

PCFR

• Basic Info

Bambu PC FR is a high-performance polycarbonate engineered for demanding applications requiring superior flame retardancy, impact resistance, and heat stability. With outstanding durability, Bambu PC FR excels across a wide range of professional applications, including industrial components, protective casings, and high-temperature environments in sectors like automotive, electronics, and manufacturing.

• Specifications

Subjects	Data
Diameter	1.75 mm ± 0.03 mm
Net Filament Weight	1 kg
Spool Material	PC+ABS (Temperature resistance 90 °C)
Spool Size	Diameter: 200 mm; Height: 67 mm

• Recommended Printing Settings

Subjects	Data
Drying Settings before Printing	Blast Drying Oven: 80°C, 8 h X1 Series Printer Heatbed: 90 - 100°C, 12 h
Printing and Storage Humidity	< 20% RH (Sealed with desiccant)
Nozzle Size	0.2, 0.4, 0.6, 0.8 mm
Nozzle Temperature	260 - 280 °C
Build Plate Type	Smooth PEI Plate / Textured PEI Plate
Bed Surface Preparation	Glue
Bed Temperature	90 - 110°C
Cooling Fan	0 - 60%
Printing Speed	< 300 mm/s
Retraction Length	0.8 - 1.4 mm
Retraction Speed	20 - 40 mm/s

Chamber Temperature	45 - 60 °C
Max Overhang Angle	~ 70°
Max Bridging Length	~ 40 mm
Support	Turn on

Properties

Bambu Lab has tested the differing aspects in the performance of PC FR material, including physical, mechanical, and chemical properties. Typical values are listed as followed:

Physical Properties			
Subjects	Testing Methods	Data	
Density	ISO 1183	1.18 g/cm ³	
Melt Index	260 °C, 2.16 kg	26.4 ± 2.7 g/10 min	
Melting Temperature	DSC, 10 °C/min	225 °C	
Glass Transition Temperature	DSC, 10 °C/min	145 °C	
Crystallization Temperature	DSC, 10 °C/min	N/A	
Vicat Softening Temperature	ISO 306, GB/T 1633	114 °C	
Heat Deflection Temperature	ISO 75 1.8 MPa	108 °C	
Heat Deflection Temperature	ISO 75 0.45 MPa	113 °C	
Saturated Water Absorption Rate	25 °C, 55% RH	0.12%	

Mechanical Properties		
Subjects	Testing Methods	Data
Young's Modulus (X-Y)	ISO 527, GB/T 1040	1670 ± 40 MPa
Young's Modulus (Z)	ISO 527, GB/T 1040	1450 ± 60 MPa
Tensile Strength (X-Y)	ISO 527, GB/T 1040	60 ± 4 MPa
Tensile Strength (Z)	ISO 527, GB/T 1040	21 ± 3 MPa
Breaking Elongation Rate (X-Y)	ISO 527, GB/T 1040	2.4 ± 0.3 %
Breaking Elongation Rate (Z)	ISO 527, GB/T 1040	1.5 ± 0.4 %
Bending Modulus (X-Y)	ISO 178, GB/T 9341	1890 ± 70 MPa
Bending Modulus (Z)	ISO 178, GB/T 9341	1660 ± 80 MPa
Bending Strength (X-Y)	ISO 178, GB/T 9341	90 ± 4 MPa
Bending Strength (Z)	ISO 178, GB/T 9341	47 ± 2 MPa
Impact Strength (X-Y)	ISO 179, GB/T 1043	55 ± 2.1 kJ/m²; 8.4 ± 1.3 kJ/m² (Notched Impact Strength)
Impact Strength (Z)	ISO 179, GB/T 1043	$8.0 \pm 0.4 \text{ kJ/m}^2$

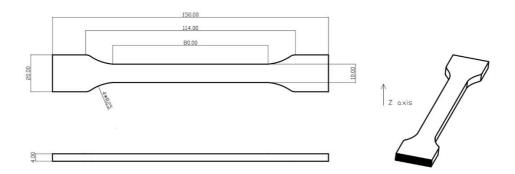
Other Physical and Chemical Properties		
Subjects	Data	
Odor	Odorless	
Composition	Polycarbonate	
Skin Hazards	No hazard	
Chemical Stability	Stable under normal storage and handling conditions	
Solubility	Insoluble in water	
Resistance to Acid	Not resistant	
Resistance to Alkali	Not resistant	
Resistance to Organic Solvent	Not resistant to some organic solvents	
Resistance to Oil and Grease	Resistant to most kinds of oil and grease	
Flammability	Flame retardant	
Combustion Products	Water, carbon oxides	
Odor of Combustion Products	Light phenol-flavored odor	

Specimen Test

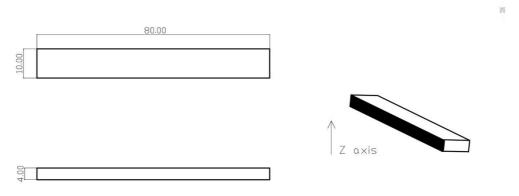
Specimen Printing Conditions		
Subjects	Data	
Nozzle Temperature	270 °C	
Bed Temperature	100 °C	
Printing Speed	100 mm/s	
Infill Density	100%	

^{*}All the specimens were printed at the following settings: Nozzle Temperature = 270 °C, Printing Speed = 100 mm/s, Bed Temperature = 100 °C, Infill Density = 100%. All the specimens were annealed and dried at 80 °C for 12 h before testing. And the suggested annealing temperature of models printed with Bambu PC FR is 85 to 100 °C, and the time is 6 to 12 hours. The annealing effect depends on the annealing temperature, time and the model itself: size, structure, infill and other printing settings; some prints may deform and warp after annealing. When drying the filament and annealing the prints, it's required to use an oven that has big enough inside volume and can provides even temperature distribution, such as a blast drying oven (forced-air drying oven), and the filament and prints need to be away from the heater, and a micro-wave oven or kitchen oven is not compatible, otherwise the filament and prints can get damaged.

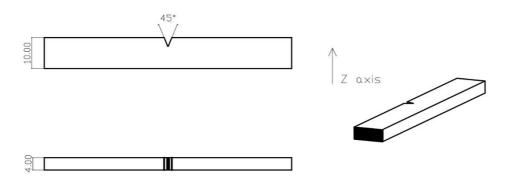
1. Tensile Testing



2. Bending Testing



3. Impact Testing



Disclaimer

The performance values are tested by standard samples at Bambu Lab, and the values are for design reference and comparison only. Actual 3D printing model performance is related to many other factors, including printers, printing conditions, printing models, printing parameters, etc.

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