Cadence™ GS3

Copolyester

Eastman Chemical Company

Message:

Thermal

Eastman Cadence[™] GS3 is a high-melt-strength amorphous copolyester for film calendering. Calendered films made of Eastman Cadence[™] copolyesters are non-crystallizing, are halogen-free, offer wide calendering and thermoforming windows and have good low-temperature toughness. They are cooperative in secondary operations such as solvent-bonding, lamination, decoration, cold-forming, punching/cutting and embossment. Eastman Cadence[™] resins require no pre-drying or additional stabilizers.

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General Information					
Features	Amorphous				
	Good Melt Strength				
	Halogen Free				
	Low Temperature Toughness				
Uses	Bags				
	Film				
	Flooring Maintenance/Repair				
	Furniture				
	Labels				
	Laminates				
	Packaging				
	Shrink Wrap				
Forms	Pellets				
Processing Method	Calendering				
	Thermoforming				
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method		
Density	1.28	g/cm ³	ASTM D1505		
Water Absorption (23°C, 24 hr)	0.15	%	ASTM D570		

Unit

Test Method

Nominal Value

Deflection Temperature Under Load			ASTM D648
0.45 MPa, Unannealed	69.0	°C	
1.8 MPa, Unannealed	62.0	°C	
Glass Transition Temperature	80.0	°C	DSC
Vicat Softening Temperature	81.0	°C	ASTM D1525
CLTE - Flow (23°C)	4.2E-5	cm/cm/°C	ASTM D696
Specific Heat			DSC
60°C	1300	J/kg/°C	
100°C	1700	J/kg/°C	
150°C	1800	J/kg/°C	
200°C	2000	J/kg/°C	
250°C	2100	J/kg/°C	
Electrical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Surface Resistivity	1.3E+16	ohms	ASTM D257
Volume Resistivity (23°C)	7.1E+16	ohms·cm	ASTM D257
Dielectric Strength ¹ (23°C)	15	kV/mm	ASTM D149
Dielectric Constant			ASTM D150
23°C, 1 kHz	2.54		
23°C, 1 MHz	2.43		
Dissipation Factor			ASTM D150
23°C, 1 kHz	0.025		
23°C, 1 MHz	0.019		
Arc Resistance	135	sec	ASTM D495
Flammability	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Oxygen Index	24	%	ASTM D2863
NOTE			
1.	500 V/sec, Method A (Short-Time)		

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