

Description

Lumicene® mPE M 2310 EP is a second generation metallocene based Linear Low Density Polyethylene with hexene as comonomer.

Lumicene® mPE M 2310 EP can be processed at high output rates with low extrusion pressure, excellent bubble stability and gauge control and in comparison with conventional LLDPE and first generation metallocene based polyethylene.

Lumicene® mPE M 2310 EP is especially dedicated to film applications where superior optical properties in combination with excellent impact resistance (even at low temperature) and sealing strength are required, particularly in blend and coextrusion with LLDPE or LDPE.

Lumicene® mPE M 2310 EP is suited for many applications in the field of consumer, industrial, food or hygiene packaging such as bags, deep freeze, collation shrink and lamination.

Characteristics

Property	Method	Unit	Typical value
Density	ISO 1183	g/cm ³	0.923
Melt Flow Rate (190°C/2.16 kg)	ISO 1133	g/10 min	0.9
Melting temperature	ISO 11357	°C	116
Vicat temperature	ISO 306	°C	114

Values indicated are typical for this product. Density and MFR are properties routinely measured during "the standard quality control procedure". The other figures are generated by tests not included in the "standard quality control procedure", and are given for information only. Data are not intended for specification purposes.

Processing

Lumicene® mPE M 2310 EP is typically extruded at a melt temperature around 200°C.

Lumicene® mPE M 2310 EP can be blown easily at any of the following conditions:
Temperature: 180 to 230°C

- BUR : 1.5:1 to 4.5:1
- Die gap : 0.8 to 2.8 mm

An excellent blending ability of mPE M 2310 EP with LDPE and LLDPE was observed.

Additives

Antioxidant : yes

PPA : yes

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Blown film properties

These values have been measured on a 40 µm blown film.

Property	Method	Unit	Typical value (*)
Tensile Strength at Yield MD/TD (**)	ISO 527-3	MPa	12/12
Tensile Strength at Break MD/TD (**)	ISO 527-3	MPa	59/58
Elongation at Break MD/TD (**)	ISO 527-3	%	650/740
Elmendorf MD/TD (**)	ISO 6383-2	N/mm	80/165
Dart test	ISO 7765-1	g	310
Haze	ISO 14782	%	5.5
Gloss 45°	ASTM D2457		73

(*) Figures stated hereabove are obtained using laboratory test specimens produced with the following extrusion conditions: 45 mm screw diameter, L/D = 30, die diameter = 120 mm, die gap = 1.4 mm, BUR = 2.5:1, temperature = 210°C.

(**) MD : Machine Direction, TD : Transverse Direction

Handling and storage

Please refer to the safety data sheet (SDS) for handling and storage information. It is advisable to convert the product within one year after delivery provided storage conditions are used as given in the SDS of our product. SDS may be obtained from the website: www.totalrefiningchemicals.com

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