

# Technical data sheet (Recycle PET - Pellets)

# Recycle Co-polyester Polyethylene Terephthalate

# Description

Recycle polyethylene terephthalate (PET) co-polyester is a high-strength, and highly translucent 100% recycle material with light blue colour.

It is suitable to produce food packaging in accordance with the criteria of Regulation (EU) No. 10/2011 and compatible with EN 1343 models.

#### **Material Properties**

Density	1.38 g/cm <sup>3</sup> ASTM D792
Chemical Name	Polyethylene terephthalate

**Mechanical Properties** 

Intrinsic viscosity	0.8 ± 0.02 dl/g	IT.05.01 (ASTM D1238)
Bulk density	850 ± 50 g/l	IT.05.02
Weight of 100 granules	1.85 ± 0.15 g	IT.05.03
Acetaldehyde	< 1 ppm	IT.05.06 (ASTM D4509- 96)
Benzene	< 0.1 ppm	IT.05.06



#### Drying

The materials aren't pre-dry.

Drying conditions:

Temperature	60°C - 65°C
Time	Min. 4 hours – Max. 10 hours
Air Flow	>0.065 m <sup>3</sup> /min per kg/h
Dew point	< -30°C; -40°C is better for good drying
Residual Moisture Contents	< 0.05% (500ppm)

## Storage & Handling

During storage, the product may acquire humidity if exposed to fresh air. The humidity it absorbs depends on the temperature, humidity, and time of exposure. Therefore, it should be store in its packaging in a cool place and keep at temperatures below 50°C. No special restrictions on storage with other products.

### Security

This product is not classified as dangerous according to the CE Regulation No 1272/2008, and therefore is not subject to special transport regulations. This product does not melt at room temperature.

Suitable for food contact	Yes (EU) 10/2011
Suitable for Toys	Yes
Suitable for packaging	Yes

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