

TOTAL Polyethylene Lumicene® M 6040

High Density Polyethylene
TOTAL Refining & Chemicals

Message:

Lumicene® mPE M 6040 is a second generation metallocene high density Polyethylene.
Lumicene® mPE M 6040 can be processed at high output rates with low extrusion pressure, low neck-in, excellent drawability and gauge control in comparison with conventional LLDPE and first generation metallocene based polyethylene. The high stiffness combined with good optical properties brings a significant down-gauging potential.
Lumicene® mPE M 6040 is a versatile resin that can be used in pure or in blend for the production of both monolayer and multilayer film. Typical applications are: specialty film, hygiene film, embossed film, compounds and consumer and automatic packaging, such as produce bags, mailing and hygiene overwrap film. The high density of Lumicene® mPE M 6040 enables its use in applications with moisture barrier requirements, such as dry food packaging, and brings improved heat resistance, compared to commonly used HDPE.

General Information			
Additive	Antioxidation		
Features	Rigidity, high		
	Optical		
	Antioxidation		
	Workability, good		
	Low shrinkage		
Uses	Packaging		
	Films		
	Bags		
	Multilayer film		
	Mixing		
	Food packaging		
Agency Ratings	EC 1907/2006 (REACH)		
Processing Method	Film extrusion		
	cast film		
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Density	0.960	g/cm ³	ISO 1183
Melt Mass-Flow Rate (MFR) (190°C/2.16 kg)	4.0	g/10 min	ISO 1133
Films	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Film Thickness - Tested	20	µm	
Tensile Stress			ISO 527-3
MD: Yield, 20 µm, cast film	23.0	MPa	ISO 527-3
TD: Yield, 20 µm, cast film	24.0	MPa	ISO 527-3
MD: Fracture, 20 µm, cast film	26.0	MPa	ISO 527-3
TD: Fracture, 20 µm, cast film	34.0	MPa	ISO 527-3

Tensile Elongation			ISO 527-3
MD: Fracture, 20 μm, cast film	520	%	ISO 527-3
TD: Fracture, 20 μm, cast film	850	%	ISO 527-3
Dart Drop Impact (20 μm, Cast Film)	40	g	ISO 7765-1
Elmendorf Tear Strength ¹			ISO 6383-2
MD : 20.0 μm	8.0	kN/m	ISO 6383-2
TD : 20.0 μm	70.0	kN/m	ISO 6383-2
Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Vicat Softening Temperature	132	°C	ISO 306
Melting Temperature	134	°C	ISO 11357-3
Optical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Gloss (45°, 20.0 μm, Cast Film)	51		ASTM D2457
Haze (20.0 μm, Cast Film)	12	%	ISO 14782
Additional Information			
Laboratory test specimens produced at the following extrusion conditions: die gap = 250 μm, chill roll temperature = 20°C, throughput = 7 kg/h, melt temperature = 260 °C			
Extrusion	Nominal Value	Unit	
Melt Temperature	220 - 280	°C	
Take-Off Roll	20.0 - 80.0	°C	
NOTE			
1.	Cast Film		

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