## **M32P430**

## **Technical Data-Sheet**

### **Product Technical Information**

Ethylene-MethAcrylic-Acid-Copolymer (EMAA) for extrusion coating.

### Benefits & Features

**M32P430** is an additive free ethylene-methacrylic-acid-copolymer (EMAA) with 12% MAA content. Its special polymer structure gives the following properties:

- Improved adhesion properties to polar substrates such as aluminium foil and metallised film and improved adhesion resistance to demanding filling goods
- Excellent processability in mono- and coextrusion at low coating weights and/or high line speeds
- Exhibits very good sealing properties enhanced by the presence of the comonomer

### **Applications**

M32P430 is a specialty extrusion coating resin with improved adhesion characteristics. Main application fields include aluminium foil and metallized film coating both for industrial use, food and flexible packaging.

We recommend that you consult your INEOS technical representative for further advice on the use of M32P430.

Properties	Conditions	Test Methods	Values	Units
Rheological				
Melt Flow Rate	190°C/2.16Kg	ISO 1133-1	10	g/10 min
Co-monomer				
Methacrylic Acid Content		INEOS Test Method	12	%
Mechanical*				
Shore hardness D		ISO 868	49	-
Tensile Modulus	23 °C, 1 mm/min	ISO 527-2	152	MPa
Tensile strength at Break	23 °C, 50 mm/min	ISO 527-2	13.3	MPa
Tensile strain at Break	23 °C, 50 mm/min	ISO 527-2	491	%
Flexural Modulus		ISO 178	153	MPa
Izod Impact Strength		ISO 180	59	$kJ/m^2$
Thermal				
DSC Melting Temperature	10 °C/min	ISO 11357-3	98	°C
Data should not be used for specification work				

<sup>\*</sup> Measurements made on compression moulded plaques

## Processing guidelines

M32P430 can be processed on commercial extrusion coating equipment over the melt temperature range from 260 to 290°C. Low coating weights can be obtained at extrusion rates normally used for common substrates. Identical extrusion and processing parameters should be used as for conventional LDPE of identical MFR. When extruding M32P430, precautions should be taken to prevent equipment corrosion.

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The extrusion equipment has to be designed for acid copolymers to avoid corrosion. The resin should not be left standing in the extruder for extended periods. After extrusion of **M32P430** the extruder should be purged with LDPE.

## Storage

The product should be stored in a dry and dust free environment at temperature below 50°C. Exposure to direct sunlight should be avoided as this may lead to product deterioration. It is advised to process the product within maximum one year after delivery.

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