



Application/Uses

- Flexible medical
- Foil
- Food packaging
- Food-contact applications
- Laminating
- Medical
- Playing cards
- Toys/sporting goods

Product Description

WESTLAKE low-density polyethylene EC1550 is used for extrusion-coating applications, especially when increased heat-seal range is needed.

Typical Physical Properties

<u>Property^a</u>	<u>Test^b Method</u>	<u>Typical Value, Units^c</u>
Melt Index (Condition 190°C/2.16 kg)	D 1238	3.5 g/10 min
Density	D 4883	917 kg/m ³ (0.917 g/cm ³)
Tensile Stress @ Break 500 mm/min (20 in./min)	D 638 Type IV	11.0 MPa (1600 psi)
Elongation @ Break 500 mm/min (20 in./min)	D 638 Type IV	500%
Flexural Modulus (2% Secant) 12.7 mm/min (0.5 in./min)	D 790	207 MPa (30,000 psi)

^a Unless noted otherwise, all tests are run at 23°C (73°F) and 50% relative humidity.

^b Unless noted otherwise, the test method is ASTM.

^c Units are in SI or US customary units.

NOTES

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

FDA

This resin grade complies with 21 CFR 177.1520. For further information, please contact Product Regulatory Compliance.

PROCESSING

Melt temperatures of 300° F - 330° F are recommended for Westlake Chemical EC1550.

COMMENTS

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