

Asterene HXM 50100S

This extra high molecular weight, hexene copolymer is tailored for large blow molded and thermoformed parts that :

- Require good rigidity
- Require good melt strength
- Require excellent ESCR
- Require excellent low temperature impact strength

Typical blow molded applications for HXM 50100S include:

- Jerrycans
- Open top drums
- Shipping containers
- Fuel containers
- Agricultural chemical tanks

Typical thermoformed applications for HXM 50100S include:

- Pallets
- Automotive dunnage
- Truck bedliners
- Playground equipment

This resin meets these specifications:

- FDA 21 CFR 177.1520(c) 3.2a. May be used in contact with all types of food at conditions of use B through H per Table 2 of 21 CFR 176.170(c)
- ASTM D4976 – PE 235
- Listed in Drug Master File #1016
- All constituents of this resin are listed in the Commission Regulation (EU) No. 10/2011

| NOMINAL PHYSICAL PROPERTIES ⁽¹⁾ | TEST METHOD | UNIT | VALUE |
|--|-------------|-------------------|-------|
| Density | ASTM D1505 | g/cm ³ | 0.948 |
| Melt Index, Condition 190/2.16 | ASTM D1238 | g/10 min | 0.06 |
| Condition 190/21.6 | | | 9.0 |
| Tensile Strength at Yield, 50 mm/min, Type IV bar | ASTM D638 | MPa | 25 |
| Elongation at Break, 50 mm/min, Type IV bar | ASTM D638 | % | 700 |
| Flexural Modulus, Tangent - 16:1 span:depth, 12.7 mm/min | ASTM D790 | MPa | 1200 |
| ESCR, Condition B (100% Igepal), F ₅₀ | ASTM D1693 | h | >1000 |
| Durometer Hardness, Type D (Shore D) | ASTM D2240 | - | 68 |
| Vicat Softening Temperature, Loading 1, Rate A | ASTM D1525 | °C | 126 |
| Heat Deflection Temperature, 66 psi, Method A | ASTM D648 | °C | 78 |
| Brittleness Temperature, Type A clamp, Type I specimen | ASTM D746 | °C | <-75 |
| Tensile Impact, Type S bar | ASTM D1822 | kJ/m ² | 190 |

- (1) The nominal properties reported herein are typical of the product, but do not reflect normal testing variance and therefore should not be used for specification purposes. Values are rounded.
The physical properties were determined on compression molded specimens that were prepared in accordance with Procedure C of ASTM D4703, Annex A1.

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