

Polybond™ 3349

Developmental Polymer Modifier

POLYBOND™ 3349 is a maleic anhydride modified linear low-density polyethylene.

CAS Number 63625-36-5

Typical Physical Properties of POLYBOND™ 3349

Property	Typical Value	Test Based On
Appearance	Off-white Pellet	Visual
Melt Flow Rate @ 190°C, 2.16Kg	8.0 g/10 min	ASTM D-1238
Maleic Anhydride Content	High	ASTM D-6047
Density @ 23°C	0.93 g/cm ³	ASTM D-792
Bulk Density	0.6 g/ cm ³	ASTM D-1895B
Melting Point	123°C	DSC

High = Maleic Anhydride Content typically between 1.0 and 1.4%.

Applications

- Coupling agent and process aid for halogen-free, flame retardant (HFFR) wire & cable compounds giving improved dispersion of flame retardant along with improved mechanical properties
- Coupling agent for glass-filled LLDPE providing improved physical properties including strength
- Compatibilizer for LLDPE/polyamide blends giving enhanced hydrolytic stability and strength properties
- Coupling agent for LLDPE composites with high mineral filler levels offering improved strength and impact properties

Food Contact

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Regulatory Status

The components of **POLYBOND™ 3349** are listed on USA TSCA inventory. For information on other inventory listings, see Section 15 (Regulatory Information) of the MSDS for **POLYBOND™ 3349**.

Storage & Handling Precautions

Keep **POLYBOND™ 3349** dry prior to processing. Loss of anhydride functionality may occur due to conversion to acid groups by reaction with atmospheric moisture. Tie liners of open boxes when not in use to prevent exposure to moisture. If exposure occurs, **POLYBOND™ 3349** can be dried in a hopper dryer or oven for three hours at 95-100°C to remove moisture. A slight pungent odor is normal during processing of **POLYBOND™ 3349**. Purge equipment with polyethylene before and after running **POLYBOND™ 3349**.

For additional handling and toxicological information consult the SI Group Material Safety Data Sheet

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