

Durastrength® 4000

Multifunctional Acrylic Impact Modifier

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

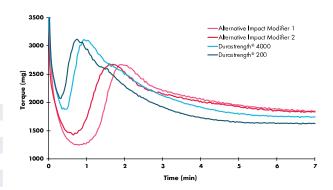
Durastrength® 4000 acrylic impact modifier represents the newest, low cost technology that imparts excellent impact properties to rigid PVC products and provides outstanding processability. Durastrength® 4000 impact modifier can be used in place of alternative non-acrylic impact modifiers while maintaining the processing advantages of traditional acrylic impact modifiers.

TYPICAL PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

| Physical Form | White Powder |
|-------------------|--------------------|
| Specific Gravity | 1.47 |
| Bulk Density | 0.50 g/cc |
| Particle Size | 15% Max on 50 Mesh |
| Percent Volatiles | 1.2% Max |

2. Faster fusion than alternative non-acrylic impact modifiers without the need for additional processing aids.

Torque Rheometer Fusion (175°C, 75rpm and 100 cc sample size)

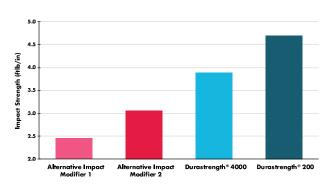


3. Substrate applications utilizing Durastrength® 4000 impact modifier maintain important mechanical properties for final PVC product performance.

PRODUCT BENEFITS

1. Excellent impact resistance that is equivalent to or better than alternative non-acrylic impact modifiers.

Impact Resistance [Izod Impact Performance (Siding Substrate Formulation @ 4.5phr Modifier)]



Mechanical Property Performance (Tensile and HDT Evaluation)

| Impact Modifier | Young's Modulus (psi)* | Tensile Stress @ Yield (psi)* | Heat Deflection Temp.(!C)** |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Alternative Impact Modifier 1 | 431893 | 6388 | 65 |
| Alterative Impact Modifier 2 | 445543 | 6488 | 66 |
| Durastrength® 4000 | 471580 | 6397 | 65 |
| Durastrength® 200 | 445731 | 6336 | 66 |

- * Evaluation followed ASTM D-638
- ** Evaluation followed ASTM D-648 Impact modifiers tested at 4.5 phr

4. Durastrength® 4000 impact modifier has traditional acrylic characteristics such as a low melt viscosity which when employed in a vinyl formulation results in good stability, smooth processing, and high output rates.

ENVIRONMENTAL AND SAFETY INFORMATION

MORE TECHNICAL INFORMATION AVAILABLE

Durastrength® Impact

Plastistrength® Process Aids

Clearstrength® Impact **Modifiers**

Biostrength® Additives

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