# POLIGOM G/42

### Ethylene Propylene Diene Terpolymer

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#### Message:

POLIGOM : is the trade mark of our crosslinkable EPDM compound ( phthalate plasticizers free ).
POLIGOM G/42 : chemically crosslinkable elastomer for low voltage cable insulation and sheathing: suitable for G7.
It is a conveniently grafted compound able to react in presence of
moisture and of a catalyst.
We normally suggest our catalyst type MAC/100 SCU.
REACTION BETWEEN GRAFTING AND CATALYST:
These two compounds, separately stored, must be mixed before starting extrusion in the ratio:
GRAFTING/CATALYST 94/6
Certify : EN 50363-0 G7,BS 7655 GP4-GP5-GP6-GP7,HD 22.1 EI7

General Information						
Features	Crosslinkable					
Uses	Low voltage insulation					
	Cable sheath					
Agency Ratings	BS 7655 GP4-GP5-GP6-GP7					
	EN 50363-0					
	HD 22.1 EI7					
Forms	Particle					
Processing Method	Extrusion					
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method			
Specific Gravity	0.900	g/cm³	ASTM D792			
Melt Mass-Flow Rate (MFR) (190°C/5.0 kg)	7.0 - 9.0	g/10 min	ASTM D1238			
Hardness	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method			
Durometer Hardness (Shore A)	89		ASTM D2240			
Mechanical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method			
Tensile Stress (Yield)	> 18.0	MPa	IEC 60811			
Tensile Strain (Break)	> 450	%	IEC 60811			
Aging	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method			
Change in Tensile Strength in Air (150°C, 168 hr)	7.0	%	IEC 60811			
Change in Tensile Strain at Break in Air (150°C, 168 hr)	-10	%	IEC 60811			
Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method			
Thermoset <sup>1</sup>			IEC 60811			
250°C	60	%	IEC 60811			
Residual : 250°C	0	%	IEC 60811			
Head Temperature	190	°C				

Electrical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Volume Resistivity (20°C)	> 4.0E+15	ohms·cm	IEC 60502
Dielectric Strength (20°C)	39	kV/mm	ASTM D149

Additional Information

Crosslinking of the finished product is obtained by:

Immersion of the bobbin in hot water at 85/90 °C for two hours (up to 3 mm thickness)

Steam treatment at 0,15 bar for 5/6 hours.

-Practically we suggest air crosslinking at natural temperatures and moisture: three or five days are enough.

Extrusion	Nominal Value	Unit	
Cylinder Zone 1 Temp.	140	°C	
Cylinder Zone 2 Temp.	160	°C	
Cylinder Zone 3 Temp.	180	°C	
Cylinder Zone 4 Temp.	190	°C	
Die Temperature	205	°C	
NOTE			
1.	20 N/cm <sup>2</sup>		

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