

# ECOSTEL

## 3D Printing Materials

### Plastics

Material	Processes	Properties	Metric	Use Case
ABS	FDM / CNC / Injection Molding / Vacuum Casting	Durable, impact resistant	33 MPa tensile strength	Consumer housings, prototypes
ASA	FDM / Injection Molding / CNC	UV and weather resistant	27 MPa tensile strength	Exterior automotive parts
PLA	FDM / Thermoforming	Rigid, easy-print polymer	28.1 MPa tensile strength	Concept models
PETG	FDM / CNC / Thermoforming / Injection Molding	Chemical resistant	45.8 MPa tensile strength	Mechanical enclosures
Polycarbonate (PC)	FDM / CNC / Injection Molding / Thermoforming	High impact resistance	60 MPa tensile strength	Structural transparent components
PC+ABS	FDM / Injection Molding	Toughness-flexibility balance	36 MPa tensile strength	Electronics enclosures
Nylon 6	CNC / SLS / Injection Molding	Wear resistant	67.6 MPa tensile strength	Gears, bearings
Nylon 11	MJF / SLS / Injection Molding	Flexible and durable	52 MPa tensile strength	Snap-fit assemblies
Nylon 12	CNC / FDM / MJF / SLS / Injection Molding	Dimensionally stable	69.3 MPa tensile strength	Production-grade parts
Nylon 12 Glass Filled	SLS / Injection Molding	High stiffness	36 MPa tensile strength	Industrial structures
TPU	FDM / Injection Molding / Compression Molding	Flexible elastomer	Flexible hardness	Shock absorption

<b>Ultem 1010</b>	<b>FDM / CNC</b>	<b>High thermal resistance</b>	<b>77 MPa tensile strength</b>	<b>Aerospace tooling</b>
<b>Ultem 9085</b>	<b>FDM / CNC / Injection Molding</b>	<b>Flame resistant</b>	<b>81 MPa tensile strength</b>	<b>Aircraft interiors</b>
<b>PEEK</b>	<b>CNC / Injection Molding / FDM</b>	<b>Extreme thermal stability</b>	<b>Aerospace-grade polymer</b>	<b>Aerospace and medical implants</b>
<b>PEKK</b>	<b>CNC / FDM / Compression Molding</b>	<b>High mechanical strength</b>	<b>High-performance polymer</b>	<b>Defense structures</b>
<b>Carbon Fiber Reinforced Polymer</b>	<b>CNC / Compression Molding / Autoclave Layup</b>	<b>Lightweight + rigid</b>	<b>Composite material</b>	<b>Aerospace structures</b>
<b>Onyx (PA6 + Carbon Fiber)</b>	<b>FDM / CNC Finishing</b>	<b>Carbon-fiber reinforced</b>	<b>Composite nylon</b>	<b>Robotics fixtures</b>
<b>Flexible Resin</b>	<b>SLA / DLP / Vacuum Casting</b>	<b>Soft photopolymer</b>	<b>Flexible resin system</b>	<b>Flexible prototypes</b>
<b>Tough Resin</b>	<b>SLA / Vacuum Casting</b>	<b>Impact resistant</b>	<b>Engineering resin</b>	<b>Functional prototypes</b>
<b>High Temp Resin</b>	<b>SLA / Vacuum Casting</b>	<b>Heat resistant</b>	<b>Thermal-grade resin</b>	<b>Mold tooling</b>
<b>VeroClear</b>	<b>PolyJet</b>	<b>Transparent rigid resin</b>	<b>Optical clarity</b>	<b>Fluid visualization</b>
<b>Accura 60</b>	<b>SLA / Vacuum Casting</b>	<b>High stiffness resin</b>	<b>58 MPa tensile strength</b>	<b>Engineering models</b>
<b>Somos Perform</b>	<b>SLA</b>	<b>Ceramic-like thermal resistance</b>	<b>68 MPa tensile strength</b>	<b>Thermal testing</b>
<b>Biomed Clear</b>	<b>SLA / Injection Molding</b>	<b>Biocompatible transparent resin</b>	<b>Medical-grade polymer</b>	<b>Surgical visualization</b>

## Metals

### Stainless Steel

<b>Material</b>	<b>Processes</b>	<b>Core Properties</b>	<b>Metric</b>	<b>Primary Use Case</b>
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<b>316L</b>	<b>CNC / DMLS / SLM / Welding</b>	<b>Marine and chemical corrosion resistance</b>	<b>485 MPa tensile strength</b>	<b>Medical and marine applications</b>
<b>17-4 PH</b>	<b>CNC / DMLS / Heat Treatment</b>	<b>High strength and hardness</b>	<b>1310 MPa tensile strength</b>	<b>Aerospace tooling</b>
<b>Tool Steel H13</b>	<b>CNC / DMLS / EDM / Heat Treatment</b>	<b>Thermal fatigue resistant</b>	<b>1990 MPa tensile strength</b>	<b>Injection molds and die tooling</b>
<b>Titanium Ti6Al4V</b>	<b>CNC / DMLS / EBM / Forging</b>	<b>High strength-to-weight ratio</b>	<b>950 MPa tensile strength</b>	<b>Aerospace structures</b>
<b>Inconel 718</b>	<b>CNC / DMLS / SLM / Welding</b>	<b>Extreme thermal resistance</b>	<b>1240 MPa tensile strength</b>	<b>Turbines and jet engines</b>

## Copper

<b>Material Category</b>	<b>Compatible Manufacturing Processes</b>	<b>Core Properties</b>	<b>Metric</b>	<b>Material Family</b>	<b>Primary Industrial Use</b>
<b>EOS Cu</b>	<b>CNC / DMLS / SLM</b>	<b>High-purity copper with strong electrical and thermal conductivity</b>	<b>190 MPa tensile strength</b>	<b>Pure Copper</b>	<b>Heat exchangers, electronics</b>
<b>EOS CuCP</b>	<b>CNC / DMLS / SLM</b>	<b>Commercially pure copper (&gt;99.95%) with excellent conductivity</b>	<b>235 MPa tensile strength</b>	<b>Pure Copper</b>	<b>Electrical motors, inductors</b>
<b>CuCrZr (Copper Chromium Zirconium)</b>	<b>CNC / DMLS / SLM / VELO3D</b>	<b>High conductivity with improved mechanical strength and thermal stability</b>	<b>450 MPa tensile strength</b>	<b>High-Strength Copper Alloy</b>	<b>Rocket engines, cooling systems, aerospace</b>
<b>GRCop-42</b>	<b>DMLS / VELO3D</b>	<b>High-strength copper alloy with oxidation resistance at</b>	<b>High-temperature copper alloy</b>	<b>Aerospace Copper Alloy</b>	<b>Rocket engine combustion chambers</b>

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## Aluminium

Material Category	Compatible Manufacturing Processes	Core Properties	Metric	Primary Product Applications
Alloy AlSi10Mg	3D Printing – SLM	Lightweight, thermally conductive	460 MPa tensile strength	Aerospace and lightweight structures
Aluminum 5058	3D Printing – SLM	Corrosion resistant aluminum alloy	290 MPa tensile strength	Marine and structural applications
Aluminum 6061	3D Printing – SLM / CNC Machining / Casting / Laser Cut / Metal Extrusion / Metal Injection Molding / Sheet Metal / Stamping / Welding	Lightweight, machinable, structural	310 MPa tensile strength	Aerospace brackets, enclosures
Aluminum A205	3D Printing – SLM	High-strength aerospace aluminum	510 MPa tensile strength	Aerospace and defense systems
Aluminum F357	3D Printing – VELO3D	High fatigue resistance	450 MPa tensile strength	Lightweight aerospace components
Alloy 718	3D Printing – VELO3D / CNC Machining / Welding	Extreme heat and corrosion resistance	1240 MPa tensile strength	Turbines and aerospace systems
Alloy IN625	3D Printing – SLM	Corrosion and oxidation resistant	930 MPa tensile strength	Aerospace and energy systems
Alloy IN718	3D Printing – SLM	High thermal fatigue resistance	1240 MPa tensile strength	Jet engine and turbine systems

<b>Alumina</b>	<b>3D Printing – NPJ / CNC Machining / Die Casting / Metal Injection Molding / Sheet Metal / Welding</b>	<b>High hardness ceramic material</b>	<b>300 MPa flexural strength</b>	<b>Industrial wear-resistant components</b>
<b>Biomed Clear</b>	<b>3D Printing – SLA / Tubing</b>	<b>Transparent biocompatible resin</b>	<b>Medical-grade photopolymer</b>	<b>Medical and surgical products</b>
<b>Carbon Fiber</b>	<b>3D Printing – FDM / Tubing</b>	<b>Lightweight high-stiffness composite</b>	<b>600–800 MPa tensile strength</b>	<b>Robotics and drone frames</b>
<b>Cobalt 509</b>	<b>3D Printing – SLM</b>	<b>Heat and wear resistant alloy</b>	<b>1000 MPa tensile strength</b>	<b>Aerospace and turbine components</b>
<b>Cobalt CoCrMo</b>	<b>3D Printing – SLM</b>	<b>Biocompatible cobalt-chrome alloy</b>	<b>655 MPa yield strength</b>	<b>Orthopedic and dental implants</b>
<b>EMS007</b>	<b>3D Printing – FDM / FDM Desktop Metal / FDM Markforged</b>	<b>Industrial composite engineering material</b>	<b>High structural rigidity</b>	<b>Functional industrial tooling</b>
<b>Fiberglass</b>	<b>3D Printing – FDM Markforged / Die Cutting / Hot Compression Molding / Out of Autoclave Prepreg / Prepreg Autoclave / Wet Compression / Wet Layup</b>	<b>Lightweight reinforced composite</b>	<b>345 MPa tensile strength</b>	<b>Automotive and aerospace composite systems</b>
<b>Hastelloy X</b>	<b>3D Printing – VELO3D</b>	<b>High-temperature nickel superalloy</b>	<b>760 MPa tensile strength</b>	<b>Aerospace combustion systems</b>
<b>Inocel</b>	<b>3D Printing – VELO3D</b>	<b>Heat-resistant nickel alloy</b>	<b>1100 MPa tensile strength</b>	<b>Aerospace engine structures</b>
<b>Metal Plated Polymers</b>	<b>3D Printing – MJF / SLS / CNC Machining</b>	<b>Metallic coated engineering polymer</b>	<b>Hybrid structural finish</b>	<b>Consumer and industrial housings</b>
<b>Nickel 625</b>	<b>3D Printing –</b>	<b>Corrosion-</b>	<b>930 MPa tensile</b>	<b>Turbines and</b>

	<b>SLM</b>	<b>resistant nickel alloy</b>	<b>strength</b>	<b>marine systems</b>
<b>Niobium</b>	<b>3D Printing – SLM</b>	<b>Heat-resistant refractory metal</b>	<b>275 MPa tensile strength</b>	<b>Aerospace and superconducting systems</b>
<b>Onyx Nylon &amp; Carbon</b>	<b>3D Printing – FDM Markforged</b>	<b>Carbon-fiber reinforced nylon</b>	<b>High stiffness composite</b>	<b>Industrial fixtures and robotics</b>
<b>Rizium Full Color</b>	<b>3D Printing – FDM / Tubing</b>	<b>Full-color engineering polymer</b>	<b>Biocompatible thermoplastic</b>	<b>Medical visualization products</b>
<b>Rizium White</b>	<b>3D Printing – FDM / Tubing</b>	<b>Biocompatible engineering polymer</b>	<b>Medical-grade thermoplastic</b>	<b>Healthcare and surgical models</b>
<b>Somos 9000</b>	<b>3D Printing – SLA</b>	<b>Durable engineering resin</b>	<b>52 MPa tensile strength</b>	<b>Functional SLA prototypes</b>
<b>Top31B</b>	<b>3D Printing – SLA</b>	<b>Industrial photopolymer resin</b>	<b>High-detail resin system</b>	<b>Precision prototypes</b>
<b>Tungsten</b>	<b>3D Printing – SLM / CNC Machining</b>	<b>Extremely dense refractory metal</b>	<b>980 MPa tensile strength</b>	<b>Radiation shielding and tooling</b>
<b>Tungsten Carbide</b>	<b>3D Printing – SLM / CNC Machining / Hot Compression Molding / Metal Injection Molding / Wire EDM</b>	<b>Ultra-hard wear-resistant material</b>	<b>2200 HV hardness</b>	<b>Industrial cutting tools</b>
<b>Zirconia</b>	<b>3D Printing – NPJ</b>	<b>High-strength engineering ceramic</b>	<b>1200 MPa flexural strength</b>	<b>Dental and medical systems</b>