

Mitsubishi Chemical America, Inc.

# Product Bulletin

### **Description**

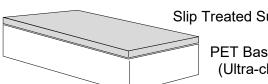
Hostaphan® 43SM is an ultra-clear polyester film that is chemically treated on one side to improve handleability and reduce potential for scratching. It combines high durability and optical clarity.

#### **Performance**

Hostaphan<sup>®</sup> 43SM is designed for markets requiring glass-like clarity. 43SM is chemically treated on one side to provide resistance to scratching and the slip necessary to handle and wind an unfilled film. The treated surface is not designed for adhesion.

#### **Benefits**

- Excellent handling achieved by slip treatment
- Superior base film flatness •
- Excellent color and clarity •
- Reduced potential for scratching



Schematic of Hostaphan<sup>®</sup> 43SM

Slip Treated Surface

PET Base Film (Ultra-clear)

## Typical Properties of Hostaphan® 43SM Film

The Hostaphan<sup>®</sup> 43SM property values below are typical measurements. Further guidance on series selection, functional behavior by end use, film processing, standard roll configuration and gauges is available through a Polyester Film Sales Representative.

| Property                      |          | Unit of Measure        | 9                  | Typical Value     | Test Method      |
|-------------------------------|----------|------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| Area Yield                    |          | in²∙mil/lb<br>m²∙µm/kg |                    | 19,800<br>717     | ASTM D 4321      |
| Tensile Strength              | MD       | psi<br>kg/cm²          |                    | 30,000<br>2,110   | ASTM D 882       |
| Yield Strength (F5)           | MD       | psi<br>kg/cm²          |                    | 15,000<br>1,050   | ASTM D 882       |
| Ultimate Elongation           | MD       | %                      |                    | 150               | ASTM D 882       |
| Modulus                       | MD       | psi<br>kg/cm²          |                    | 500,000<br>35,200 | ASTM D 882       |
| Coefficient of Friction (A/B) | Kinetic  | -                      |                    | 0.50              | ASTM D 1894      |
| Shrinkage                     | MD<br>TD | %                      |                    | 1.2<br>0.0        | 30 min. at 150°C |
| Density                       |          | g/cm <sup>3</sup>      |                    | 1.395             | ASTM D 1505      |
| Total Haze*                   |          | %                      | 200 gauge<br>700 " | 0.5<br>1.0        | ASTM D-1003      |

\* Values for reference data only. Contact a Polyester Film Sales Representative for actual gauges available. Approved RC 5/2016

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