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HIPS 7240 HIGH IMPACT POLYSTYRENE

Product Description:

HIPS 7240 is a very high impact polystyrene used in extrusion industry. This grade is designated to be diluted with crystal polystyrenes (such as GPPS 1240, 1340 or 1540).

The good melt strength of this grade makes it particularly suitable for deep-draw thermoforming. HIPS 7240 is available in white color.

Applications:

Extrusion: Darty sheet. Coextrusion with EVOH PE..., in dilution with crystal industrial sheets.

Thermoforming: Cups; Trays; Egg boxes; General packaging.

Diluted with crystal for CD inserts, Shoe heels.

Property	Unit	Value		Test Method
MFI (200°c/5kg)	g/10 min	4.5		ASTM D 1238
Styrene Residual Monomer	ppm	<500		CLGLABPSG004
				(ATOFINA TEST
				METHOD)
Vicat Softening Point	°C	Min. 94		ASTM D 1525
Rockwell Hardness	-	Scal	L6	ASTM D 785
		e	5	
Tensile Strength @ Yield	MPa	21		ASTM D 638
Tensile Strength @ Break	MPa	20		ASTM D 638
Elongation @ Break	%	55		ASTM D 638
Flexural Modulus	MPa	1750		ASTM D 790
Tensile Modulus	MPa	1800		ASTM D 638
Izod Impact	%	Min. 8.5		ISO 180/1A
Water Absorption	%	< 0.1		ASTM D 570

Typical Data:

Density: 1.04 gr/cm³(app.)

Approximate shrinkage in mould: 0.4-0.7% (ASTM D 955) All tests are carried out at 23°C, unless otherwise stated.

The above data are typical laboratory average, intended to serve as guides only.

Food Contact Properties:

HIPS 7240 is a food contact grade, unless the term "Non-Food Contact is printed on the bags.