



# **Low Density Polyethylene**

## **DESCRIPTION**

Lotrène® MG70 is an injection moulding grade mainly recommended for the injection of thin and flexible items and the preparation of masterbatches.

#### **PROPERTIES**

The high melt flow index of Lotrène® MG70 leads to excellent flowability and processability. The items produced from this grade possess high flexibility and glossy surface.

PROPERTIES	VALUE	UNIT	TEST METHOD
Melt Flow Index	70	g/10 min.	ASTM D1238-
Density @ 23 °C	0.918	g/cm3	ASTM D1505
Crystalline Melting Point	102	°C	ASTM E794-
Vicat Softening Point	80	°C	ASTM D1525-
Tensile Strength @ Yield	8	MPa	ASTM D638-
Tensile strength @ Break	7	MPa	ASTM D638-
Elongation @ Break	240	%	ASTM D638-

#### **PROCESSING**

Lotrène<sup>®</sup> MG70 can be processed on all types of injection moulding machines.

The temperatures and pressures used for the processing of Lotrène® MG70 are normal for the injection of low-density polyethylene of high melt flow index.

The melt temperature range suggested is between 150 °C and 170 °C. However, optimum conditions are dependant on the equipment used (presses, moulds, etc.) and the articles under production (appearance, size, shape, etc.).

#### **APPLICATIONS**

- Artificial flowers
- Metal coating
- Coating of textiles
- Masterbatches

### **HANDLING & STORAGE**

Polyethylene products should be stored in their original packaging or in clean appropriate silos.

The products should be stored in a dry and well-ventilated area and should not be exposed to direct sunlight and/ or heat in any form since this may adversely affect their properties.

As a general rule, our products should not be stored for more than three months from receipt date.

#### **SAFETY**

Under normal conditions Lotrène® products do not present a toxic hazard through skin contact or inhalation. For detailed information please refer to the Safety Data Sheet.

#### **FOOD CONTACT & REACH**

Lotrène® polyethylene products manufactured by Qatar Petrochemical Company (QAPCO) Q.S.C. comply with US, EU and other food contact legislations. Limitations may apply.

All QAPCO Lotrène products are complying with REACH Regulation 1907/2006/EC. The aims of this regulation are to improve the protection of human health and the environment through better and earlier identification of the intrinsic properties of chemical substances.

Please contact your Muntajat representative for detailed compliance certificates.

NOT SUITABLE FOR PHARMACEUTICAL OR MEDICAL APPLICATIONS

## TECHNICAL DISCLAIMER

The values reported in this technical data sheet are the results of tests carried out in accordance with standard test procedures in a laboratory environment. Actual properties may vary depending on batch and extrusion conditions. Therefore, these values should not be used for specification purposes.

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