

# Product Data Sheet Polyethylene FT7236 Preliminary

LDPE for Film

## DESCRIPTION

**FT7236** is a Low Density Polyethylene for Film extrusion produced by high pressure Tubular Technology. This product is developed for the production of packaging film with excellent optical properties.

FT7236 contains Slip, Antiblock & Antioxidant additives.

| Slip(Erucamide) 900 ppm*<br>Antiblock(Silica) 1300 ppm* |   |
|---|---|
| *Typical values   |   |
| APPLICATIONS  |   |
| High Gloss & Clarity Films<br>Food Packaging            | General Purpose Pouches<br>Laundry Bags |
| SPECIAL FEATURES  |   |
| Excellent Processability                                | Excellent Optical Properties            |
| Easy Sealing  | Low COF                                 |
| Mono layer & Co-extrusion Films                         |   |

## PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

| Property                              | Typical Value** | Unit    | Test Method  |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------|---------|--------------|
| Density                               | 923             | Kg/m³   | ASTM D 792   |
| Melt Flow Rate MFR (190 °C/2.16 kg)   | 4.0             | g/10min | ASTM D1238   |
| Melting Temperature                   | 109             | °C      | ISO 11357/03 |
| Vicat softening temperature A50 (10N) | 91              | °C      | ISO 306      |

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## **FILM PROPERTIES**

| Property                    |       | Typical Value | Unit | Test Method   |
|-----------------------------|-------|---------------|------|---------------|
| Tensile Strength at Break   | MD/TD | 20/18         | MPa  | ISO 527-3     |
| Elongation at Break         | MD/TD | 300/600       | %    | ISO 527-3     |
| Tensile Modulus             | MD/TD | 180/190       | MPa  | ASTM D 882    |
| Coefficient of Friction     |       | 0.15          | -    | ASTM D 1894   |
| Gloss at 60 degree (of arc) |       | 110           |      | ASTM D 2457   |
| Haze                        |       | 6             | %    | ASTM D 1003   |
| Dart Drop                   |       | 80            | g    | ASTM D 1709/A |
| Tear Strength               | MD/TD | 2/2           | Ν    | ASTM D 1922   |

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## **PROCESSING GUIDELINES**

**FT7236** can be processed easily on most types of blown film equipment such as LDPE, LLDPE or HDPE extruders.

Recommended processing conditions:

| Melt temperature | 150 –170°C |
|------------------|------------|
| Die gap          | > 1.0 mm   |
| FLH:             | > 2 DD     |
| BUR:             | > 2:1      |
|                  |            |

## STORAGE

The product should be stored in dry conditions at temperatures below 50°C and protected from UV-light. Improper storage can initiate degradation, which results in odour generation and colour changes and can have negative effects on the physical properties of this product.

More information on storage can be found in Safety Information Sheet for this product.

## SAFETY

The product is not classified as a hazardous mixture.

Dust and fines from the product carry a risk of dust explosion. All equipment should be properly earthed. Inhalation of dust should be avoided as it may cause irritation of the respiratory system. Small amounts of fumes are generated during processing of the product. Proper ventilation is therefore required.

A Safety Information Sheet is available on request. Please contact your Borouge representative for more details on various aspects of safety, recovery and disposal of the product.





#### RECYCLING

The product is suitable for recycling using modern methods of shredding and cleaning. In-house production waste should be kept clean to facilitate direct recycling.

#### **RELATED DOCUMENTS**

Most datasheets and statements are available on Borouge website <u>www.borouge.com</u>. If more information is required, please contact a Borouge representative for information.



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