

## **Technical Data Sheet**

Type: ESTANE<sup>®</sup> 58309 is a 85A Polyether-Type Thermoplastic Polyurethane (TPU).

Features: Good Physical Properties and Reduced Surface Tack.

Uses: Flat Die/Cast Film and Blown Film Extrusion, Injection Molding.

Physical Properties	Value (Metric)	Unit	Test Method
Hardness (5 sec)	85 +/- 3	Shore A	ASTM D-2240
Specific Gravity	1.13		ASTM D-792
Tensile Strength	6500 (44.8)	psi (MPa)	ASTM D-412
Ultimate Elongation	570	%	"
Tensile Stress at:			
- 100% Elongation	900 (6.2)	psi (MPa)	ASTM D-412
- 300% Elongation	1600 (11.0)	psi (MPa)	"
Tear Strength:			
- Graves	450 (8.1)	lb/in	ASTM D-624 (die C)
- Trouser	130 (2.3)	lb/in	ASTM D-470
Taber Loss (1000 rev)	0.007 (21)	oz (mg)	ASTM D-3389 (H18, 1000g)
T <sub>m</sub> (by DSC)	275 (135)	°F (°C)	Lubrizol Advanced Materials
T <sub>g</sub> (by DSC)	-51 (-46)	°F (°C)	Lubrizol Advanced Materials

• Prior to testing samples were conditioned at 23°C for 48 hours.

• Based on extruded sheet (30 mils).

• Listed values are "typical (average) values" and should/cannot be applied for specification purposes.

# Supply Form and Standard Packaging

• ESTANE® 58309 TPU is supplied in pellet form and packaged in 50 lb bags or 1000 lb boxes.

#### **Material Preparation**

- Prior to processing, ESTANE<sup>®</sup> 58309 TPU must be dried at 220°F (104°C) for 2-4 hours.
- It is recommended to dry the material in a desiccant type dryer. Target dew point should be -40°C.
- Depending on the applied processing technique, the maximum moisture level should be 0.02%.

#### **Processing Conditions**

• ESTANE® 58309 TPU can be processed on any conventional extruder.

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## Recommended Starting Extrusion Temperature Profile:

°F/°C		
350/176		
360/183		
370/188		
380/194		
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Melt Temp. Mid-Range: 375°F/191°C Screen Pack Recommendation: 20/40/80/20

# **Recommended Starting Injection Molding Temperature Profile:**

	°F/°C		
Rear	380 (193)		
Middle	400 (204)		
Front	420 (216)		
Nozzle	420 (216)		
Melt Temperature*	420 (216)		

\*Melt temperature by pyrometer check of air shot

Fill Rate: Slow to Moderate Screw RPM: 20-50 Back Pressure: 50 psi Injection Pressure: 3,000-7,000 psi (21-48 MPa) Molding Pressure: 2,000-4,000 psi (14-28 MPa) Mold Shrinkage\*: 0.014 in/in (cm/cm)

\* Mold shrinkage was determined using ASTM D955 - 4" diameter x .125" thick molded disk. Actual shrinkage will vary with part size, design, and processing conditions. Please contact a Lubrizol Advanced Materials technical representative for more information.

# High Performance Film & Sheet

Properties	Value (Metric)	Unit	Test Method
Tensile Set (200% elongation)	19	%	ASTM D-412
Kofler Melt Point	293 (145)	°F (°C)	Lubrizol Advanced Materials
Volume Swell in Water (24h/23°C)	1.7	%	ASTM D-471

# For further information refer to Lubrizol Advanced Materials processing guide.

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