

Product Data Sheet Lucofin® 1400MN

Product description

Lucofin 1400MN is a polar copolymer consisting of ethylene and butyl acrylate with low crystallinity. Due to its chemical structure Lucofin 1400MN is softer and more flexible than ethylene homopolymers with comparable density. Lucofin 1400MN is supplied as uncoloured granules.

Product properties

Lucofin 1400MN is used as a component in multi-layer film constructions or as polymer modifier to improve splitting resistance, environmental stress crack resistance ESCR, resistance to low temperatures, weldability, and processability.

Product advantages

- ▶ easy processing on standard processing equipment
- ▶ flexibility
- ▶ impact strength at low temperatures (- 40 °C)
- ▶ thermal stability of polymer (no corrosive by-products)
- ▶ good mechanical properties
- ▶ high utilization temperatures
- ▶ good compatibility and filler acceptance
- ▶ good organoleptics
- ▶ environmentally sound

Applications

Lucofin 1400MN is used primarily for injection applications, but is also suited for extrusion purposes. In the field of film extrusion it is used for films in the construction and agricultural industry, FFS bags, and also for food packaging applications. Moreover, Lucofin 1400MN is ideally suited as base resin for compounds or as an impact modifier for stiff polymers. Compounds based on Lucofin 1400MN can be used for profile and cable extrusion purposes and for the production of sealing membranes. Furthermore it can be used for x-linked closed cellfoams.

Processing

Lucofin 1400MN is suited for conventional standard processing equipment. We recommend the following standard values for extrusion:

Profiles and hoses:	approx. 160° - 190 °C
Blow moulding:	approx. 160° - 190 °C
Blown films:	approx. 160° - 190 °C
Flat-sheet composites:	approx. 160° - 230 °C
Coatings:	approx. 160° - 270 °C

For injection moulding Lucofin 1400MN is processed at melt temperatures ranging from 180° - 250 °C and mould temperatures from 10° - 40 °C.

Packaging

Granules in 25 kg bags, other packaging upon request.
The product is also available as powder.

Chemical resistance

Lucofin 1400MN is resistant to water and aqueous solutions, salt as well as to dilute acids and bases. When exposed to aliphatic, aromatic and halogen-substituted hydrocarbons Lucofin 1400MN may swell or dissolve to a certain extent.

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Typical Properties			
	Standard	unit	Standard value
Density (23 °C)	ISO 1183	g/cm ³	0.924
MFR (190 °C/2.16 kg)	ISO 1133	g/10min	7.0
Comonomer BA	DIN 51451	%	17
Melting Temperature	ISO 3146	°C	95
Vicat Softening Temperature A/50	ISO 306	°C	60
Module of Elasticity	ISO 527	MPa	45
Yield Strain	ISO 527	%	13
Yield Stress	ISO 527	MPa	3.5
Shore Hardness D	ISO 868	-	32
Shore Hardness A	ISO 868	-	88

These standard values are typical values and should not be regarded as specifications.

Note

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