

Marlex HMN[®] TR-938 / HMN TR-938G

MEDIUM DENSITY POLYETHYLENE

These hexene copolymers are tailored for rotational molding applications that require:

- Wide process window
- Excellent impact strength
- Good flow
- Excellent ESCR

Typical applications for HMN TR-938 and HMN TR-938G include items such as:

- Industrial waste containers and tanks
- Marine equipment
- Industrial tanks

These resins are available in:

- Pellet form - HMN TR-938
- 35 US mesh powder - HMN TR-938G

These resins meet these specifications:

- ASTM D4976 - PE 223
- FDA 21 CFR 177.1520(c) 3.2a, use conditions B through H per 21 CFR 176.170(c) Table 2. Single use articles contacting food types I, II, IV-B, VI-A, VI-B, VII-B, and VIII. Repeated use articles contacting all food types defined in 21 CFR 176.170(c) Table 1.
- UL94HB yellow card per UL file E54700
- UL746C (f1) yellow card per UL file E54700
- FMVSS.302 burn test
- AS/NZS 4020:2005 (contact with drinking water)
- NSF / ANSI Standard 61 for potable water (CLD 23)
- AS/NZS 4766 (polyethylene water and chemical tanks)⁴
- Long term UV stabilization – ASTM 2565 (Cycle 1): Greater than **UV-16**

NOMINAL PHYSICAL PROPERTIES ^{(1) (2)}	English	SI	Method
Density	---	0.939 g/cm ³	ASTM D1505
Melt Index , 190/2.16	---	3.0 g/10 min	ASTM D1238
ESCR , Condition A (100% Igepal), F ₅₀	>1,000 h	>1,000 h	ASTM D1693
ESCR , Condition A (10% Igepal), F ₅₀	200 h	200 h	ASTM D1693
Durometer Hardness , Type D (Shore D)	60	60	ASTM D2240
Vicat Softening Temperature , Loading 1, Rate A	243°F	117°C	ASTM D1525
Brittleness Temperature , Type A, Type I specimen	-103°F	-75°C	ASTM D746
Melting Temperature	263°F	128°C	ASTM D3418
Crystallization Temperature	236°F	113°C	ASTM D3418
ROTATIONAL MOLDED PROPERTIES ^{(1) (3)}	English	SI	Method
Impact Strength , 1/8" (3.2 mm) thickness, -40 C°	70 ft-lb	95 J	ARM Impact
Impact Strength , 1/4" (6.35 mm) thickness, -40 C°	175 ft-lb	237 J	ARM Impact
Tensile Strength at Yield , 2 in/min, Type IV bar	2,500 psi	17 MPa	ASTM D638
Elongation at Break , 2 in/min, Type IV bar	700%	700%	ASTM D638
Flexural Modulus , Tangent - 16:1 span:depth, 0.5 in/min	120,000 psi	820 MPa	ASTM D790
Flexural Modulus , 1% Secant - 16:1 span:depth, 0.5 in/min	95,000 psi	660 MPa	ASTM D790
Heat Deflection Temperature , 66 psi, Method A	144°F	62°C	ASTM D648
Heat Deflection Temperature , 264 psi, Method A	108°F	42°C	ASTM D648

1. 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. Values are rounded.
2. The physical properties were determined on compression-molded specimens that were prepared in accordance with Procedure C of ASTM D4703, Annex A1.
3. Properties were measured on rotational molded samples with 1/8" (3.17 mm) average thickness, unless otherwise noted. The average peak internal air temperature during molding was above 400°F.
4. Australian/NewZealand Standard™ 4766-Polyethylene storage tanks for water and chemicals – certified as base resin via SAI Global: License: PTS20134



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