# Artenius CLEAR+

### Polyethylene Terephthalate

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#### Message:

Artenius CLEAR+ is a copolymer of PET (Polyethylene-Terephthalate), delivered in resin pellets. This resin has been specially designed for complex thermoforming with the tailored characteristics of high IV/high melt strength and a very slow rate between crystallization/high clarity and light transmission in very thick wall sections. It is suitable for thick sheet extrusion up to approximately 9 mm in thickness and sealing with high light transmission, excellent brightness and transparency.

General Information					
Features	Copolymer				
	Food Contact Acceptable				
	Good Melt Strength				
	High Clarity				
	High Light Transmission				
	High Viscosity				
Uses	Sheet				
Agency Ratings	EU 94/62/EC				
	EU No 10/2011				
Appearance	Clear/Transparent				
Forms	Pellets				
Processing Method	Sheet Extrusion				
	Thermoforming				
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method		
Specific Gravity <sup>1</sup>	> 1.39	g/cm³			
Apparent Density	0.84	g/cm³			
Viscosity Number (Reduced Viscosity)	84.0 to 88.0	ml/g	ISO 1628		
Acetaldehyde	< 1.0	ppm	ASTM F2013		
Color b	< 0.00		ASTM D6290		
Color L	> 86.0		ASTM D6290		
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Moisture	< 0.20	%	
Weight - of 20 Chips	320.0	mg	
Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	
Melting Temperature	230 to 240	°C	
Extrusion	Nominal Value	Unit	
Drying Temperature	150 to 160	°C	
Drying Time	5.0 to 6.0	hr	

Melt Temperature	260 to 280	°C
NOTE		

1. Crystalline

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