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ThermoBioComp3D-Bio-based composite with high performances for 3D printing and molding

ThermoBioComp3D- Composite biosourcé à hautes performances pour l'impression 3D et moulage



Context

Bio-based composites

Today, the substitution of oilbased materials represents a major environmental and industrial challenge.

3D printing

- is a revolutionary and green manufacturing technology:
- low material loss;
- easy cost-effective product customization;
- one machine → infinity of objects.
- → BUT need to develop more bio-based materials especially composites.

3D-Papel project (2018-2021)



The project 3D-Papel allowed the development of a 100% bio-based composite for 3D printing. The biocomposite presented high thermomechanical properties which triggered the interest of many industrials.

Funded and accompanied by:



Objectives

General objective

- Industrialize the process and transfer the patented
 - technology to industrials.

3D Printing in situ

- Curing the composite while printing
- Printing more complex objects
- Industrialize the printing process

Injection/Compression molding

Manufacture pellets out of the pasty composite

precursor

- Manufacture of technical pieces without porosity
- Increase the manufacturing cadence

Exhaustive composite characterization

- High thermomechanical properties
- Mechanical properties as high as PEEK
- Good fire resistance



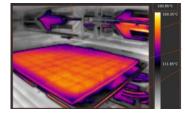
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Methods

3D Printing In situ

 Use of codeveloped 3D-Printer with LDM printing head and heated chamber for an *in situ* curing while printing.







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