# Formolene® HB5502Z

### High Density Polyethylene

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#### Message:

Formolene® HB5502Z eliminates the need for including a mold release agent at each machine, by incorporating zinc stearate with the resin. This incorporation assures uniform consistent release properties. It may be used as an injection blow molding resin. Formolene® HB5502Z meets all requirements of the U.S. Food and Drug Administration as specified in 21 CFR 177.1520, covering safe use of polyolefin articles intended for direct food contact.

General Information			
Additive	Zinc Stearate Lubricant		
Features	Copolymer		
	Food Contact Acceptable		
	Good Mold Release		
	Hexene Comonomer		
Uses	Blow Molding Applications		
	Pharmaceutical Packaging		
Agency Ratings	EC 1907/2006 (REACH)		
	FDA 21 CFR 177.1520		
Forms	Pellets		
Processing Method	Blow Molding		
	Injection Blow Molding		
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Density	0.955	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	ASTM D1505
Melt Mass-Flow Rate (MFR) (190°C/2.16			
kg)	0.35	g/10 min	ASTM D1238
Environmental Stress-Cracking Resistance			
Compression Molded, F50	35.0	hr	ASTM D1693B
100% Igepal, Compression Molded, F50	45.0	hr	ASTM D1693A
Mechanical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Tensile Strength <sup>1</sup> (Yield, Compression			
Molded)	27.6	MPa	ASTM D638
Tensile Elongation <sup>2</sup> (Break, Compression Molded)	600	%	ASTM D638
Flexural Modulus (Compression Molded)	1380	MPa	ASTM D790
Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Brittleness Temperature	< -118	°C	ASTM D746
NOTE			

1.	Type IV, 51 mm/min
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