

### **STORAGE**

XSTRAND™ filaments must be stored in a dry and temperate location. The product should remain in its original packaging, preferably closed, until beginning of use.

#### WARNING

When melted, XSTRAND™ filament can be abrasive due to its glass reinforcement. Printing with XSTRAND™ may reduce brass nozzles and extruder driving wheels' lifetime. For a better experience, using hardened steel nozzles and extruder driving wheels is advised.

Ensure sufficient ventilation in your 3D printing space and avoid inhaling extrusion fumes.

# **CONTACT**

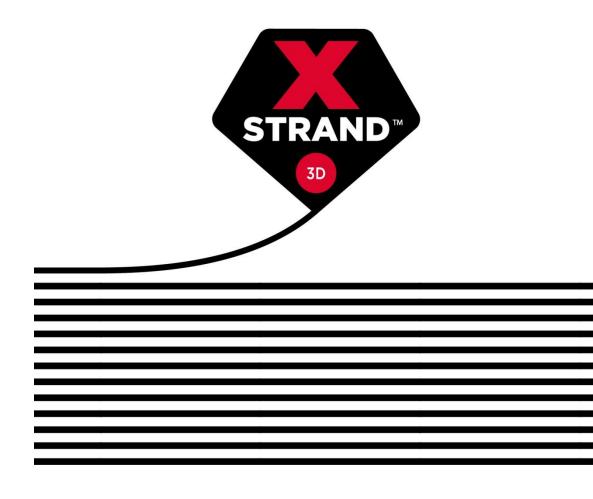
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Material Safety Data Sheet available upon request.

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3D FILAMENT
GLASS FIBER REINFORCED POLYAMIDE 6

GF30-PA6



### **MATERIAL DATASHEET**

Physical Properties	Metric	Imperial	Standard
Density	1,17 g/cm <sup>3</sup>	9,76 lbs/gal	ISO 1183-A
Moisture Absorption	0,58 %	0,58 %	ISO 62 23 °C / 50% RH
Water Absorption	9,62 %	9,62 %	ISO 62 23 °C / Sat

Mechanical Properties	Metric	Imperial	Standard
Tensile Modulus	7 400 MPa	1,074 ksi	ISO 527 1 mm/min (0.04 inch/min)
Tensile Strength (Yield)	102 MPa	14,800 psi	ISO 527 1 mm/min (0.04 inch/min)
Tensile Strength (Break)	102 MPa	14,800 psi	ISO 527 1 mm/min (0.04 inch/min)
Elongation (Break)	2.1%	2.1 %	ISO 527 1 mm/min (0.04 inch/min)
Flexural Modulus	6 100 MPa	880 ksi	ISO 178 2 mm/min (0.08 inch/min)
Flexural Strength (Yield)	170 MPa	24,600 psi	ISO 178 2 mm/min (0.08 inch/min)
Flexural Strength (Break)	166 MPa	24,100 psi	ISO 178 2 mm/min (0.08 inch/min)

Thermal Properties	Metric	Imperial	Standard
Heat Deflection Temperature	124 °C	255 °F	ISO 75 Method A (1.8 MPa)
Melting Temperature	206 °C	403 °F	ISO 11357

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Printer Settings	Nozzle	Bed	Recommended Bed Type
Temperature	220 °C - 280 °C	80 °C - 110 °C	<ol> <li>Perforated bed</li> <li>PEI flat plate</li> <li>PI (Kapton) adhesive</li> </ol>
Printing speed	30-100 mm/s	-	
Nozzle diameter	> 0.4 mm	-	

### **PACKAGING**

Thermal Properties	Metric	Imperial	Standard
Filament diameter	1,75 mm / 2,85 mm	0,069 inch / 0,112 inch	+/- 0,05 mm
Material weight	500 g / 2200 g	1.1 lbs / 4.85 lbs	Net weight
Spool (500g / 1.1lbs)	200 / 52 / 55 mm	7.9 / 2.0 / 2.2 inch	Øext / Øint / width
Spool (2200g / 4.85 lbs)	300 / 52 / 102 mm	11.8 / 2.0 / 4.0 inch	Øext / Øint / width

# **DESCRIPTION**

Developed by Owens Corning, a world leader in composite solutions, XSTRAND™ GF30-PA6 filament for 3D printing is a reinforced material designed to be compatible with any standard Fused Filament Fabrication 3D printer (1.75 and 2.85 mm diameters available).

#### **BENEFITS**

- Very high stiffness and strength (up to +250% compare to ABS)
- Large operational temperature range (-20°C to 120°C)
- Good chemical and UV resistance
- High wear resistance
- Excellent layer adhesion
- Reduced warping effect compared to neat PA6

## POTENTIAL APPLICATIONS

XSTRAND™ GF30-PA6 is designed for functional prototyping and demanding applications such as industrial tooling, transportation, electronics, small appliances, sports & leisure...