

Alathon® ETP H5642

High Density Polyethylene
LyondellBasell Industries

Technical Data

Product Description

ALATHON H5642 is a multi-purpose, narrow molecular weight distribution high-flow resin featuring enhanced processing and thermal stability for fast cycling. This resin exhibits good color and organoleptic properties. Typical applications are caps and closures.

General

Material Status	• Commercial: Active		
Literature ¹	• Processing - Mold Shrink (English) • Processing - Polyolefin Injection Molding Guide (English) • Processing - Start-Up Guide (English) • Technical Datasheet (English)		
Search for UL Yellow Card	• LyondellBasell Industries • Alathon® ETP		
Availability	• Asia Pacific • Europe	• North America • South America	
Features	• Fast Molding Cycle • Food Contact Acceptable • Good Organoleptic Properties	• Good Processability • Good Thermal Stability • High Flow	• Narrow Molecular Weight Distribution
Uses	• Caps	• Closures	
Agency Ratings	• FDA 21 CFR 177.1520		
Processing Method	• Injection Molding		

Physical	Nominal Value Unit	Test Method
Density	0.956 g/cm ³	ASTM D1505
Apparent Density	0.59 to 0.62 g/cm ³	ASTM D1895
Melt Mass-Flow Rate (MFR) (190°C/2.16 kg)	42 g/10 min	ASTM D1238
Spiral Flow ^{3, 4}	42.4 cm	Internal Method

Mechanical	Nominal Value Unit	Test Method
Tensile Modulus -- ⁵	931 MPa	ASTM D638
1% Secant ⁶	862 MPa	
Tensile Strength ⁷ (Break)	27.8 MPa	ASTM D638
Tensile Elongation ⁷ (Break)	6.3 %	ASTM D638
Flexural Modulus ⁵ --	1370 MPa	ASTM D790
1% Secant	1230 MPa	
2% Secant	1050 MPa	

Impact	Nominal Value Unit	Test Method
Notched Izod Impact (23°C)	30 J/m	ASTM D256
Unnotched Izod Impact (-18°C)	270 J/m	ASTM D4812

Hardness	Nominal Value Unit	Test Method
Durometer Hardness (Shore D)	70	ASTM D2240

Thermal	Nominal Value Unit	Test Method
Deflection Temperature Under Load 0.45 MPa, Unannealed	73.3 °C	ASTM D648
Vicat Softening Temperature	125 °C	ASTM D1525
Peak Melting Temperature	117 to 129 °C	ASTM D3418

Injection	Nominal Value Unit
Rear Temperature	232 °C
Middle Temperature	243 °C
Front Temperature	246 °C
Nozzle Temperature	246 °C