



# SANTOPRENE® 9103-42E

# **SANTOPRENE®**

A hard, black, versatile thermoplastic vulcanizate (TPV) in the thermoplastic elastomer (TPE) family. This material combines good physical properties and chemical resistance for use in a wide range of applications. This grade of Santoprene® TPV is shear-dependent and can be processed on conventional thermoplastics equipment for injection molding, extrusion, blow molding, thermoforming or vacuum forming. It is polyolefin based and recyclable within the manufacturing stream.

# **Key Features**

· Excellent resistance to ozone.

#### Product information

Resin Identification	TPV	ISO 1043
Part Marking Code	>TPV<	ISO 11469

# Typical mechanical properties

Tensile stress at 100% elongation, perpendicular	8	MPa	ISO 37
Tensile stress at break, perpendicular	18	MPa	ISO 527-1/-2 or ISO 37
Elongation at break, perpendicular	650	%	ISO 527-1/-2 or ISO 37
Shore D hardness, 15s	42		ISO 48-4 / ISO 868

# Physical/Other properties

Density 946 kg/m<sup>3</sup> ISO 1183

### Characteristics

Processing Injection Moulding, Extrusion, Blow Moulding, Thermoforming

Delivery form Pellets

## Additional information

Injection molding Holding pressure should be about 50 to 75% of the actual injection pressure.

A high screw RPM (100 to 200) is recommended.

Back pressure is not always needed, however, a back pressure of 0.3 to 0.7 MPa may be used to ensure a homogeneous melt and maintain a consistent shot size. A higher back pressure is normally employed when using masterbatches.

Processing Notes Processing Notes

Desiccant drying for 3 hours at 80°C (180°F) is recommended. Santoprene® TPV has a wide temperature processing window from 175 to 230°C (350 to 450°F) and is incompatiable with acetal and PVC. For more information, please

consult our Material Safety Data Sheet and Extrusion Guide.

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