

Product Terratek® BD3003 Blown Film

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Product Description Proprietary blend of natural and synthetic biodegradable polyesters suitable for blown and cast film. Most comparable to Linear Low Density Polyethylene (LLDPE), it has high puncture resistance and tear strength; low modulus, resulting in a soft flexible film; and is heat sealable.

| Renewable Content | |
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| Biobased content (ASTM D6866) | 30% |
| Biomass content (by weight) | 30% |

| Property | Test Method | Value |
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| Film Thickness (Average) | | 2 mil |
| Specific Gravity | ASTM D792 | 1.31 |
| Melt Index (190°C / 2.16 kg) | ASTM D1238 | 3.0 g/10 min |
| Tensile Strength MD (at Max) | ASTM D882 | 3,159 psi |
| Tensile Strength TD (at Max) | ASTM D882 | 3,196 psi |
| Elongation MD (at Max) | ASTM D882 | 701% |
| Elongation TD (at Max) | ASTM D882 | 649% |
| Dart Drop (f-50) | ASTM D1709, A | 937 gf |
| OTR (23°C / 0% RH) | ASTM D3985 | 73.0 cc/ (100 in ² -day atm) |
| WVTR (37.8°C / 90% RH) | ASTM F1249 | 48.5 g/ (100 in ² -day atm) |
| Elmendorf Tear- MD (pendulum 800g) | ASTM D1922 | 433 g |
| Elmendorf Tear- TD (pendulum 800g) | ASTM D1922 | 405 g |

Drying Conditions

Moisture level: at or below 0.04% (400 ppm)
 Method: Karl Fischer; if using a loss in weight analyzer, contact Green Dot for more information.
 Drying conditions: Desiccant dryer 140°F for 2 to 4 hours or until the recommended moisture level is reached

ATTENTION: Moisture in Terratek® BD resins may result in hydrolysis which can cause brittleness, loss in strength, and reduction in melt strength, in addition to potentially impacting

Packaging and Storing

This resin is typically packaged in a sealed plastic or foil lined box, drum, or gaylord. The product should be stored in a cool, dry, and sanitary area to achieve maximum stability.

Extrusion and Molding Recommendations

Terratek® resins can be processed on conventional extrusion equipment. Follow standard purging process with a polyolefin or purge compound, such as Dyna-Purge, etc. Melt temperature of the resin should remain below 400°F.

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| Feed Zone | 280°F to 320°F |
| Middle Zones | 320°F to 360°F |
| Front Zones | 320°F to 360°F |
| Die Zone | 320°F to 360°F |
| Mold | 80°F to 120°F |
| Chill Rolls | 40°F to 80°F |



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