46GP003

POLYETHYLENE RESIN

FOR PIPE EXTRUSION

Relene 46GP003 (PE:100) is a natural coloured grade for pipe extrusion.

It possesses bimodal molecular weight distribution which improves processability. This grade meets the requirements of material as per clause 5.2 of IS 4984:2016 for 'Polyethytene pipes for Water Supply - Specification'. When incorporated with adequate quantity of carbon black masterbatch as specified in clause 5.3 of IS: 4984: 2016, pipes made with this grade confirms to all specifications as per IS 4984- 2016.

Pipe made from Relene 46GP003 grade passes the Internal Pressure Creep Rupture Test when tested with 5.4 MPa induced stress at 80°C for 165 hrs and with 5.7 MPa induced stress at 80°C for 48 hrs as per clause 8.1 of IS 4984:2016, thereby meeting the requirement of PE:100 grade.

This grade conforms to ISO 4427 specifications shown below and has been certified for MRS > 10 MPa as per ISO 9080.

BIS Designation Code: IS 7328-3B-PB-ETA

Typical Characteristics

Property	Test Method	Unit	Typical Value*
Hydrostatic Pressure Test	ISO 1167	Hrs	
12.4 MPa @ 20°C			>100
5.4 MPa @ 80°C			>165
5.0 MPa @ 80°C			>1000
MRS	ISO 9080	MPa	>10.0
SCG	ISO 13479	Hrs	>500
Melt Flow Index (190°C/ 5.0 kg)	ASTM D1238	g/10 min	0.30
Density (23°C)	ASTM D792	g/cm^3	0.948
Thermal Stability (O.I.T.) 200°C	ASTM D3895	Min	>30
Tensile Stress at Yield	ASTM D638B	MPa	28
Elongation at Break	ASTM D638B	%	>600

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Flexural Modulus	ASTM D790	MPa	850
Notched Izod Impact Strength	ASTM D256	J/m	No Break
ESCR @ 10% Igepal Soln (F_{50})	ASTM D1693B	hrs	>1000

* Typical values, not to be taken as specification. All the mechanical properties are done on compression moulded specimen in accordance with ASTM D4976

Typical Processing Conditions

Typical Process Temperature: 180 – 220 ^{O}C

Note: Processing parameters mentioned above are for reference only and not to be considered as specifications. They may vary based on the product to be manufactured.

Applications

PE100 Pressure Pipes, Sheets.

Regulatory Information

The product complies with Indian Standard IS 10146 on “Specification for Polyethylene for safe use in contact with foodstuffs, pharmaceuticals, and drinking water.” It also conforms to IS 16738:2018 on “Positive list of constituents for polypropylene, polyethylene and their copolymers for its safe use in contact with foodstuffs and pharmaceuticals.”

The grade and the additives incorporated in it also comply with the FDA:CFR Title 21,177.1520, Olefin polymers.

The level of antioxidant in 46GP003 is not more than 0.3% by mass of the resin.
Not to be used in the manufacture of Single Use Plastic (SUP) items prohibited under PWM Rules, 2016.

Storage Recommendations

Bags should be stored in dry / closed conditions at temperatures below 50°C and protected from UV / direct sunlight

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