Technical Data Sheet

Product Name
SCGC™ LLDPE COMPOUND

Product Type
Black LLDPE Compound for Cable Jacketing

Product Grade
L546WC

Product Description

SCGC™ LLDPE L546WC is a black linear low density polyethylene compound for jacketing in communication cable applications. It contains well-dispersed carbon black to provide excellent weathering resistance and UV resistance.

Typical Application

- Jacketing of telecommunication cable
- Jacketing of fiber optic cable
- Jacketing of power cable

Product Characteristics

- Good surface appearance
- Good mechanical properties
- High extrusion speed

International Compliance

- IEC 60502 (ST3, ST7), IEC 60840 (ST3, ST7)*

*Cable jacketed with SCGC LLDPE L546WC using sound commercial extrusion practices and testing procedures, should meet the following cable specification.

Physical Properties

Properties	Test Method	Typical Value	Unit
Melt Flow Rate at 190 °C and 2.16 kg	ASTM D 1238	1.12	g/10 min
Density (Base resin)	ASTM D 1505	0.933	g/cm³
Density (Compound)	ASTM D 1505	0.943	g/cm³
Tensile Strength at Break (50 mm/min)	ASTM D 638	29	MPa
Elongation at Break (50 mm/min)	ASTM D 638	> 800	%
Flexural Modulus	ASTM D 790	600	kg/cm²
Hardness (Shore D)	ASTM D 2240	58	-
ESCR @ 50 °C	ASTM D 1693	> 5,000	hrs, F0, 10% Igepal
Carbon black content	ASTM D 4218	2.5	%wt
Oxidative induction time at 200°C	ASTM D 3895	> 90	min

Note: ● The given values are typical value measured on the product. Values herein are not to be constructed as a product specification.

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Processing Guidelines

For extrusion of SCGC LLDPE L546WC, it is recommended to use with the screw giving good homogenization without excessive shear. Standard PE screws have proven satisfactorily which provide good result.

SCGC LDPE L546WC is recommended to have proper drying before using in order to acquire good product performance.

Recommended melt temperature is 190-230 °C.

If preheating and/or drying is used, the suitable condition is 80-95 °C for 1-2 hours.

Product Technical Assistance

For technical assistance or further information on this product or any other SCG Chemicals' products, contact your SCG Chemicals technical services at the address as specified below.

Product Available Form

- Black pellet

Product Packaging

- 750 kg big bag

Storage

- Store in original container in tidy according to the manual of Handling and Storage from Thai Polyethylene Co., Ltd.
- Product(s) should be stored in dry and dust free location at temperature below 50 °C and protected from direct sunlight and/or heat, well-ventilated area, away from incompatible materials and food and drink, as this may lead to quality deterioration, which results in odour generation and colour changes and can have negative effects on the physical properties of this product.
- Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Do not store in unlabelled containers. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination.
- The storage area should be stable and not be slopped.

Safety

- The product is not classified as a hazardous material.
- Please see our Material Safety Data Sheet for details on various aspects of safety, recovery, and disposal of the products; for more information, contact your SCG Chemicals technical services.

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Recycling

- The product is suitable for recycling using modern methods of shredding and cleaning. In-house production waste should be kept clean to facilitate direct recycling.
- Please see our Material Safety Datasheet for details on various aspects of safety, recovery and disposal of the products; for more information, contact your SCG Chemicals technical services.

Related Documents

- The latest version of this document will be available at our website, www.scgchemicals.com, or can be obtained from the SCG Chemicals technical services.
- The following related documents are available on request, and represent various aspects on the usability, safety, recovery and disposal of the product.
  - Safety Data Sheet
  - Declaration of Compliance

Disclaimer

- The Applications specified herein is for reference only.
- It is customer's responsibilities to inspect and test the product for suitability of the customer's own use and purpose. The customer is responsible for appropriate, safe, legal use, processing and handling of the product.
- To the best of our knowledge, the information contained herein is accurate and reliable as of the date of publication. We however do not assume any liability whatsoever for the accuracy and completeness of the information contained herein.
- We make no warranties which extend beyond the description herein. Nothing herein shall constitute any implied warranty of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose.
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