# M·BIOBASE® PPH 500 nat Preliminary technical description



# **Product description**

M-BIOBASE® PPH 500 nat: Biomass-balanced polypropylene compound for injection moulding

Applications: Thin wall packaging, containers etc.

Suitable for: Injection moulded parts with good transparency

Certification: ISCC PLUS: M·BIOBASE® PPH 500 nat CI

## **Properties**

	Standard	Unit	PPH 500 nat
MFR 230 °C/2.16 kg	ISO 1133	g/10 min	5
Density	ISO 1183	g/cm³	0.905
Allocation factor <sup>a</sup>	-	%	100
Tensile modulus	ISO 527-1/-2	MPa	1,650
Tensile strength at yield	ISO 527-1/-2	MPa	35
Elongation at yield	ISO 527-1/-2	%	9
Elongation at break	ISO 527-1/-2	%	47
Charpy notched impact strength +23 °C	ISO 179-1/1eA	kJ/m²	2
Charpy notched impact strength -20 °C	ISO 179-1/1eA	kJ/m²	n.a.

a: The allocation factor is the percentage of biomass allocated to the product (max. value: 100 %) = percentage of replaced fossil-based resources in the value chain. The allocation factor does not indicate how much biomass is actually in the product. It refers to the organic content (e.g. polymers) in the product. n.a. = not applicable

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# M·BIOBASE® PPH 500 nat Preliminary processing guide



# Processing recommendations

## **Safety precautions:**

- Processing at a melt temperature not higher than 260 °C
- Processing with adequate ventilation

### Handling:

- Delivered ready-to-use
- Keep package sealed until use
- Reseal opened package of the M·BIOBASE® product directly after use

### **Drying:**

 In case the M·BIOBASE® product becomes too humid, drying at 80 °C for 4 h by using a vacuum dryer or purging with dry air (dew point -35 °C)

#### **Delivery & storage:**

- Supply in 20 kg foil-aluminium bags or 1 ton octabin with PE-inliner
- To be stored in dry place, protected from heat and direct sun radiation

#### Start-up:

- Change the temperature to recommended settings
- Start transition while purging the screw, when the temperatures are within 10 °C of desired range

### **Extrusion equipment:**

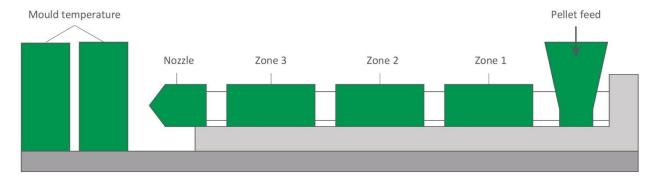
 M·BIOBASE® grades are designed for standard extrusion equipment

#### Interruption & shut-down:

- Never leave M·BIOBASE® product in the extruder for a longer period, e.g. over night
- By interruption for a considerable time, slow down screw speed to 5 rpm approx.

## **Processing temperatures**

Grade	Mould temp.	Nozzle	Zone 3	Zone 2	Zone 1
PPH 500 nat	10-30 °C	240–260 °C	230–250 °C	220–240 °C	210–230 °C





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