

Dow Packaging & Speciality Plastics Product Data Sheet

ELVALOY™ AC 34035

Acrylate Copolymer

Description					
Product Description	ELVALOY™ AC 34035 is a copolymer of ethylene and butyl acrylate. It is available in pellet form for use in conventional extrusion equipment designed to process polyethylene type resins.				
Restrictions					
Material Status	Commercial: Active				
Typical Characteristics					
Composition	35% By Weight Butyl Acrylate comonomer content				
Features	Contains Slip additive.				
Typical Properties					
Physical	Nominal Values		Test Method(s)		
*Density ()	0.93 g/cm³	ASTM D792	ISO 1183		
*Melt Flow Rate (190°C/2.16kg)	40 g/10 min	ASTM D1238	ISO 1133		
Thermal	Nominal Values		Test Method(s)		
*Melting Point (DSC)	90°C (194°F)	ASTM D3418	ISO 3146		

Proces	sing	Info	ormat	tion

*Maximum Processing Temperature 310 °C (590 °F)

General Processing Information

ELVALOY™ AC 34035 is normally processed at melt temperatures ranging from 160°C - 235°C (320°F - 455°F) in extrusion coating or cast film equipment. A typical extrusion coating extruder temperature profile is given below. Actual processing temperatures will be determined by either the specific equipment or one of the other polymers in a coextrusion. ELVALOY™ AC 34035 can also be used in cast extrusions and coextrusions. It is easily processed on standard equipment used for low density polyethylene.

Extrusion Coating/Lamination

Processing

Nominal Values

Processing Information

A suggested extruder set temperature profile.

 Feed Zone
 135 °C (275 °F)

 Second Zone
 160 °C (320 °F)

 Third Zone
 185 °C (365 °F)

 Fourth Zone
 210 °C (410 °F)

 Fifth Zone
 210 °C (410 °F)

 Adapter Zone
 210 °C (410 °F)

 Die Zone
 210 °C (410 °F)

FDA Status Information

ELVALOY™ AC 34035 Acrylate Copolymer Resin complies with Food and Drug Administration Regulation 21 CFR 175.105 - - Adhesives. This Regulation describes adhesives that may be used as components of articles intended for use in packaging, transporting, or holding food, subject to the limitations and requirements therein.

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