

## **Product Information**

## UNISOFT TPE™ ST-85A-CL-1-01

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

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

**APPLICATIONS** Unisoft TPE™ **ST-85A-CL-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 Clear color, translucent

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MECHANICAL PROPERTIES	TEST METHOD	ENGLISH - UNITS	SI - UNITS
SHORE HARDNESS	ASTM D - 2240	85 A	85 A
SPECIFIC GRAVITY	ASTM D - 792	0.89 (g/cc)	0.89 (g/cc)
TENSILE STRENGTH	ASTM D - 412	2,400 ( psi )	16.5 (Mpa)
ELONGATION AT BREAK	ASTM D - 412	600 (%)	600 (%)

## PROCESSING INFORMATION

PROCESSING Injection Molding (preferable standard 2-component injection molding machine to get adhesion to substrate)

INFORMATION

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

PURGING

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

DRYING TIME
COLORING

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

SHRINKAGE PROPERTIES

Unisoft  $TPE^{TM}$  grades are anisotropic materials. Their shrinkage properties are higher in the flow direction, and the shrinkage in the cross-flow direction is less. Unisoft  $TPE^{TM}$  **ST-85A-CL-1-01** shows shrinkage values between 1.0-1.5 %.

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

 Rear
 355 - 390 °F
 180 - 200 °C

 Front
 390 - 430 °F
 200 - 220 °C

 Nozzle
 430 - 465 °F
 220 - 240 °C

 Mold
 85 - 150 °F
 30 - 65 °C

## **NOTICE**

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