## PEARLCOAT® 162K

Thermoplastic Polyurethane Elastomer (Polyether)

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## Message:

PEARLCOAT® 162K is a polyether-based TPU, supplied in form of translucent, colourless pellets, combining hardness with excellent low-temperature flexibility and very good hydrolysis resistance.

PEARLCOAT® 162K is used in melt coatings on textile substrates, for end-uses in industrial coatings (for life-jackets, etc.) obtained by extrusion and calendering. PEARLCOAT® 162K is used for obtaining extruded films and fabric coatings.

General Information				
Features	Flexibility at low temperatures	5		
	Hydrolysis resistance			
	Medium hardness			
Uses	Textile applications			
	Floating Equipment			
	Coating application			
	Fabric coating			
Agency Ratings	EC 1907/2006 (REACH)			
	FDA 21 CFR 177.2600			
Appearance	Translucent			
	Colorless			
Forms	Particle			
Processing Method	Film extrusion			
	Extrusion coating			
	Calendering			
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method	
Specific Gravity	1.11	g/cm³	ASTM D792, DIN 53479	
Hardness	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method	
Durometer Hardness (Shore A)	82		ASTM D2240, DIN 53505	
Mechanical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method	
Abrasion Loss	25.0	mm³	DIN 53516	
Extruder Screw L/D Ratio	25:1			
Extruder Screw Compression Ratio	3:1			
Elastomers	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method	
Tensile Stress				
100% strain	5.01	MPa	ASTM D412	

100% strain	5.00	MPa	DIN 53504
300% strain	10.0	МРа	ASTM D412, DIN 53504
Tensile Strength			
Yield	30.1	MPa	ASTM D412
Yield	30.0	МРа	DIN 53504
Tensile Elongation (Break)	550	%	ASTM D412, DIN 53504
Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Glass Transition Temperature	-42.2	°C	DIN 51007
Melting Temperature <sup>1</sup>	143 - 154	°C	Internal method
Extrusion	Nominal Value	Unit	
Drying Temperature	90.0 - 100	°C	
Drying Time	2.0	hr	
Cylinder Zone 1 Temp.	160 - 170	°C	
Cylinder Zone 2 Temp.	170 - 180	°C	
Cylinder Zone 3 Temp.	180 - 190	°C	
Cylinder Zone 4 Temp.	185 - 195	°C	
Die Temperature	185 - 195	°C	
Extrusion instructions			
Cooling: AirSpeed: 50 rpmThickness D	Die: 0.2 mm		

NOTE

1.

Temperature at which MFI = 10 g/10 min @ 21.6 kg

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