

Applications

Fresh produce packaging

Product Description

HIFOR XTREME® SC74853 is a high-strength linear low density polyethylene designed for blown film extrusion which contains no slip, a high antiblock level, and process aid. Films produced with this resin exhibit excellent toughness as well as good impact strength and machine direction tear resistance.

Typical Physical Properties

Property ^a	1	Test Method ^b	Typical Value, Units °
Melt Index		D 1238	0.5 g/10 min
Density		D 1505	917 kg/m ³ (0.917 g/cm ³)
Dart Impact		D 1709	750 g/mil
Haze		D 1003	16.0%
Gloss @ 45°		D 2457	60
Ultimate Tensile	M.D. T.D.	D 882 D 882	8,000 psi 5,000 psi
Elongation	M.D. T.D.	D 882 D 882	650% 900%
1% Secant Modulus	M.D. T.D.	D 882 D 882	23,000 psi 28,000 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

Test specimens for blown film: nominal thickness 1.0 mils; blow up ratio 2.4:1, die gap 100 mils.

Processing

Melt temperatures of 430°F – 460°F are recommended for HIFOR XTREME® SC74853 with blow-up ratios of 1.5:1 or higher.

Regulatory Compliance

This product has some 21 CFR clearances. Please contact your Westlake Sales Representative for food contact statements.

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