# Ecomann® PHA EM10000

### Polyhydroxyalkanoate

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#### Message:

EM10000 is semi-crystalline biodegradable, aliphatic bio-polyester designed for use in film applications. EM10000 is certificated to meet EU direct food contact, EN13432 and OK Home compost standards for biodegradable plastics. Typical applications: Blown and cast film applications, such as paper coating

General Information				
Features	Aliphatic			
	Biodegradable			
	Compostable			
	Excellent Printability			
	Food Contact Acceptable			
	Good Adhesion			
	Good Flexibility			
	Good Heat Seal			
	Good Impact Resistance			
	Good Processability			
	High Gloss			
	High Strength			
	Hydrolysis Resistant			
	Low Moisture Vapor Transmission			
	Semi Crystalline			
Uses	Blown Film			
	Cast Film			
	Paper Coatings			
Agency Ratings	EN 13432			
	EU Food Contact, Unspecified Rating			
Forms	Pellets			
Processing Method	Blown Film			
	Cast Film			
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method	
Specific Gravity	1.24	g/cm³	ASTM D792	
Melt Mass-Flow Rate (MFR) (170°C/2.16				
kg)	3.0	g/10 min	ASTM D1238	
Water Absorption (Equilibrium)	< 0.40	%	ASTM D570	

Mechanical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Tensile Strength	13.0	MPa	ASTM D638
Tensile Elongation (Break)	550	%	ASTM D638
Films	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Oxygen Transmission Rate (40°C, 90% RH, 70 μm)	160	cm³/m²/24 hr	
Water Vapor Transmission Rate (25°C, 90% RH, 70 $\mu m)$	13	g/m²/24 hr	
Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Vicat Softening Temperature	85.0	°C	ASTM D1525 <sup>1</sup>
Melting Temperature	120 to 140	°C	DSC
Optical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Yellowness Index	60	YI	Internal Method
Additional Information	Nominal Value	Unit	
Blow Molding Barrel Temperature			
Compression Section	110 to 125	°C	
Feed Temperature	100 to 115	°C	
Melting Section	110 to 125	°C	
Blow Molding Die Temperature	120 to 135	°C	
Blow Molding Melt Temperature	120 to 140	°C	
Blow Molding Screw Speed	30 to 50	rpm	
Extruder Screw L/D Ratio	20.0:1.0 to 30.0:1.0		
Extruder Screw Compression Ratio	1.5:1.0 to 3.0:1.0		
Extrusion	Nominal Value	Unit	
Drying Temperature	80.0	°C	
Drying Time	3.0	hr	
NOTE			
1.	Rate B (120°C/h), Loading 1 (10 N)		

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