# Application/Uses

- Flexible medical
- Medical

## **Product Description**

WESTLAKE low-density polyethylene EC812 is a natural low-density material with a 200 melt index. Its high melt index exhibits excellent wettability. This makes it ideal as a backing to carpet to bind the fibers to the carpet.

Typical Physical Properties		
<u>Property</u> <sup>a</sup>	Test <sup>b</sup> Method	<u>Typical Value, Units<sup>c</sup></u>
Melt Index (Condition 190°C/2.16 kg)  Density  Tensile Stress @ Break 500 mm/min (20 in./min)  Elongation @ Break 500 mm/min (20 in./min)  Flexural Modulus (2% Secant) 12.7 mm/min (0.5 in./min)	D 1238 D 4883 D 638 Type IV D 638 Type IV D 790	200.0 g/10 min 909 kg/m <sup>3</sup> (0.909 g/cm <sup>3</sup> ) 6.2 MPa (900 psi) 100% 103 MPa (15,000 psi)

- <sup>a</sup> Unless noted otherwise, all tests are run at 23°C (73°F) and 50% relative humidity.
- <sup>b</sup> Unless noted otherwise, the test method is ASTM.
- <sup>c</sup> Units are in SI or US customary units.

#### NOTES

Where required, test specimens are compression molded according to ASTM D1928.

#### FDA

This product has some 21 CFR clearances. Please contact Westlake Product Regulatory Department for statements.

## **PROCESSING**

Melt temperatures of 300° F - 330° F are recommended for Westlake EC812.

## **COMMENTS**

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