

# PRODUCT DATA SHEET POLYETHYLENE ANTEO™ FK1516

BORSTAR® BIMODAL TERPOLYMER LLDPE FOR HIGH PERFORMANCE FLEXIBLE PACKAGING

## DESCRIPTION

Anteo<sup>™</sup> FK1516 is produced using the proprietary Borstar® bimodal terpolymer technology combining outstanding sealing performance with superior dart drop impact, easy processability, good optics and better stiffness/ toughness balance. Film made with Anteo<sup>™</sup> FK1516 exhibits unique combination of higher dart drop impact, with better stiffness/ toughness balance, low seal initiation temperature (SIT), high hot tack force and excellent puncture and tear properties. With excellent dart drop impact, film made from Anteo<sup>™</sup> FK1516 is durable and suitable for heavy duty use. Anteo<sup>™</sup> FK1516 used in combination with Borstar® PE / BorShape<sup>™</sup> PE / LDPE / PP products offer best in class high performance transparent flexible packaging solution with potential for down gauging. Anteo<sup>™</sup> FK1516 contains Slip, Antiblock, Antioxidant and Processing Aid (PPA).

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## **APPLICATIONS**

Heavy duty shipping sacks (HDSS) Lamination Stand up Pouches Food Packaging Multilayer Packaging Film Stretch Cling Film

Stretch Hood Frozen Food Packaging Form Fill Seal (FFS) Transparent Film Impact modifier

## **KEY FEATURES**

Easy process ability Excellent Mechanical Strength Excellent Low Temperature Performance Superior Puncture Resistance Excellent Organoleptic Properties Balanced Tear Strength Good Optics Outstanding Seal Performance (low SIT, High Hot Tack Force and wide sealing Window)

## **PHYSICAL PROPERTIES**

Property Density Melt Flow Rate (190°C/2.16kg) Melting Temperature Vicat Softening Point **Typical Value\*** 915 kg/m3 1.0 g/10min 120 °C 100 °C Test Method ASTM D 792 ASTM D1238 ISO 11357/03 ASTM D 1525

\* Typical properties and data should not be used for specification work

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## FILM PROPERTIES

Anteo<sup>™</sup> FK1516 film properties are measured on 40 micron blown film produced on a lab scale extruder with processing conditions: BUR = 2.5:1, FLH = 3 DD, Die gap =1.8mm

Property	Typical Value*	Test Method
Tensile Modulus (1 % Secant) (MD/TD)	170/176 MPa	ASTM D 882
Elmendorf tear strength (MD/TD)	4.7/6.3 N	ISO6383-2
Dart Drop	>1300 g	ASTM D 1709/A
Haze**	6%	ASTM1003
Gloss (20°) **	50	ASTM D 2457
Puncture Resistance, force	44 N	ASTM D 5748
Puncture Resistance, energy	3.0 J	ASTM D 5748

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\*\* Blend with 10% LDPE.

# PROCESSING CONDITIONS

Anteo<sup>™</sup> FK1516 can be processed in most types of blown film equipment such as LDPE, LLDPE or HDPE extruders. Anteo<sup>™</sup> FK1516 is well suited for co-extrusion in combination with Borstar® PE/ BorShape<sup>™</sup> PE / LDPE / PP products.

Recommended extrusion temperature is 180 - 210°C. Die gap of 1.4 - 2.2 mm will give the best balance between extruder pressure and physical properties in the film. **Anteo™ FK1516** enables energy saving by processing at lower temperature and motor load with excellent bubble stability.

To boost optical properties of film made with **Anteo™FK1516**, it is recommended to blend with minimum 5% LDPE.

# FOOD CONTACT REGULATIONS

Anteo™FK1516 fulfils the food contact regulations in most countries. If required, contact your Borouge representative for a certificate.

## STORAGE

This product should be stored in dry conditions at temperatures below 50°C and protected from UV light. Improper storage can initiate degradation, which results in odour generation and colour changes and can have negative effects on physical properties of this product.

More information on storage can be found on the Safety Information Sheet (SIS) for this product.

## SAFETY

The product is not classified as a hazardous mixture.

Dust and fines from the product carry a risk of dust explosion. All equipment should be properly earthed. Inhalation of dust should be avoided as it may cause irritation of the respiratory system. Small amounts of fumes are generated during processing of the product. Proper ventilation is therefore required.

Please see our Safety Information Sheet (SIS) for details on various aspects of safety, recovery, and disposal of the product, for more information contact your Borouge representative.

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## RECYCLING

The product is suitable for recycling using modern methods of shredding and cleaning. In-house production waste should be kept clean to facilitate direct recycling.

## **RELATED DOCUMENTS**

The following related documents are available on request, and represent various aspects on the usability, safety, recovery and disposal of the product.

Safety Information Sheet Statement on chemicals, regulations and standards Statement on compliance to regulations for drinking water pipes

## **STANDARDS**

Borouge is certified to various ISO standards, please refer to Borouge.com for more information.

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