

Ravaplen®

Polypropylene
Near Prime Compound

Injection Moulding - Processing guideline

RAVAGO RAVAPLEN® PP Near Prime Compound materials can be processed using a wide range of processing parameters, see summary of processing conditions below:

Safety

Information on the safety aspects of all RAVAGO RAVAPLEN® PP Near Prime Compound grades is provided in the relevant Material Safety Data Sheets.

RAVAGO RAVAPLEN® PP Near Prime Compound grades is not classified as dangerous preparation.

Pre-drying

Material is delivered in silos, octabins or bags.

When stored in a cold place, allow material to slowly reach room temperature before opening the package.

Although not always necessary, pre-drying (2 to 4 hours at 80 to 100°C) is recommended, e.g.:

- when condensation is visible or can be expected
- for aesthetical parts
- for mineral filled RAVAGO RAVAPLEN® grades

Equipment

RAVAGO RAVAPLEN® PP Near Prime Compound grades can be processed on all modern injection molding machines with screw plasticizing. Both core progressive and three-zone screws can be used. L/D ratios of >20 and compression ratios of 1:2.0 to 1:2.8 are recommended.

Processing parameters

RAVAPLEN	Unfilled	Mineral filled	Glass filled
Pre-drying	(80-100°C/2-4 h)	80-100°C/2-4 h	(80-100°C/2-4 h)
Cylinder temperatures	210-260°C	220-260°C	230-270°C
Mould temperatures	30-60°C	30-50°C	30-70°C
Holding pressure	40-70% of injection pressure		

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