

Dow Engage® 8401 Polyolefin Elastomer

Category : Polymer , Thermoplastic , Elastomer , TPE , Thermoplastic Elastomer , Melt-Processible Rubber

Material Notes:

Description: Engage® 8401 polyolefin elastomer is an ethyleneoctene copolymer that offers excellent performance in durable, flexible injection molded industrial and consumer goods. Engage® 8401 provides high clarity in products requiring visual inspection and allows the use of hot runner molds to enhance production efficiency. In addition, its low density can help control resin and production costs, while reducing the weight of end products. Information provided by manufacturer. This former DuPont Dow Elastomers product line is now produced by Dow Chemical.

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Physical Properties	Metric	English	Comments
Density	0.885 g/cc	0.0320 lb/in ³	ASTM D792
Melt Index of Compound	30 g/10 min @Load 2.16 kg, Temperature 190 °C	30 g/10 min @Load 4.76 lb, Temperature 374 °F	ASTM D1238

Mechanical Properties	Metric	English	Comments
Hardness, Shore A	85	85	ASTM D2240
Tensile Strength, Ultimate	6.40 MPa	928 psi	508 mm/min; ASTM D638
Tensile Strength, Yield	3.80 MPa	551 psi	508 mm/min; ASTM D638
Elongation at Break	950 %	950 %	508 mm/min; ASTM D638
2% Secant Modulus	0.0258 GPa	3.74 ksi	ASTM D790

Thermal Properties	Metric	English	Comments
Melting Point	78.0 °C	172 °F	DSC, 10°C/min; DuPont Test
Vicat Softening Point	46.0 °C	115 °F	ASTM D1525

Descriptive Properties	Value	Comments
Comonomer Content	31 wt%	Dow Method (¹³C NMR/FTIR)

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