

# Braskem PE TX7001

Low Density Polyethylene

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## Message:

TX7001 is a low-density polyethylene (LDPE) with high molecular weight, designed to satisfy those applications that require high mechanical strength and environmental stress cracking resistance (ESCR), together with good processability, proper of branched polyethylene produced by a high-pressure process. TX7001 resin presents an excellent performance in conventional LDPE extruders, granting low energy consumption during the whole process and allowing the production of packaging with a good dimensional uniformity and an excellent surface finishing. This product is identified as PE 115 according to ASTM D-4976-04a standard specification.

General Information			
Features	Good Dimensional Stability		
	Good Processability		
	Good Surface Finish		
	High ESCR (Stress Crack Resist.)		
	High Molecular Weight		
Uses	Agricultural Applications		
	Film		
	Heavy-duty Bags		
	Industrial Applications		
	Packaging		
Agency Ratings	ASTM D 4976-PE115		
Processing Method	Blown Film		
	Film Extrusion		
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Specific Gravity	0.922	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	ASTM D792
Melt Mass-Flow Rate (MFR) (190°C/2.16 kg)	0.14	g/10 min	ASTM D1238
Films	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Film Thickness - Tested	50	µm	ASTM D882
Secant Modulus			
2% Secant, MD : 50 µm, Blown Film	150	MPa	
2% Secant, TD : 50 µm, Blown Film	170	MPa	ASTM D882
Tensile Strength			
MD : Break, 50 µm,Blown Film	30.0	MPa	
TD : Break, 50 µm,Blown Film	25.0	MPa	ASTM D882
Tensile Elongation			
MD : Break, 50 µm,Blown Film	360	%	
TD : Break, 50 µm,Blown Film	740	%	

Dart Drop Impact (50 µm, Blown Film)	200	g	ASTM D1709A
Elmendorf Tear Strength			ASTM D1922
MD : 50 µm, Blown Film	180	g	
TD : 50 µm, Blown Film	200	g	
Optical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Gloss			ASTM D2457
45°, 50.0 µm, Blown Film	33		
60°, 50.0 µm, Blown Film	53		
Haze (50.0 µm, Blown Film)	19	%	ASTM D1003
Extrusion	Nominal Value	Unit	
Melt Temperature	170 to 225	°C	

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