#### **Injection Molding**

# **PLA**

#### **Key Features**

Stiffness • Transparency • Sustainable source • Biodegradable

#### **Applications**

End-use parts • Packaging • Consumer goods • Healthcare

### **Product Description**

PLA is a biodegradable, high-clarity polylactic acid (PLA) resin known for its excellent transparency, stiffness, and low carbon footprint. This environmentally friendly material is widely used in the packaging industry for biodegradable food containers and films, consumer goods such as disposable cutlery, agriculture for mulch films, and healthcare for disposable medical devices.

## **Properties\***

Tensile strength (yield)	62 MPa
Elongation at break	3.5%
Flexural strength	108 MPa
Flexural modulus	3,600 MPa
Notched Izod Impact	16 J/m
Heat distortion temperature	55°C
Density	1.24 g/cm <sup>3</sup>

<sup>\*</sup>Based on material Ingeo™ 3001D

#### Reference

For more detailed source information, please consult the original document linked <u>here</u>. We encourage users to verify the data's relevance and suitability for their specific needs.



