



# TRUCOAT® MC3033

Extrusion Coating Polyethylene

## Applications

- Photographic paper
- Release paper
- Spiral-wound can linings
- Grease barrier

## Product Description

TRUCOAT® MC3033 is a high density polyethylene designed for extrusion coating and lamination applications. Compared to low density polyethylene, it provides improved barrier properties, temperature resistance, stress crack and scuff resistance, gloss, and coefficient of friction (COF).

## Typical Physical Properties

| Property <sup>a</sup>                   | Test Method <sup>b</sup> | Typical Value, Units <sup>c</sup>                |
|-----------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| Melt Index                              | D 1238                   | 10.0 g/10 min                                    |
| Density                                 | D 4883                   | 946 kg/m <sup>3</sup> (0.946 g/cm <sup>3</sup> ) |
| Peak Melting Point by DSC               | D 3418                   | 130°C (266°F)                                    |
| Vicat Softening Point                   | D 1525                   | 115°C (239°F)                                    |
| Brittleness Temperature                 | D 746                    | < -73°C (< -99°F)                                |
| Ultimate Tensile 500 mm/min (20 in/min) | D 638 Type IV Specimen   | 3,200 psi                                        |
| Elongation 500 mm/min (20 in/min)       | D 638 Type IV Specimen   | 10%                                              |
| Flexural Modulus 1% Secant              | D 790                    | 115,000 psi                                      |

<sup>a</sup> Unless noted otherwise, all tests are run at 23°C (73°F) and 50% relative humidity.

<sup>b</sup> Unless noted otherwise, the test method is ASTM.

<sup>c</sup> Units are in SI or US customary units.

## Notes

Where required, test specimens are compression molded according to ASTM D 1928.

## Processing

Extrusion coating melt temperatures not to exceed 625°F are recommended for TRUCOAT® MC3033.

## Regulatory Compliance

This product has some 21 CFR clearances. Please contact your Westlake Sales Representative for food contact statements.

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