











Technical Data Sheet

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GREENFLEX

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EVA

ML 40

Ethylene vinyl acetate copolymer

Greenflex ML 40 is an ethylene vinyl acetate copolymer (EVA) for injection moulding of flexible items.

Items produced with Greenflex ML 40 show high elasticity and flexibility.

Main applications

Greenflex ML 40 is recommended for the production of flexible items.

Main properties

Resin Properties	Test method	Unit	Value
Melt Flow Rate (190 °C/ 2.16 kg)	ISO 1133	g/10min	2.5
Vinyl acetate content	Internal method	%	14
Density	ISO 1183	g/cm³	0.935
Melting point	Internal method	°C	91
Brittleness point	ASTM D 746	°C	< - 80
Vicat softening point (1 kg)	ISO 306/A	°C	63

Mechanical Properties *	Test method	Unit	Value
Tensile stress at yield	ISO 527	MPa	6
Tensile strenght at break	ISO 527	MPa	-
Elongation at break	ISO 527	%	-
Flexural modulus	ISO 178	MPa	60
Hardness Shore A	ISO 868/A		92
Hardness Shore D	ISO 868/A		40

^{*} values are referred to injection moulded specimens. Actual properties are typical and may vary depending upon operating conditions.

Processing conditions

Greenflex ML 40 is readily processable by the latest injection moulding equipments with excellent results.

Moulding Conditions (*)

Stock temperature (°C) 140 œ 200

Mould temperature (°C) 10 œ 30

(*) Moulding conditions may vary with part and gate design, equipment used and mould cooling.

Storage and handling

Greenflex ML 40 is supplied in pellet form. This material may readily be conveyed and bulk fed through equipment designed for conventional pelletised polyethylene resin, provided the equipment is designed to prevent accumulation of the fines and dust particles that are contained in all polyethylene resins. These fines and dust particles can, under certain conditions, pose an explosion hazard. We recommend that the conveying system used be equipped with filters of adequate size, operated and maintained in such a manner to ensure that no leaks develop and earthed adequately. We further recommend that good housekeeping be practised throughout your facility.

Stored in an airy and dry room, at temperatures between 20°C and 30°C, with no direct sunlight, the shelf life is about 18 months. However, before using this product, read and understand the relevant POLIMERI EUROPA Safety Data Sheet.

Availability

Contact the POLIMERI EUROPA sales office nearest to you regarding availability and your specific application requirements.

Food contact status

Greenflex ML 40 complies with the rules and regulations of the European Union, as well as other countries, regarding the use of plastic materials in food contact applications. Certificates of compliance are available upon request.

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