

## **Product Information**

## UNISOFT TPE™ ST-40A-NT-1-01

DESCRIPTION TPE Compound based on Styrene-Ethylene/Butylene-Styrene Block Copolymer

**FEATURES** Standard grade with adhesion to Polypropylene, low hardness; excellent processing;

**APPLICATIONS** Unisoft TPE™ **ST-40A-NT-1-01** is a general grade intended for use in injection molding.

All ingredients used for this compound are in compliance with certain FDA regulations.

**COLOR** Natural color (about RAL 9010)

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MECHANICAL PROPERTIES	TEST METHOD	ENGLISH - UNITS	SI - UNITS
SHORE HARDNESS	ASTM D - 2240	40 A	40 A
SPECIFIC GRAVITY	ASTM D - 792	1.14 (g/cc)	1.14 (g/cc)
TENSILE STRENGTH	ASTM D - 412	650 (psi)	4.5 (Mpa)
ELONGATION AT BREAK	ASTM D - 412	600 (%)	600 (%)

## PROCESSING INFORMATION

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**PURGING** Purge thoroughly before and after use of this product (e.g. Polypropylene with MFI between 0.5-2.5)

**DRYING TIME** Material is not hygroscopic and drying is only necessary if material was stored under moisture.

**COLORING** Material can be easily colored with standard color concentrates used for coloring Polypropylene.

Unisoft  $\mathsf{TPE}^\mathsf{TM}$  grades are anisotropic materials. Their shrinkage properties are higher in the flow direction, and the shrinkage in the cross-flow direction is less. Unisoft  $\mathsf{TPE}^\mathsf{TM}$  **ST-40A-NT-1-01** shows shrinkage values between  $1.0-3.0\,\%$ . **SHRINKAGE PROPERTIES** 

RHEOLOGICAL PROPERTIES Actual rheological data of Unisoft TPE™ materials are shear dependence. Viscosity will decrease at higher shear rates, and

should be considered during injection molding design and setup of processing conditions.

**MOLDING TEMPERATURES** 320 - 355 °F 160 - 180 °C Rear 355 - 395 °F Front 180 - 200 °C 200 - 210 °C 395 - 410 °F Nozzle 85 - 150 °F Mold 30 - 65°C

## **NOTICE**

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