# CERTENE™ SGM-025

### General Purpose Polystyrene

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### Message:

SGM-025 is a certified prime grade High Molecular Weight specially developed for both INJECTION MOLDING and EXTRUSION applications requiring high heat resistance, high tensile strength, and high stiffness. SGM-025 offers good-flow processability, good dimensional stability and excellent clarity of molded articles. SGM-025 applications include foamed sheet extrusion for packaging e.g. egg trays, sheet extrusion for shower cabin panels, dinnerware, oriented polystyrene (OPS) for cookie and cake trays, thin-walled containers, and consumer electronics. SGM-025 complies with FDA regulation 21CFR 177.1640 and with most international regulations concerning the use of Polystyrene in contact with food articles.

General Information				
Features	Good Dimensional Stability			
	Good Flow			
	Good Processability			
	High Clarity			
	High Heat Resistance			
	High Molecular Weight			
	High Stiffness			
	High Tensile Strength			
Uses	Consumer Applications			
	Containers			
	Foam			
	Sheet			
	Support Trays			
	Thin-walled Containers			
Agency Ratings	FDA 21 CFR 177.1640			
Forms	Pellets			
Processing Method	Extrusion			
	Injection Molding			
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Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method	
Specific Gravity	1.05	g/cm³	ASTM D792	
Melt Mass-Flow Rate (MFR) (200°C/5.0 kg)	2.5	g/10 min	ASTM D1238	
Hardness	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method	
Rockwell Hardness <sup>1</sup> (R-Scale)	105		ASTM D785	
Mechanical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method	
Tensile Modulus (Injection Molded)	3310	MPa	ASTM D638	
Tensile Strength <sup>2</sup> (Yield, Injection Molded)	53.8	MPa	ASTM D638	
Tensile Elongation <sup>3</sup> (Break, Injection Molded)	1.3	%	ASTM D638	

Flexural Modulus - 1% Secant <sup>4</sup> (Injection			
Molded)	3600	MPa	ASTM D790
Flexural Strength (23°C, Injection Molded)	179	MPa	ASTM D790
Impact	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Notched Izod Impact (3.18 mm, Injection			
Molded)	11	J/m	ASTM D256
Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Deflection Temperature Under Load (1.8			
MPa, Unannealed, Injection Molded)	98.0	°C	ASTM D648
Vicat Softening Temperature <sup>5</sup>	107	°C	ASTM D1525
NOTE			
1.	Injection molded		
2.	5.0 mm/min		
3.	5.0 mm/min		
4.	1.3 mm/min		
5.	Injection molded		

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