

Product Data Sheet

Polyethylene

FT7236

Preliminary
LDPE for Film

DESCRIPTION

FT7236 is a Low Density Polyethylene for Film extrusion produced by high pressure Tubular Technology. This product is developed for the production of packaging film with excellent optical properties.

FT7236 contains Slip, Antiblock & Antioxidant additives.

Slip (Erucamide) 900 ppm*
Antiblock (Silica) 1300 ppm*

*Typical values

APPLICATIONS

High Gloss & Clarity Films

Food Packaging

General Purpose Pouches

Laundry Bags

SPECIAL FEATURES

Excellent Processability

Easy Sealing

Mono layer & Co-extrusion Films

Excellent Optical Properties

Low COF

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Property	Typical Value**	Unit	Test Method
Density	923	Kg/m ³	ASTM D 792
Melt Flow Rate MFR (190 °C/2.16 kg)	4.0	g/10min	ASTM D1238
Melting Temperature	109	°C	ISO 11357/03
Vicat softening temperature A50 (10N)	91	°C	ISO 306

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FILM PROPERTIES

Property		Typical Value	Unit	Test Method
Tensile Strength at Break	MD/TD	20/18	MPa	ISO 527-3
Elongation at Break	MD/TD	300/600	%	ISO 527-3
Tensile Modulus	MD/TD	180/190	MPa	ASTM D 882
Coefficient of Friction		0.15	-	ASTM D 1894
Gloss at 60 degree (of arc)		110		ASTM D 2457
Haze		6	%	ASTM D 1003
Dart Drop		80	g	ASTM D 1709/A
Tear Strength	MD/TD	2/2	N	ASTM D 1922

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**The film properties are dependent on extrusion conditions

Blown Film properties: 40µm, BUR=3:1, Die gap 1.2mm

PROCESSING GUIDELINES

FT7236 can be processed easily on most types of blown film equipment such as LDPE, LLDPE or HDPE extruders.

Recommended processing conditions:

Melt temperature	150 –170°C
Die gap	> 1.0 mm
FLH:	> 2 DD
BUR:	> 2:1

STORAGE

The product should be stored in dry conditions at temperatures below 50°C and protected from UV-light. Improper storage can initiate degradation, which results in odour generation and colour changes and can have negative effects on the physical properties of this product.

More information on storage can be found in Safety Information Sheet for this product.

SAFETY

The product is not classified as a hazardous mixture.

Dust and fines from the product carry a risk of dust explosion. All equipment should be properly earthed. Inhalation of dust should be avoided as it may cause irritation of the respiratory system. Small amounts of fumes are generated during processing of the product. Proper ventilation is therefore required.

A Safety Information Sheet is available on request. Please contact your Borouge representative for more details on various aspects of safety, recovery and disposal of the product.

RECYCLING

The product is suitable for recycling using modern methods of shredding and cleaning. In-house production waste should be kept clean to facilitate direct recycling.

RELATED DOCUMENTS

Most datasheets and statements are available on Borouge website www.borouge.com. If more information is required, please contact a Borouge representative for information.

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