

Public printing recommendation

3D Fuel PCTG Toolbox

Red PCTG Pro GF Red



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Guidance boundary: values below are shared base-material guidance resolved only through the canonical BaseMaterialId link. They are not manufacturer-, spool- or printer-specific validated settings. Missing fields remain Not recorded.

Overall 42/100	Engineering axes 6/5	Public rank 182 / 234	MSRP USD/kg 59.95
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Engineering profile



Recommended applications

- Repeatable print jobs and production-style batches
- Cosmetic parts, concept models or low-load prototypes
- Avoid high tensile load applications
- Avoid high impact components

Measured strengths

- Consistency: 78/100. Repeatability is one of the stronger signals in this material profile.
- Impact: 31/100. Impact behavior is competitive against the material-family context.

Limitations

- Tensile: 25/100. Avoid using this as the primary choice for tensile-loaded parts.
- Impact: 31/100. Avoid high impact or shock-loaded components without additional validation.
- Layer adhesion: 15/100. Z-axis performance should be treated with caution.

Engineering trade-offs

- Good repeatability does not compensate for low tensile capability in load-bearing designs.
- The report should be read as a suitability warning rather than a general-purpose recommendation.

Base-material printing guidance

Guidance	Minimum	Recommended	Maximum	Unit
Nozzle temperature	250	260	260	°C
Bed temperature	80	80	80	°C
Print speed	55	110	110	mm/s
Cooling	10	40	40	%
Guidance	Value		Unit	
Cooling guidance	Low			
Drying temperature	65		°C	
Drying time	3		hours	
Enclosure	Not required			
Printer / G-code reference	PrusaCoreOneL			
Slicer profile reference	3D Fuel PCTG			

Print workflow checks

- Confirm nozzle temperature, bed temperature, speed, cooling and drying requirements from the manufacturer profile or spool label.
- Print a small validation part before committing to a long, costly or safety-relevant print.
- Orient the part so the governing load does not rely on an unverified or weak engineering axis.
- Reinforced filament: confirm an abrasion-resistant nozzle and manufacturer drying/storage requirements.

- Engineering/high-temperature family: confirm enclosure, ventilation, warping control and material-specific drying requirements.
- Layer-adhesion evidence is weak; avoid critical Z-axis loading without additional validation.

Decision guidance

- Use this material mainly for low-load, visual or experimental parts.
- Review the listed alternatives if the application needs stronger overall performance.
- Do not choose it as a tensile-strength benchmark material.
- Avoid selecting it for impact-focused testing or shock-loaded designs.

Stronger same-family alternatives

MaterialID	Material	Manufacturer	Overall	Tensile	Impact
MAT0039	3D Fuel PCTG PCTG Pro CF Black	3D Fuel	48/100	27/100	26/100

Confirm exact settings against the manufacturer profile, spool label and actual printer/material combination. Results do not replace application-specific validation.

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