

DESCRIPTION

The **9004** reference is a bioriented polylactic acid film metallized on one side and heat-sealable on the side; with an initial sealing temperature of 82°C. Special for **printing and lamination** in flexible packaging applications in general. Thicknesses available in 20 and 30 microns.

VALUES

PROPERTIES		Unit	Test Method	20	30
PHYSICAL PROPE	RTIES	<u> </u>			
Unit weight		g/m²	ASTM-D-4321	24.8	37.2
Average Yield		m²/Kg	ASTM-D-4321	40.3	26.9
MECHANICAL PRO	OPERTIE	ES			1
Tensile strength	MD TD	N/mm ²	ASTM-D-882	65.5 58.6	65.5 58.6
Modulus young	MD TD	N/mm ²	ASTM-D-882	2551 2413	2551 2413
SURFACE					
COF Static Dynamic		-	ASTM D 1894	0.30 0.25	0.30 0.25
BARRIER PROPER	RTIES				
WVTR: 38°C, 90% RH OTR: 23°C, 0% RH		gr/m² day Cc/m² day	ASTM-F1249 ASTM-D3985	<1.3 <7.8	<1.3 <7.8
OPTICAL PROPER	TIES				
Target Optical Density		O.D	AIMCAL TP-101-78	2.5	2.5
HEAT SEALING PR	ROPERT	IES			I
sealing strength		Gf/cm	Internal	1100	1100
Seal initiation		deg C	Internal	82	82
Hot tack at 121°C		Gf/cm	Internal	390	390



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KEY TRAITS

- PLA metallized on 1 side and heat-sealable on the side.
- Good mechanical properties
- Good stiffness
- Good barrier to oxygen
- Excellent transmission to water vapor
- Good sliding properties
- Resistant to oil, grease and alcohol
- Excellent twist retention properties.
- Biodegradable into carbon dioxide, water and biomass by digestion microbes.
- Complies with DIN EN 13432 (7H0052) for compostable products and with ASTM D6400
- In compliance with European food contact regulations and with the FDA

APPLICATIONS AND RECOMENDATIONS

The **9004** reference is a polylactic acid film specially designed for lamination and printing applications for the flexible packaging sector, a specific product for gravure and flexography printing. It can be used on both horizontal (HFFS) and vertical (VFFS) packaging machines.

Ethyl acetate solvents should be avoided because it can start a degradation process until the total disintegration of the PLA. It must be kept in the warehouse at temperatures below 30°C to minimize the deterioration of some of the properties of the film. The film must be conditioned in the operating environment at least 24 hours before use. The film must be used up to six months after the production date.