

# **IROGRAN PS443-201**

Thermoplastic Polyurethane

## INTRODUCTION

IROGRAN PS443-201 is high performance polyester based thermoplastic polyurethane intended for extrusion applications.

IROGRAN PS443-201 is part of the HUNTSMAN film and sheet product range and offers a specially designed, flexible material with a broad processing window particularly suitable for film and sheet, laminating, and coating.

# PERFORMANCE FEATURES

- Excellent wear performance
- Good clarity
- Good low temperature flexibility
- Enhanced UV stability

## **APPLICATIONS**

- Coating
- Lamination

**Table 1: Typical Physical Properties** 

Property	Key	DIN	Unit	Value	ASTM	Unit	Value
Hardness	М	53505	Shore A	No results available	D-2240	Shore A	No results available
Hardness	М	53505	Shore D	50	D-2240	Shore D	50
Tensile Strength	E	53504	MPa	55	D-412	psi	7600
Elongation @ break	E	53504	%	500	D-412	%	500
100% Modulus	E	53504	MPa	10	D-412	psi	1400
300% Modulus	E	53504	MPa	24	D-412	psi	3400
Tear Resistance	E	53515	N/mm	124	D-624	pli	500
Abrasion	М	53516	mm³	60			
Compression Set 22hrs @ 23°C	М	53517	%	40	D-395	%	40
Compression Set 22hrs @ 70°C	М	53517	%	90	D-395	%	90
Bayshore Rebound			%	35	D-2632	%	35
Mold Shrinkage	М		cm/cm		D-955	in/in	
Specific Gravity	М	53478	g/cm³	1.21	D-792		1.21
TMA Low	E	Huntsman	oC	150	Huntsman	٥F	302
TMA High	Е	Huntsman	οС	170	Huntsman	٥F	338

E= 0.025" extruded film cut to ASTM requirements M = Injection moulded parts to meet DIN & ASTM requirements. ATSM measurements were made at 20 in./min. DIN measurements were made at 500 mm./min.





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#### POLYMER SELECTION

Before selecting this product it is necessary that the user ensures the product performance will meet all operational and end use requirements. Having satisfied these requirements, should changes be contemplated in method of application, materials, service conditions or any other change that could affect the ultimate performance of the end product, then further tests and trials should be carried out. For assistance with particular problems and applications, please contact the IROGRAN TPU Technical Service Department listed below.

#### **HEALTH & SAFETY ADVICE**

Before undertaking any trials with this product it is essential that all personnel are aware of the necessary precautions that must be taken. These are detailed in the relevant Material Safety Data Sheet, which will be provided by HUNTSMAN.

## **SUPPLY & STORAGE**

IROGRAN PS443-201 is supplied in the form of pellets in fiber drums and octabins.

IROGRAN PS443-201 has a minimum expected shelf life of 12 months from the date of shipment when stored in a cool and dry place in the manufacturer's original packaging.

## **PHYSICAL FORM**

Type: Pellet

Bulk Density: 673 kg/m³ [42 lb/ft³]

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#### MATERIAL PREPARATION

To ensure trouble free processing it is necessary to dry IROGRAN TPU. The recommended drying conditions are:

- 3 hours at 75-80°C in circulating air
- 3 hours at 70-75°C in dehumidified air
- Dew point: -22°F / -30°C

For further advice on the use of additives during the processing please contact the IROGRAN TPU Technical Service Department.

### **PROCESSING PARAMETERS**

Table 2: Typical Processing Parameters							
Processable by:	Extrusion Injection Mo	oulding					
Melt Index [200 <sup>o</sup> C/8.7 kg]	35 g/10 min						
Extrusion							
Temperature Profile	°C	°F					
Feed Zone	200	392					
Barrel	200	392					
Adapter	200	392					
Die Head	200	392					
Injection Moulding							
Temperature Profile	°C	°F					
Heating Zone	210	410					
Nozzle	220	428					
Melt Temperature	220	428					
Mould Temperature	52	125					

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