# NOVAPOL® LA-0522-A

## Low Density Polyethylene

#### **NOVA Chemicals**

#### Message:

NOVAPOL® LA-0522-A is a Low Density Polyethylene material. It is available in North America for extrusion or extrusion coating. Important attributes of NOVAPOL® LA-0522-A are:

Food Contact Acceptable

Good Adhesion

**Good Sealability** 

Typical applications include:

Additive/Masterbatch

Containers

Fabrics/Fibers

Foam

**Food Contact Applications** 

General Information					
Additive	Resin				
Features	Foamable				
	Food Contact Acceptable				
	Good Adhesion				
	Good Drawdown				
	Good Heat Seal				
	Good Stability				
	Low Density				
Uses	Blending				
	Containers				
	Fabrics				
	Foam				
Agency Ratings	FDA 21 CFR 177.1520(c) 2.1 2				
Processing Method	Extrusion				
	Extrusion Coating				
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method		
Specific Gravity	0.920	g/cm³	ASTM D792		
Melt Mass-Flow Rate (MFR) (190°C/2.16					
kg)	4.5	g/10 min	ASTM D1238		
Mechanical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method		
Tensile Strength (Yield)	9.40	MPa	ASTM D638		
Tensile Elongation (Break)	650	%	ASTM D638		
Flexural Modulus - 1% Secant	276	MPa	ASTM D790		
Films	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method		

Water Vapor Transmission <sup>1</sup>	17	g/m²/24 hr	ASTM F1249	
Heat Seal Strength <sup>2</sup>	550	N/m	ASTM D517	
Draw Down Speed	8.1	m/sec	Internal Method	
Hot Tack Strength	225.0	g/2.5 cm	Internal Method	
Minimum Coating Weight <sup>3</sup>	8.0	g/m²	ASTM D539	
Neck-in <sup>4</sup>	51.0	mm	Internal Method	
NOTE				
	Rate, 38°C (100°F), 90%	Moisture Vapour Transmission Rate, 38°C (100°F), 90% RH on 30 Ib Kraft paper samples with a LDPE		
1.	coating weight of15 lb/ream.			
2.	TAPPI test method			
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4.	1000 ft/min, both sides			

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