

Technical Data Sheet Expandable Polystyrene beads – Excell•R® Manufactured in Europe



## **Description**

Excell•R<sup>®</sup> is a light grey colour expandable polystyrene (EPS) product intended for the production of foams with improved thermal insulation properties compared to conventional EPS.

## **Applications**

Excell•R<sup>®</sup> can be processed into foamed insulation boards & shaped articles, with improved thermal insulation properties. Self extinguishing (SE) grades such as EPS XLR 5359SE contain a flame retardant additive for applications such as insulation foamed boards, outdoor wall insulations (ETICS), cavity wall filling & insulated concrete forms (ICF).

## **Properties**

Beads	Standard	Unit	Value
Typical bead diameter		mm	1.25
Bead size diameter distribution (0.9 – 1.6 mm)		%	> 90
Typical bulk density		g/l	625
Blowing agent			
Туре			Pentane
Approximate quantity at time of packaging		%	< 5.6
Typical			
Moisture content		%	< 0.3
Typical beads apparent density obtainable in single pre-foaming		g/l	16-18
Typical beads apparent density obtainable in two step pre-foaming		g/l	10-12
Flammability Class	DIN 4102		B1
	Euroclass		E
	Comportement au feu allumabilité LNE		Conforme

## **Handling**

- Packaging: standard packaging is in cardboard octabins of 1100 kg with inner liner mounted on heat treated pallets.
- ✓ Shipping Classification: ADR UN2211 Class 9.
- ✓ Storage: product should be stored in a ventilated area isolated from source of direct heat, with no direct exposure to weather. Octabins should be kept sealed prior to use; product should be processed within three months.
- ✓ End product: finished articles should be kept in ventilated cool area, and packaged maintaining air flow, without direct exposure to sunlight. The use of non-transparent packaging is recommended.

