

## SANTOPRENE™ 8281-65MED - TPV

### Product Description

A soft, colorable, specialty, non-hygroscopic thermoplastic vulcanizate (TPV) in the thermoplastic elastomer (TPE) family. It is designed for use in medical and healthcare applications. This grade of Santoprene™ TPV is shear-dependent and can be processed on conventional thermoplastics equipment for injection molding or blow molding. It is polyolefin based and recyclable within the manufacturing stream.

### Characteristics

Applications	Seals and Gaskets, Soft Touch Grips, Tubing
Uses	Medical applications
Color	Natural color
Delivery Form	Pellets
Processing	Blow molding, Extrusion blow molding, Injection blow molding, Injection molding, Multi injection molding

Physical properties	Value	Unit	Test Standard
Density	0.92	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	ASTM D792
Density	920	kg/m <sup>3</sup>	ISO 1183
	Value	Unit	
Hardness	68		
Shore A hardness-TPE, 15s			ISO 868
Mechanical properties	Value	Unit	Test Standard
Tensile stress at 100%, perpendicular	2.4	MPa	ASTM D412
Tensile stress at 100%, perpendicular	2.4	MPa	ISO 37
Tensile strength at break elast, perpendicular	5.9	MPa	ASTM D412
Tensile stress at break, perpendicular	5.9	MPa	ISO 37
Elongation at break elast, perpendicular	480	%	ASTM D412
Tensile strain at break, perpendicular	480	%	ISO 37
Compression set, 23°C, 168h, Type 1, Method B	19	%	ASTM D395
Compression set, 23°C, 168h, Type A	19	%	ISO 815
	Value	%	
Injection	0.08	° C	
Necessary low maximum residual moisture content	20	° C	
Suggested maximum regrind	177 - 191	° C	
Rear temperature	179 - 193	° C	
Middle temperature	185 - 199	° C	
Front temperature	185 - 210	-	
Nozzle temperature	143 - 216	MPa	
Melt temperature	24	RPM	
Mold temperature	- 52	MPa	
Injection speed	fast	mm	
Back pressure	0.345 - 0.689	-	
Screw Speed	100 - 200	-	
Clamp tonnage	20:1/*	mm	
Cushion	41 - 69	mm	
Screw L/D	2.5:1/*		
Screw compression ratio	3.18 - 6.35		
Vent depth	0.025		

**Other text information**

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**Processing Notes**

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Desiccant drying for 3 hours at 80°C (180°F) can be performed if desired. Santoprene™ TPV has a wide temperature processing window from 175 to 230°C (350 to 450°F) and is incompatible with acetal and PVC.

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