

# Formolene® HL5010

# Extra High Molecular Weight Hexene Copolymer

Formolene® HL5010 has good melt strength, excellent stress crack resistance, good rigidity, and excellent impact strength even at low temperatures. These properties make Formolene® HL5010 an excellent resin for large part blow molding applications.

Formolene® HL5010 meets the requirements of the U.S. Food and Drug Administration as specified in 21 CFR 177.1520 for food packaging, covering safe use of polyolefin articles intended for direct food contact.

#### **Suggested Applications:**

Blow Molded...

Extruded...

55-Gallon Shipping Containers

**Pallets** 

Gasoline Tanks

Large Formed Parts

Agricultural Chemical Tanks

Corrugated Pipes (Certified to AASHTO M294)

Conduit Pipes (Meets ASTM F2160)

#### **Nominal Physical Properties:**

	ASTM				
	TEST	ENGLISH		SI	
PROPERTY*	METHOD	Unit	Value	Unit	Value
Density	D1505	g/cc	0.949	g/cc	0.949
HLMI, Condition F, 190°C/21.60 kg	D1238	g/10 min.	10.0	g/10 min.	10.0
Environmental Stress Crack					
Resistance (ESCR)					
Condition B, (100% Igepal), F <sub>50</sub>	D1693	h	>600	h	>600
Tensile Yield Strength,	D638				
2" (50 mm) per min.	Type IV	psi.	3600	MPa	25
Ultimate Elongation	D638				
2" (50 mm) per min.	Type IV	%	>600	%	>600
Brittleness Temperature	D746	°F	<-131 F	°C	<-91
Flexural Modulus	D790	psi.	170,000	MPa	1172

<sup>\*</sup> Physical properties reported herein were determined on compression molded specimens prepared in accordance with Procedure C of ASTM D1928.

The nominal properties reported herein are typical of the product but do not reflect normal testing variance and therefore should not be used for specification purposes.

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# 50100

Polyethylene Product

# **Product Description**

**50100** is a polyethylene product suitable for blow molding. This material is polymerized with a chromium catalyst and it is designed for large blow molded parts that require melt strength, rigidity, ESCR. It is used for Shipping containers, Jerricans, Agricultural chemical tanks.

# **Product Characteristic**

**Test Method Used** 

**ASTM** 

**Features** 

Melt strength

Rigidity

**Typical Customer Applications** 

Jerrican

Containers

# **Typical Properties**

Physical		Test Method	Unit	Value
	Melt Flow Rate (21.6 kg @190°C)	ASTM D1238	g/10min	9.75
	Density	ASTM D1505	g/cm³	0.948
Mechanical		Test Method	Unit	Value
	Tensile strength @ Yield	ASTM D638	MPa	25
	Tensile Elongation @ 23°C	ASTM D638	%	600
	Flexural Modulus(13mm/min)	ASTM D790	MPa	1200
	ESCR (Condition B, 100% Igepal, F50)	ASTM D1693	hr	1000
	Brittleness Temperature	ASTM D746	°C	<-75
	Shore D	ASTM D2240	-	68
Thermal		Test Method	Unit	Value
	Vicat	ASTM D1525	°C	126

Notes: Results may vary depending on environmental conditions and /or devices.

## **Processing Recommendation**

The actual conditions depends on the type of equipment used.

### **Blow Molding**

50100 is easy to process with standard Blow molding machines. Following molding parameters should be used as guidelines:

Blow Molding Temperature

190 − 230 °C

Extrusion Melt Temperature

190 − 230 °C

### Storage

This material should be stored in dry conditions, protected from sunlight and at temperatures below 50 °C.

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