

Technical Information

INOLUB™ P501F is a free flowing fluoropolymer based powder designed primarily to be incorporated in very low concentrations as a film extrusion processing aid – primarily in LLDPE, mLLDPE and other polyolefins. It is targeted especially at today’s modern polyolefin resins, enabling molecular architectures that can meet the ever increasing demands of film performance but without compromising their extrusion capabilities.

Product Features

- Melt fracture (“shark skin”) elimination for high clarity and gloss
- No effect on printability or mechanical strength
- Die build up reduction
- Lubricates die, enabling lower process pressure and temperature
- Cost savings through improved output and energy reduction
- Typical effective concentration can be as low as 100ppm
- May be used in higher temperature processes (e.g. cast film extrusion)

Typical Properties

Properties	Value
Appearance	White free flowing powder
Active component	90 %
Anti-caking Agent	10 %
Bulk Density	900 g/l

Note-These are typical properties and not to be used for specification purposes

Practical considerations

Due to its low end use concentration INOLUB™ P501F is recommended to be added in the following ways:

- Polymer manufacture: Direct addition typically in a “one pack” additive blend during pelletisation.
- Masterbatch: Content typically 1.0 – 5% INOLUB™ P501F. Conveniently dosed to achieve the desired level either in polymer compounding/manufacture or directly in the film extrusion process. See INOLUB™ PPA “Masterbatch Compounding Guide”.

Food Contact Statement

INOLUB™ P501F may be used as a processing aid under 21 C.F.R. 177.1520 in the extrusion of polyolefins for use as articles or components of articles intended for use in contact with food, subject to the provisions in this regulation including use at levels not exceeding 0.2% of INOLUB™ P501F and use of the finished article only under the conditions described in 21 C.F.R. 176.170(c), Table 2 under conditions of use B through H.

INOLUB™ P501F may be used as a processing aid under 21 C.F.R. 177.1350 in the extrusion of ethylene-vinyl acetate copolymers for use as articles or components of articles intended for use in producing, manufacturing, packing, processing, preparing, treating, packaging, transporting, or holding food, subject to the provisions in this regulation including use at levels not exceeding 0.2% of INOLUB™ P501F.

Storage

INOLUB™ P501F may be stored indefinitely, provided that the packaging remains unopened and that it has been stored in a clean and dry area at temperatures below 27°C (80°F).

Safety and Handling

Although INOLUB™ P501F presents no safety hazard under normal handling conditions, please refer to the Material Safety Data Sheet to avoid potential hazards prior to processing.

Packaging

INOLUB™ P501F is available in 25 Kg PE sacks within a corrugated box.

Disclaimer

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Note warning

Do not use any of INOLUB™ fluoropolymer additives in medical devices that are designed for permanent implantation in the human body. For other medical uses, prior permission of GFL may be sought.

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