

# Pak Petrochemical

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GENERAL PURPOSE POLYSTYRENE (GPPS)

## **DIAMOND GP-525**

#### Characteristics:

- o Blue tinted,
- Excellent Clarity,
- o Good Flow, Low Volatility, (Below 1000 ppm)

## Processing:

O Injection Molding

#### **Applications:**

House ware, House Hold items like Containers etc. Disposable cutlery like spoons etc. Home appliances like plastic Refrigerator parts like vegetable trays, Toys , Drinking Cups, Stationery items, Disposable Razors ,plastic Hangers ,Water Filter Shell, Tooth Bushes and Cosmetic Casings , Auto Parts like indicators coves, Head Lamp covers, LED light cover etc.

#### Material Status

TYPICAL PROPERTIES	TEST METHOD	UNIT	VALUES
Mechanical Properties			
Tensile Strength at Yield / at break	ASTM D-638	kgf/cm <sup>2</sup>	400
Tensile Elongation	ASTM D-638	%	1.2
Flexural Strength	ASTM D-790	kgf/cm <sup>2</sup>	750
Thermal Properties			
Vicat Softening Temp	ASTM D-1525	°C	95
Heat Deflection Temp	ASTM D-648	°C	85
General Properties			
Melt Flow Rate MFR 200/5	ASTM D-1238	gm/10 min	7
Processing			
Specific Gravity	ASTM D - 792	23/23°C	1.05















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Product Description Polystyrene is a highly transparent material. It gives excellent mechanical and heat resistance

properties while providing with easy process ability and molding applications.

Processing Although Polystyrene GP-525 can be processed by any method applicable to polystyrene based

plastic, it is best suitable for injection molding and extrusion molding. The melt temperatures

should not exceed 260 °C.

Product Safety

During processing of Polystyrene GP-525, small quantity of Styrene Monomer may be released

into the atmosphere. At styrene vapor concentrations below 20 ppm, no negative health effects are expected. In our experience, the concentration of styrene does not exceed 1 ppm in good

ventilate workplace.

Form supplied &

Storage

Polystyrene GP-525 is supplied as cylindrical shaped granules. It has to be kept in its original

containers in a dry, cool place. Avoid direct exposure to sunlight. PS GP-525 can also be stored

in silos.

Food Legislation If used unmodified and under appropriated processing conditions, Polystyrene GP-525

conforms with FDA title 21 CFR section 177.1640 regarding the use of in food contact articles. Diamond Polystyrene is also approved by PCSIR (Pakistan Council of Scientific & Industrial

Research).

**Environmental**Diamond polystyrene resins can be recycled. Adequate ventilation should be used during processing.

Diamond Polystyrene must not be dispose of to landfill or incineration as per government laws and

regulations.

#### Note:

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