

EcoVid 43TFH

Polylactic Acid
Greener Polymers Inc.

Message:

EcoVid-43TFH is a General Purpose Ingeo PLA and bio-composite material blend suitable for Thermoforming processes with a High Heat resistance index. The material, rated for 178F/80°C and could be frozen to -32°C. Mould crystallization will increase the heat deflection from 80°C to 110°C+ depending on the application.

Composition: Ingeo PLA content with bio-degradable and compostable HDT additives.

Applications: EcoVid-43TFH is suitable for Thermoformed Hot coffee cups, soup bowls, noodle bowls, hot food platters and trays, processed food in containers to be reheated, etc.

General Information			
Additive	Unspecified additive		
Features	Updatable resources		
	Heat resistance, high		
	Biodegradable		
Uses	Thermoforming Applications		
	Cup		
	Non-specific food applications		
	Food service sector		
	Food container		
	General		
Processing Method	Thermoforming		
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Density	1.27	g/cm ³	ASTM D792
Melt Mass-Flow Rate (MFR)			ASTM D1238
190°C/2.16 kg	6.0	g/10 min	ASTM D1238
210°C/2.16 kg	6.0	g/10 min	ASTM D1238
Molding Shrinkage - Flow	0.30 - 0.50	%	
Relative Viscosity	2.5		
Mechanical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Tensile Strength (Yield)	62.1	MPa	ASTM D638
Tensile Elongation (Break)	3.5	%	ASTM D638
Flexural Strength	108	MPa	ASTM D790
Impact	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Notched Izod Impact	16	J/m	ASTM D256
Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Glass Transition Temperature	55.0 - 60.0	°C	ASTM D3418
Vicat Softening Temperature	130	°C	ASTM D1525
Melting Temperature	130 - 180	°C	ASTM D3418

Peak Crystallization Temperature (DSC)	155 - 170	°C	ASTM D3418
Heat Distortion	80 - 110	°C	ASTM E2092
Clarity	NIL		

Additional Information

Vapour Barrier Transmission Rate (ASTM E380): 20.1636 (sd +/- 0.3537)Oxygen Permeability (ASTM E380): 53.481 (sd +/- 0.249)

Injection	Nominal Value	Unit
Hopper Temperature	145 - 155	°C
Rear Temperature	145 - 165	°C
Middle Temperature	165 - 195	°C
Front Temperature	165 - 195	°C
Nozzle Temperature	165 - 180	°C
Back Pressure	1.03 - 2.76	MPa
Screw Speed	35 - 65	rpm

Injection instructions

Mould Cycle Time: 19-35 secs

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