

## Low Density Polyethylene

### DESCRIPTION

Lotrène® FE8000 is an additive free grade, produced by a high pressure tubular process, mainly recommended for light and medium duty film applications with good optical properties and medium rigidity.

### PROPERTIES

Films produced with Lotrène® FE8000 are sufficiently rigid for automatic packaging machines, suitable for shrink wrapping and have good optical properties.

POLYMER PROPERTIES	VALUE	UNIT	TEST METHOD
Melt Flow Index	0.80	g/10 min.	ASTM D-1238
Density @ 23 °C	0.923	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	ASTM D-792
Crystalline Melting Point	111	°C	ASTM E-794
Vicat Softening Point	97	°C	ASTM D-1525

FILM PROPERTIES	VALUE	UNIT	TEST METHOD
Tensile Strength @ Yield MD/ TD	12/12	MPa	ASTM D-882
Tensile Strength @ Break MD/ TD	34/27	MPa	ASTM D-882
Elongation @ Break MD/ TD	410/615	%	ASTM D-882
Impact Strength, F 50	115	g	ASTM D-1709
Tear resistance MD/ TD	70/40	N/mm	ASTM D- 1922
Puncture Force	51	N	Internal Method
Coefficient of Friction	0.9	-	ASTM D-1894
Haze	7	%	ASTM D-1003
Gloss (@ 45 °)	61	-	ASTM D-2457

(Film properties stated above have been obtained using 40 µm blown films laboratory test specimens produced under following conditions: 45 mm screw with L/D = 30, die diameter 120 mm, die gap 1.56 mm, BUR 2.5:1).

### APPLICATIONS

- Shrink wrap film for light and medium duties
- Shopping bags
- Lamination film

## HANDLING & STORAGE

Polyethylene products should be stored in their original packaging or in clean appropriate silos. The products should be stored in a dry and well-ventilated area and should not be exposed to direct sunlight and/or heat in any form since this may adversely affect their properties. As a general rule, our products should not be stored for more than three months from receipt date.

## SAFETY

Under normal conditions Lotrène® products do not present a toxic hazard through skin contact or inhalation. For detailed information please refer to the Safety Data Sheet.

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## NOT SUITABLE FOR PHARMACEUTICAL OR MEDICAL APPLICATIONS

Lotrène® products are not suitable for pharmaceutical or medical applications.

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