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Styrolux 3G46

Styrene Butadiene Copolymer (SBC)

TECHNICAL DATASHEET

DESCRIPTION

Styrolux® 3G46 is a clear styrene-butadiene copolymer (SBC) developed specifically for sheet- and film extrusion and for thermoformed articles. Styrolux® 3G46 is designed for improved performance in blends with general-purpose polystyrene, providing parts with an excellent balance of transparency and toughness.

FEATURES

- Outstanding clarity
- Good toughness / stiffness balance
- Medium GPPS blend capabilty

APPLICATIONS

- Food and non-food packaging
- Caps and lids
- Toys
- Displays
- Medical devices
- Household products

Property, Test Condition	Standard	Unit	Values
Rheological Properties			
Melt Volume Rate, 200 °C/5 kg	ISO 1133	cm³/10 min	12
Mechanical Properties			
Izod Notched Impact Strength, 23 °C	ISO 180/A	kJ/m²	3
Izod Notched Impact Strength, -30 °C	ISO 180/A	kJ/m²	2
Charpy Notched Impact Strength, 23° C	ISO 179/1eA	kJ/m²	3
Tensile Stress at Yield, 23 °C	ISO 527	MPa	27
Tensile Strain at Yield, 23 °C	ISO 527	%	2
Nominal Strain at Break, 23 °C	ISO 527	%	180
Tensile Modulus	ISO 527	MPa	1550
Flexural Strength, 23 °C	ISO 178	MPa	31
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Hardness, Shore D	ISO 868	-	65
Thermal Properties			
Vicat Softening Temperature VST/B/50 (50N, 50 °C/h)	ISO 306	°C	51
Vicat Softening Temperature, VST/A/50 (10N, 50 °C/h)	ISO 306	°C	81

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Property, Test Condition	Standard	Unit	Values
Heat Deflection Temperature A; (annealed 4 h/80 °C; 1.8 MPa)	ISO 75	°C	58
Heat Deflection Temperature B; (annealed 4 h/80 °C; 0.45 MPa)	ISO 75	°C	75
Coefficient of Linear Thermal Expansion	ISO 11359	10^{-6}/°C	60 - 90
Electrical Properties			
Optical Properties			
Refractive Index, Sodium D Line	ISO 489	-	1.573
Light Transmission at 550 nm	ASTM D 1003	%	90
Haze	ASTM D 1003	%	< 2
Other Properties			
Density	ISO 1183	kg/m³	1020
Water Absorption, Saturated at 23 °C	ISO 62	%	0.07
Processing			
Linear Mold Shrinkage	ISO 294-4	%	0.3 - 1

Typical values for uncolored products

SUPPLY FORM

Styrolux is supplied in pellet form and should be kept in its original containers in cool, dry place. Avoid direct exposure to sunlight. Styrolux® can be stored in silos at temperatures well below 45 °C.

PRODUCT SAFETY

During processing of Styrolux® small quantities of styrene monomer may be released into the atmosphere. At styrene vapor concentrations below 20 ppm no negative effects on health are expected. In our experience, the concentration of styrene does not exceed 1 ppm in well ventilated workplaces - that is where five to eight air changes per hour are made. For safety information please refer to our Material Safety Data Sheet for this product.

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