

# Elvax® 550A

Ethylene Vinyl Acetate Copolymer

DuPont Packaging & Industrial Polymers

## Message:

DuPont™ Elvax® 550A is an ethylene-vinyl acetate copolymer resin for use in industrial applications.

### Composition

15 % By Weight Vinyl Acetate comonomer content

Thermal Stabilizer: BHT antioxidant

### Applications

Elvax® resins can be used in a variety of applications involving molding, compounding, extrusion, adhesives, sealants, and wax blends. For additional information and properties associated with specific applications, please refer to the Grade Selector Guides found on the Elvax® website for industrial applications. [http://www2.dupont.com/Elvax/en\\_US/tech\\_info/index.html](http://www2.dupont.com/Elvax/en_US/tech_info/index.html)

General Information			
Additive	Antioxidant		
Features	Antioxidant		
	Copolymer		
	Food Contact Acceptable		
Uses	Adhesives		
	Industrial Applications		
	Sealants		
Agency Ratings	FDA 21 CFR 177.1350(a)(1)		
Forms	Pellets		
Processing Method	Compounding		
	Compression Molding		
	Extrusion		
	Injection Molding		
	Sheet Extrusion		
	Structural Foam Molding		
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Specific Gravity	0.935	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	ASTM D792, ISO 1183
Melt Mass-Flow Rate (MFR) (190°C/2.16 kg)	8.0	g/10 min	ASTM D1238, ISO 1133
Vinyl Acetate Content	15.0	wt%	
Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Vicat Softening Temperature	62.0	°C	ASTM D1525, ISO 306
Melting Temperature (DSC)	90.0	°C	ASTM D3418, ISO 3146
Freezing Point <sup>1</sup>	73	°C	ASTM D3418
Injection	Nominal Value	Unit	
Processing (Melt) Temp	< 230	°C	

Extrusion	Nominal Value	Unit
Melt Temperature	< 230	°C
NOTE		
1.	DSC	

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