# EC474

Low Density Polyethylene

## Application/Uses

- Medium and lightweight coatings and laminations
- Substrate coatings to provide heat sealability
- Hot melt laminating adhesive
- General purpose coatings

## **Product Description**

WESTLAKE low-density polyethylene EC474 is a general-purpose formulation used for extrusion coating and laminating. It can be drawn down to low coating weights, is processable at high speeds, has good moisture barrier, and is heat-sealable at low temperatures.

## Typical Physical Properties

<u>Property</u>	Test Method	Typical Value, Units
Melt Index	D 1238	8.0 g/10 min
Density	D 1505	918 kg/m <sup>3</sup> (0.918 g/cm <sup>3</sup> )
Ultimate Tensile	D 638	1,400 psi
Elongation	D 638	400 %
Tensile Modulus	D 1709	20,000 psi

Unless noted otherwise, all tests are run at 23°C (73°F) and 50% relative humidity.

Where required, test specimens are compression molded according to ASTM D1928.

### **FDA**

This resin grade complies with 21 CFR 177.1520. For further information, please contact Product Regulatory Compliance.

Westlake EC474 has very good flow properties which allow high speed coatings at weights from 4 lbs/3000 sq. ft. and up. Melt temperatures of 575° F - 625° F are suggested for Westlake Chemical EC474.

Properties reported here are based on limited testing. Westlake makes no representation that the material in any particular shipment will conform exactly to the values given.

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Unless noted otherwise, the test method is ASTM.

Units are in SI or US customary units.