

Westlake EF923 Low Density Polyethylene

Category : Polymer , Thermoplastic , Polyethylene (PE) , LDPE

Material Notes:

Westlake Polyethylene EF923 is a low density formulation suggested for film applications that require a good balance of properties such as converter film for industrial packaging and general purpose packaging. It is also suggested for heat-sealing treated-to-treated film surfaces and where good clarity is important. Application/Uses Bread bags Food packaging Food contact applications Produce bags Industrial packaging FDA: This material complies with FDA regulations in 21 CFR, section 177.1520. Kosher Compliant. All information provided by Westlake Chemical

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http://www.lookpolymers.com/polymer_Westlake-EF923-Low-Density-Polyethylene.php

Physical Properties	Metric	English	Comments
Density	0.921 g/cc	0.0333 lb/in ³	ASTM D1505
Thickness	38.1 microns	1.50 mil	
Melt Flow	2.5 g/10 min @Load 2.16 kg, Temperature 190 °C	2.5 g/10 min @Load 4.76 lb, Temperature 374 °F	ASTM D1238

Mechanical Properties	Metric	English	Comments
Film Elongation at Break, MD	250 %	250 %	ASTM D882
Film Elongation at Break, TD	750 %	750 %	ASTM D882
Dart Drop Test	100 g	0.221 lb	ASTM D1709
Film Tensile Strength at Break, MD	26.2 MPa	3800 psi	ASTM D882
Film Tensile Strength at Break, TD	18.6 MPa	2700 psi	ASTM D882
1% Secant Modulus, MD	186 MPa	27000 psi	ASTM D882
1% Secant Modulus, TD	221 MPa	32000 psi	ASTM D882

Optical Properties	Metric	English	Comments
Haze	6.0 %	6.0 %	ASTM D1003
Gloss	70 %	70 %	at 45°; ASTM D2457

Processing Properties	Metric	English	Comments
Melt Temperature	182 - 193 °C	360 - 380 °F	with BUR of 2.4:1 or higher
Blow-up Ratio (BUR)			

Processing Properties	^{2.4} Metric	^{2.4} English	Comments
Descriptive Properties	Value	Comments	
Process	Film		
Region	US & Canada	Bamberger Polymers Distribution	

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