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## **Exaflex® TPU 55D**

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Exaflex TPU 55D embodies sophistication in thermoplastic polyurethane elastomers (TPU), offering a harmonious blend of resilience and flexibility. Engineered to perfection, this material is crafted for applications demanding refined balance and superior performance. It achieves an optimal equilibrium between robust rigidity and essential flexibility with its Shore hardness of 55D, ensuring enduring resilience in dynamic environments. Exaflex TPU 55D excels in mechanical strength, providing enduring durability and steadfast resistance to wear, meeting the stringent demands of high-performance applications. Designed to thrive across diverse temperature gradients, it remains steadfast in varying environmental conditions, ensuring consistent reliability. Boasting exceptional melt flow properties, Exaflex TPU 55D facilitates seamless manufacturing processes and enhances the efficiency of waste recycling initiatives, embodying sustainability and operational efficiency. It stands as a testament to innovation and reliability, delivering unparalleled performance where precision, durability, and adaptability converge seamlessly.

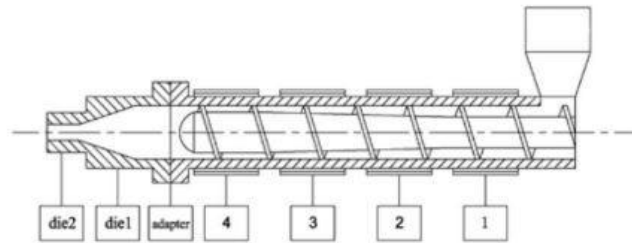
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| <b>Product Type</b>                  | ISO 16365-1:2014  | TPU > TPU-ARES  |
| <b>Applications/ Recommended for</b> | Injection Molding >   | Footwear<br>Seals and Gaskets<br>Sporting Goods<br>Consumer Electronics<br>Agriculture  |
|                                      | Extrusion >   | Automotive Components<br>Industrial Hoses and Tubes<br>Medical Devices<br>Conveyor Belts<br>Wire and Cable Sheathing<br>Specialty Adhesives and Films |
| <b>Key Features</b>                  | Superior durability and wear resistance<br>High tensile and tear strength<br>Flexibility across a broad temperature range<br>Excellent resistance to oils, greases, and various chemicals<br>Hydrolysis-resistant<br>Outstanding abrasion resistance<br>Recyclable and environmentally friendly |   |

## Exaflex<sup>®</sup> TPU 55D Typical Properties

| Physical                     | Value & Unit           | Test Condition            | Test Method |
|------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|-------------|
| Hardness                     | 55                     | Shore D                   | ASTM D2240  |
| Specific Gravity             | 1.21 g/cm <sup>3</sup> | At 23°C                   | ASTM D792   |
| Mechanical                   | Value & Unit           | Test Condition            | Test Method |
| Elongation At Break          | 280%                   |                           | ASTM D412   |
| Tensile Strength at Break    | 52 MPa                 |                           | ASTM D412   |
| Tensile Stress at 100%       | 15 MPa                 |                           | ASTM D412   |
| Tear Strength                | 180 kN/m               | (Die C)                   | ASTM D624   |
| Abrasion                     | 95 mm <sup>3</sup>     | (Method A:<br>non-rotate) | ASTM D5963  |
| Glass-transition Temperature | -26°C                  |                           | DSC         |

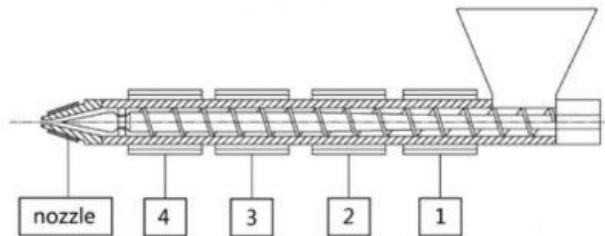
# Processing Recommendations

## Processing Conditions > Injection Molding:



|    | Zone1 | Zone2 | Zone3 | Zone4 | Adaptor | Die1 | Die2 |
|----|-------|-------|-------|-------|---------|------|------|
| °C | 180   | 185   | 190   | 195   | 200     | 205  | 210  |

## Processing Conditions > Extrusion:



|    | Zone1 | Zone2 | Zone3 | Zone4 | nozzle |
|----|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| °C | 185   | 190   | 195   | 200   | 195    |

## Processing Recommendations > Drying:

Our materials are supplied pre-dried in moisture-guarded bags. However, dry materials will rapidly absorb moisture when exposed to the atmosphere. For recyclable products, it must be dried before processing. Drying the material at 90-100 °C for 3-4 h in a circulating air or dehumidified air dryer is recommended. The moisture content must be lower than 0.02% before and during processing.

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