ALCUDIA® Low density polyethylene



Chemicals

LDPE ALCUDIA® PE033

ALCUDIA® PE033 is a low density polyethylene grade, produced by high pressure autoclave technology, suitable for blown or cast film applications. This material offers easy processability and good balance of mechanical and optical properties. It contains antioxidant additive.

TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

- General packaging film.
- Shrink film with high mechanical resistance.
- Heavy duty sacks.

Recommended melt temperature range from 190-220°C. Processing conditions should be optimised for each production line.

PROPERTIES	VALUE	UNIT	TEST METHOD
General Melt Flow Rate (190°C, 2.16kg) Density at 23°C	0.3 921	g/10 min kg/m³	ISO 1133 ISO 1183
Film (1)			
Dart drop (F ₅₀) Tear resistance (Elmendorf) (MD/TD) Tensile stress at break (MD/TD) Tensile stress at yield (MD/TD) Elongation at break (MD/TD) Coefficient of friction (Dynamic) Gloss (45°) Haze	900 750 / 1100 20 / 19 10 / 10 650 / 730 >0.4 55 16	g cN MPa MPa % - -	ISO 7765-1 ISO 6383-2 ISO 527-3 ISO 527-3 ISO 527-3 ISO 8295 ASTM D-2457 ASTM D-1003
Other Vicat softening temperature (load 10 N)	93	°C	ISO 306

^{(1) 200} µm thickness film, blow up ratio 2.25:1, frost line height 60 cm.

ALCUDIA® PE033 complies with the European Directives regarding materials intended for contact with foodstuffs. For further information, please contact our Technical Service and Development Laboratory or our Customer Care Service.

STORAGE

ALCUDIA® PE033 should be stored in a dry atmosphere, on a paved, drained and not flooded area, at temperatures under 60°C and protected from UV radiation. Storage under inappropriate conditions could initiate degradation processes which may have a negative influence on the processability and the properties of the transformed product.

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