

Cardia Biohybrid™ H-F

Thermoplastic Starch + PE

Cardia Bioplastics™

Message:

Cardia Biohybrid™ H-F is based on a blend of thermoplastic starch (TPS) with Polyethylene. This grade of resin is compatibilised to offer a high level of mechanical strength, elongation properties and toughness. The resin is based on corn starch which is a renewable material.

A Biohybrid resin for film applications offering a significant reduction in carbon footprint (compared to PE)

An effective contribution to sustainability where biodegradability/compostability is not required.

Designed for thin and thick gauge film applications.

Cardia Biohybrid™ H-F is formulated with 50% of annually renewable thermoplastic starch polymer. This resin is suitable for a range of products manufactured by blown film extrusion and extrusion blow molding as well as injection molding processes. Due to its high content of polyolefins the material is not a fully biodegradable polymer and is not intended for ultimate disposal in commercial composting facilities. For applications in which compostability is required we recommend the usage of Cardia Compostable B-F resin.

Application Examples

- Shopping bags/Check-out bags
- Garbage bags
- Leaf litter bags
- Bin liners
- Overwrap Packaging

General Information			
Features	Food Contact Acceptable		
	Good Toughness		
	High Elongation		
	High Strength		
	Renewable Resource Content		
Uses	Bags		
	Blending		
	Film		
	Heavy-duty Bags		
	Liners		
	Packaging		
Agency Ratings	EU 2002/72/EC		
Processing Method	Blown Film		
	Extrusion Blow Molding		
	Injection Molding		
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Specific Gravity	1.10	g/cm ³	ASTM D792
Melt Mass-Flow Rate (MFR) (190°C/2.16 kg)	1.0	g/10 min	ASTM D1238
Moisture Content	< 0.60	%	Internal Method
Biobased Content - Starch	50	%	

Mechanical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Tensile Strength			ASTM D883
Yield	> 13.0	MPa	
Break	> 13.0	MPa	
Tensile Elongation (Break)	350	%	ASTM D883
Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Peak Melting Temperature	90.0 to 130	°C	ASTM D3418

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