

Product Information Sheet

Product

Enviromex® Declaration of compliance for food contact

Plastics implementation measure regulation (EU) 10/2011

The Enviromex® range of carton window polyester films comply with the new migration testing for existing products under the migration testing criteria of 2002/72/EC which can be utilised for all materials and articles that have been lawfully placed on the market before 1 May 2011 may be placed on the market until 31 December 2012. Our Enviromex® range of carton window polyester films already on the market remain covered by the current statements at least until 31st December 2012.

More information on the new legislation can be located at:

http://ec.europa.eu/food/food/chemicalsafety/foodcontact/legisl_list_en.htm

Food contact uses in European Union

Our Enviromex® range of carton window polyester films comply with the applicable requirements of EU 'framework legislation' for food contact materials, 1935/2004 and the 'good manufacturing practice' legislation, 2023/2006. PSG Group adheres to the traceability standards stated within these regulations by keeping a record of all master roll numbers and cross-referencing all off cuts to original source material.

We confirm that in the production of polyester film that only monomers and additives listed in the EU Directive 2002/72/EC (as amended by Directives 2004/1/EC, 2004/19/EC, 2007/79/EC, 2007/19/EC and regulation 975/2009) are used. Thus, the monomers and additives employed also comply with the national laws and ordinances that serve to adopt these EU directives into national law in all EU member states. The monomers and additives also comply with the regulations in Iceland, Norway and Switzerland.

Our range of Enviromex® films contain no additives which rely solely on national level regulations for their compliance. Our Enviromex® post-consumer recycle polyester film PW12R complies with the required regulation 282/2008.

The components used in the manufacture the primer coatings are covered by the 'plastics directive' 2002/72/EC in addition to BfR recommendation XIV and Council of Europe Resolution ResAP(2004)1.

Food contact uses in the United States (FDA conformance)

The Enviromex® range of carton window polyester films comply with both the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act, 21U.S.C 301 et seq., and all applicable indirect food additive regulations, including 21 CFR 177.1630, provided it is used subject to limitations found in 21 CFR 177.1630 and in accordance with good manufacturing practices (defined in 21 CFR 174.5).

The chemical primer may be used in contact with all types of food under all conditions of use that are technically suitable for PET film, and such may properly be described as complying with the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act and all applicable indirect food additive regulations.

Migration limits and testing

EU Directive 2002/72/EC, which applies to all European countries, limits the permissible overall migration to 10 mg/dm². The directive also stipulates specific migration limits (SMLs, given in mg/kg food). The applicable limits for our Enviromex® range of film products are listed within the individual data sheets for each individual film in the Enviromex® range and can be located at:

http://www.cartonwindows.co.uk/carton_windows_PET_films.html

The information above is given in good faith and should be considered as a guide not a specification.



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