

# Technical Data Sheet WANTHANE \*\* TPU

# Wanthane® WHT-4060AU

TYPE Polyester-based Injection molding grade

FEATURES Plasticizer Free, Short Cycle Time, Excellent Abrasion, Good Mechanical Properties, UV Resistance

**Applications** Shoes, Tools, Sports & Leisure, Compounding, etc.

Typical Properties*		Test Method	Units	Values
Specific Gravity		ASTM D792	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	1.19
Shore Hardness		ASTM D 2240	Shore A	60
Tensile Strength at 100% Elongation		ASTM D 412	MPa	2.0
Tensile Strength at 300% Elongation		ASTM D 412	MPa	3.5
Ultimate Elongation		ASTM D 412	%	750
Tensile Strength		ASTM D 412	MPa	30
Tear Strength		ASTM D 624	N/mm	55
DIN Abrasion		ISO 4649	mm <sup>3</sup>	35
Compression	22 h; 70 °C	ASTM D 395	%	40
Set	24 h; 23 °C	ASTM D 395	%	20
Tg by DSC		ASTM D 3418	°C	-45

<sup>\*</sup>All these physical properties are based on injection molded samples, which are conditioned at 23  $^{\circ}$ C / 50% for 24h. Above values are typical values and should not be used as specifications.

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## **DRYING**

Wanthane<sup>®</sup> materials are supplied pre-dried in moisture guarded bags. Dry Wanthane<sup>®</sup> will rapidly absorb moisture when exposed to atmosphere. For trouble free products, Wanthane<sup>®</sup> WHT-4060AU must be dried before processing. It is recommended to dry the material at 90-100 °C for 2-3 h in a circulating air or dehumidified air dryer. The moisture content must be lower than 0.03% before and during processing.

# **PACKAGING**

Wanthane<sup>®</sup> WHT-4060AU is packaged in the form of uncolored transparent pellets in PE-lined bags of 25 Kg net weight (1000 Kg/pallet).

#### **STORAGE**

Wanthane® should be inspected to assure containers are not broken during transportation. Containers should be stored in a cool and dry environment, and should be brought to room temperature before opening in order to prevent condensation. Once being used, containers with residual materials should be sealed. It is necessary to cover the feed hopper of the processing machine.

#### PROCESSING RECOMMENDATIONS

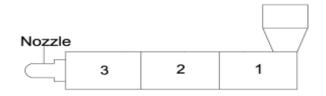
Based on our experience, the features of recommended screw are the following:

- 1. L/D ratio between 25 and 30.
- 2. The appropriate compression ratio is from 1:2 to 1:3.
- The screw extruder should have three sections which have continued constant pitch. The distance between screw and barrel should be 0.1 to 0.2mm. Depending on the size and type of the screw and die, the breaker plates used should have holes of 1.5 to 5 mm.
- 4. TPU is shear sensitive, for this reason, the extruder's

speed should be low in case of degradation during processing.

#### **TYPICAL PROCESSING CONDITIONS**

Wanthane® WHT-4060AU can be injected. Typical processing conditions are listed in the following tables and figures. You can contact our **TECHNICAL SERVICE** for further inquiries about products or troubleshooting



	Zone1	Zone2	Zone3	Nozzle	Mold
٥С	180	185	190	195	23

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### **HEALTH AND SAFETY**

Wanthane<sup>®</sup> materials have no hazardous reactions observed. Waste can be discarded to public garbage cans. When contacting or processing this product, it is recommended that all personnel wear eye/face protection and suitable protective clothing. Any further safety information about this product is available in our **TECHNICAL SERVICE** center.

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