



Monprene® CP-49146 (PRELIMINARY DATA)

Teknor Apex Company - Thermoplastic Elastomer

General Information

Product Description

Monprene CP-49146 is a high performance clear thermoplastic elastomer designed for a variety of consumer product applications requiring a soft, rubber-like feel. Monprene CP-49146 is a medium hardness, low density, lubricated, non-filled grade that exhibits excellent adhesion to PP and is suited for blow molding, injection molding, and extrusion.

General

Material Status	• Preliminary Data		
Availability	• Africa & Middle East • Asia Pacific	• Europe • Latin America	• North America
Features	• Chemical Resistant • Good Adhesion • Good Toughness • Low Density	• Low Specific Gravity • Lubricated • Medium Flow • Medium Hardness	• Slip • Without Fillers
Uses	• Blow Molding Applications • Consumer Applications • Film • Gaskets	• Handles • Overmolding • Rubber Replacement • Soft Touch Applications	• Sporting Goods • Tubing
RoHS Compliance	• RoHS Compliant		
Appearance	• Clear/Transparent	• Natural Color	
Forms	• Pellets		
Processing Method	• Blow Molding	• Extrusion	• Injection Molding

ASTM & ISO Properties ¹

Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Density / Specific Gravity	0.880		ASTM D792
Melt Mass-Flow Rate (MFR) (190°C/2.16 kg)	4.0	g/10 min	ASTM D1238
Elastomers	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Tensile Strength (Break)	1300	psi	ASTM D412
Tensile Elongation (Break)	700	%	ASTM D412
Hardness	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Durometer Hardness			ASTM D2240
Shore A, 1 sec, Injection Molded	48		
Shore A, 5 sec, Injection Molded	46		

Processing Information

Injection	Nominal Value	Unit
Rear Temperature	360 to 450	°F
Middle Temperature	370 to 460	°F
Front Temperature	380 to 470	°F
Nozzle Temperature	390 to 480	°F

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Injection	Nominal Value	Unit
Processing (Melt) Temp	390 to 480	°F
Mold Temperature	95 to 120	°F
Injection Pressure	200 to 800	psi
Injection Rate	Fast	
Back Pressure	25.0 to 100	psi
Screw Speed	50 to 100	rpm
Cushion	0.150 to 1.00	in

Injection Notes

Drying is not necessary. However, if moisture is a problem, dry the pellets for 2 to 4 hours at 150°F (65°C).

Extrusion	Nominal Value	Unit
Cylinder Zone 1 Temp.	360 to 450	°F
Cylinder Zone 2 Temp.	370 to 460	°F
Cylinder Zone 3 Temp.	380 to 470	°F
Cylinder Zone 4 Temp.	390 to 480	°F
Cylinder Zone 5 Temp.	390 to 480	°F
Die Temperature	390 to 480	°F

Extrusion Notes

Screw Speed: 30 to 100 rpm

Notes

¹ Typical properties: these are not to be construed as specifications.