

# PRODUCT DATA SHEET

# PLIOGUM® 1027K1

**Elastomer** 

#### CHEMICAL DESCRIPTION

PLIOGUM® 1027K1 is a ground crumb version of PLIOGUM® 1027, butadiene-styrene copolymer manufactured in accordance with food-additive requirements (FDA Regulation 172.615, Chewing Gum Base). PLIOGUM® 1027 is ground through a 5/8" screen, then blended with approximately 5.6% high purity, ultrafine talc, food grade, as a partitioning agent to prevent the crumb from agglomerating.

All specification limits except for partitioning agent content apply to the base polymer before grinding.

#### **APPLICATIONS**

PLIOGUM® 1027K1 is widely used in chewing gum base and bubble gum base applications. It is most suitable for gum with a regular or soft chew.

It is also used in other food contact applications, such as food can sealant. It is a highly branched polymer capable of handling high filler loading.

#### **TYPICAL PROPERTIES**

	PLIOGUM® 1027K1
Residual Styrene, ppm (CODEX @ 20 ppm max)	<= 20
Volatile matter, %	<= 1.5
BHT analysis, %	0.375 +/- 0.125
Bound styrene, % of RHC	24.0 +/- 2.0
Organic acid, %	5.40 +/- 0.8
Mooney Viscosity, ML1+4 @ 100°C	52 +/-5

#### **PACKAGING**

- J Box corrugated cardboard boxes contain 28 x 70-lb. boxes per pallet.
- Box Dimensions: 48" L x 48" W x 84" H.
- Weight: Gross: 2185 lb, Net: 1960 lb.

### STORAGE, HANDLING & TOXICITY

- This product should be stored in its original packaging in a dry atmosphere away from heat and ultraviolet light.
- This product can agglomerate at 6 months from the date of manufacture but is expected to perform up to 18 months from the date of manufacture
- Goodyear test methods are available upon request.

## **Goodyear Chemical**

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