	Black	and pillars
2170BK	69A	-59C to 90C	19%/89%	Black	
2180BK	80A	-50C to 90C	22%/88%	Black	

### **Overmolding Peel Strength**

#### ASTM D429 Method B - pli (kN/M)

Rigid Substrate Classification	DuraGrip 6000 Series	DuraGrip 6100 Series	Alcryn 2000 Series	Alcryn 2100 Series
Polyethylene	29 (5.1)	-	<u>-</u>	
Polypropylene	32 (5.6)	-	-	-
PP, 30% Glass Filled	32 (5.6)	-	-	-
PVC	-	-	8 (1.4)	7 (1.2)
ABS	-	16 (2.8)	-	15 (2.6)
PC	-	17 (3.0)	4 (0.7)	9 (1.6)
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PBT	-	20 (3.5)	-	-
PBT	-	24 (4.2)	-	-
PA 6	-	16 (2.8)	-	-
PA 6 / Mineral filled	-	26 (4.6)	-	-
Nylon 6/6	-	19 (3.3)	-	-
Nylon 6/6, 33% Glass	-	20 (3.5)	-	-
Cellulose Acetate Butyrate	-	12 (2.1)	-	-
Copolyester	-	11 (1.9)	-	-

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Good bond = > 12 pli

• Mechanical Interlocks for applications can also be considered to enhance bonding strength.

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