TECHNICAL SHEET





ACETAL (POM-C)



Equivalence:	ASTM D4181 - 00							
Profiles:	Plate	Rod						
Color:	White	Black						
Mechanical properties	Density, g/cm³		Tensile strenght, MPa (ksi)		Elastic modulus, MPa (ksi)		Impact resistance, kJ/m² (Izod test)	
(approx. at room temperature):	1.38 - 1.43		58 (84.1)		2,000 (290)		4.0	

<sup>The indicated values are minimum estimates, not mandatory, and should only be taken as reference in the general characteristics of acetals according to ASTM D4181 - 00.
Special values must be consulted and agreed upon with the manufacturer.</sup>

CHARACTERISTICS

- It is a rigid material with high tensile strength, good dimensional stability, and resistance to moisture.
- It exhibits good dimensional stability, meaning it does not undergo considerable variations with changes in temperature or humidity. This makes it ideal for applications requiring parts with tight dimensional tolerances, such as automotive components and machinery parts.
- It is moisture-resistant, making it suitable for

- applications where parts may be exposed to water and/or vapors, such as machine components.
- It serves as a good electrical insulator, making it ideal for applications requiring parts that do not conduct electricity, such as connectors and switches.
- Acetal allows for achieving better surface finishes compared to other plastics.

APPLICATIONS

- Due to its mechanical strength and dimensional stability, it is used in gears, bearings, pulleys, connectors, and components of braking systems, water and fuel pumps, mechanical systems of appliances and electronic equipment, as well as interior parts of automobiles. Thanks to its low moisture absorption, it can be part of hydraulic accessories, such as valves, faucets, and pumps.
- **Industrial applications of acetal:**
- **Food and agricultural industry:** Due to its dimensional stability, it is used in pump housings used for liquid transportation and internal components of pumps.





Hydraulic and chemical industry: Components that come into contact with water and require dimensional stability.



Electrical and appliance industry: Electrical connectors requiring electrical insulation dimensional stability.



Equipment and goods industry: Components in motors, such as gears, requiring mechanical strength.

