

# MATERIALS FOR 3D PRINTING BLUEDP



## BlueDP

### Blue X-Ray and metal detectable nylon

BlueDP is a type of plastic designed to replace parts that would otherwise be CNC milled or injection molded. The material was developed by the Danish Technological Institute. 3S surface-treated BlueDP is approved as food contact material (FCM) and can be detected by metal detectors and X-ray scanners in a production line, as it contains metal.

We print with Selective Laser Sintering (SLS). The technology prints in powder and uses a laser to sinter the powder layers together. 3D printing with SLS offers a great deal of design freedom, as the parts do not need support material.

The technology can produce parts that comply with ISO 2768-m 1; however, the tolerances depend significantly on the geometry of the part. At the Danish Technological Institute, our 3D printing production is also ISO 9001 certified.

MATERIAL PROPERTIES		
TENSILE STRENGTH [Rm]	48 MPa	
YIELD STRENGTH [Rp0,2]	43 MPa	
ELONGATION AT BREAK [A]	15 %	
VICKERS HARDNESS [Shore D]	80	
PART DENSITY	>96,0 %	
MATERIAL MASS DENSITY	0,95 g/cm³	

SURFACE TEXTURE	Raw	35 surface sealing
Average roughness [Ra]	10 ±3	1,2

#### Technology:

Select Laser Sintering

#### **Printer:**

• EOS - P396

#### Build volume:

• 340 x 340 x 600 mm

#### Application:

Industrial use

#### Possible post-processing:

- Deburring
- Media blasting
- Colouring
- Lacquering
- 3S surface sealing

#### Customization:

Contact us if you have specific requests for surface roughness and material properties.

#### Design features:

- Minimum feature size 0,8 mm
- Minimum channel size Ø1,5 mm
- Minimum wall thickness 0,7 mm
- Support not necessary
- Hole for emptying powder Ø5 mm

#### Examples of use

- + Hygienic nozzles and manifolds for food applications
- Lightweight grippers for robotic handling
- Machine components



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