

# M·VERA® GP1045 (B0217)

## Preliminary Technical Description



### Product Description

M·VERA® GP1045 (B0217): Biodegradable polyester compound for injection moulding  
Applications: Coffee capsules, cutlery, etc.  
Suitable for: Injection moulded parts  
Certification: OK compost HOME (NF T51-800 [11-2015], certified by TÜV AUSTRIA Belgium)

### Properties

	Standard	Unit	GP1045 (B0217)
MVR 160 °C/5 kg	ISO 1133	cm <sup>3</sup> /10 min	10
Density	ISO 1183	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	1.20
Renewable Content	-	%	~100
Tensile modulus	ISO 527-1/-2	MPa	2,000
Tensile strength	ISO 527-1/-2	MPa	26
Tensile strength at yield	ISO 527-1/-2	MPa	26
Elongation at yield	ISO 527-1/-2	%	3
Elongation at break	ISO 527-1/-2	%	3
Charpy impact strength	ISO 179-1/1eU	kJ/m <sup>2</sup>	2
Heat distortion temperature, HDT/B	ISO 75/B	°C	98*

\* at 60 °C mold temperature

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## Processing Guide

### Processing Recommendations

#### Safety Precautions:

- Processing at a melt temperature not higher than 165 °C
- Processing with adequate ventilation

#### Handling:

- Keep package sealed until use
- Reseal opened package of the M·VERA® product directly after use

#### Drying:

- In case the M·VERA® 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 25 kg foil-aluminum bags or 1 ton octabin with PE-inliner
- To be stored in dry place, protected from heat and direct sun radiation

#### Start-up:

- Purge with polyolefin with MFR = 30 g/10 min for ~10 minutes
- Lower the temperature to recommended settings
- Start transition, when the temperature are within 10 °C of desired range

#### Equipment:

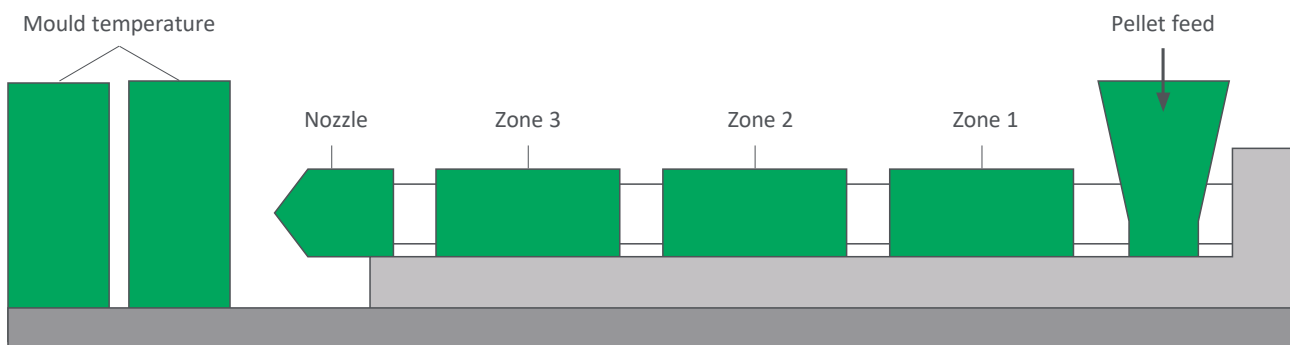
- M·VERA® grades are designed for standard equipment

#### Interruption & Shut-down:

- Never leave M·VERA® 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.
- For a longer period, please purge with same polyolefin from start-up procedur

### Processing Temperatures

Grade	Mould Temp.	Nozzle	Zone 3	Zone 2	Zone 1
GP1045 (B0217)	40–60 °C	140–150 °C	140–150 °C	130–140 °C	130–140 °C



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