



Product Regulatory Overview (PRO)
Food Contact
Marlex® TRB-223 Polyethylene

Company

Chevron Phillips Chemical (CPChem)

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It is the responsibility of the packaging converter or food packager to verify that the finished article meets both the technical and regulatory requirements of the intended application.

U.S. FDA Food Contact

This product meets the requirements for polyolefin resins intended for food packaging applications as described in the FDA olefin polymer regulations 21 CFR 177.1520 including 21 CFR 177.1520(c) 3.2a and 21 CFR 177.1520(b). The resin may be used in contact with all types of food as defined in Table 1, 21 CFR 176.170(c) and at use conditions B-H as defined in Table 2, 21 CFR 176.170(c).

This product is produced in accordance with good manufacturing practices (GMP) as outlined in 21 CFR 174.5.

European Union (EU) Food Contact

As plastic intermediate material, the monomer(s) and the additive(s) of this resin are listed in Table 1, Annex I of Commission Regulation (EU) No 10/2011 on plastic materials and articles intended to come into contact with food and all its Amendments including Commission Regulations (EU) 2023/1442, 2023/1627, 2025/351, and (EU) 2026/245. The monomer(s) and the additive(s) used in the resin do not have restriction(s) and specification(s) in Column 10 of Table 1, Annex I of Commission Regulation (EU) No 10/2011.

Bisphenol A (BPA), other bisphenols and bisphenol derivatives are not intentionally used as additives or raw materials in the manufacture of this product. This product complies with Commission Regulation (EU) 2026/250 correcting Regulation (EU) 2024/3190 on BPA and other harmonized classified bisphenols.

See following link for latest amendment review:

<https://www.cpchem.com/who-we-are/environment-health-safety-security/regulatory-information>
(SELECT EU Food Contact Amendment)

This product was tested for the overall and specific migration compliance per Commission Regulation (EU) No 10/2011. The tested sample thickness was 3.175 mm (125 mils).

For measuring the overall migration level, this product was tested with 3% acetic acid for 10 days at 40°C, with 10 % ethanol for 10 days at 40°C, with 50% ethanol for 10 days at 40°C, and with olive oil for 10 days at 40°C. This product meets the overall migration limit (OML).

For measuring the specific migration level, this product was tested with 3% acetic acid for 10 days at 60°C, with 10% ethanol for 10 days at 60°C, with 50% ethanol for 10 days at 60°C, and with olive oil for 10 days at 60°C. The surface area-to-food ratio used for the migration assessment was 6 dm² of surface area per kilogram of. This product complies with the specific migration limits (SML).



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This product meets the restriction(s) on the substances in Table 1, Annex II of Commission Regulation (EU) No 10/2011 amended by Commission Regulation (EU) 2020/1245. Primary aromatic amines are not intentionally used as additives or raw materials in the manufacture of this product.

This product does not contain intentionally added genotoxic substance that would be expected to migrate from resin exceeding 0.00015 mg/kg in food or food simulant to cause genotoxic effect.

This product does not contain food additive(s) or flavoring(s) per Regulation (EC) No 1333/2008 or Regulation (EC) No 1334/2008.

This product meets the requirements of Framework Regulation (EC) No 1935/2004 on materials and articles intended to come into contact with food.

This product is produced in accordance with good manufacturing practice (GMP) as outlined in GMP Regulation (EC) No 2023/2006.

Japan Food Contact

Japanese Ministry of Health, Labor and Welfare (MHLW) published a revised version of Positive List (PL) System for food-contact materials (FCM) used in the manufacture of food-contact utensils, containers, and packaging (UCP) in late 2023. These requirements became effective on June 1, 2025.

- This product is polyethylene 1-hexene/ethylene copolymer (CAS Number 25213-02-9). It is listed on APPENDED TABLE 1, Table 1 Base Materials as “polymer composed of alkenes as the main monomer” Polymer Group 2.
- Additive(s) in this product are all listed on APPENDED TABLE 1, Table 2 Additives or are exempted. Additive(s) in this product meet the maximum use level limit(s). There are no restrictions on food types or temperature.

Mercosur Food Contact

The monomer(s) of this resin are listed in Mercosur /GMC/Res. N°02/12 and its modification GMC/Res. N° 19/21.

The additive(s) in this product are listed in Mercosur/GMC/Res. N° 39/19.

GMC Res. No. 20/21, “Modification of GMC Resolution No. 56/92 General Provisions for plastic containers and equipment in contact with food,” is applicable to a final article.

Brazil Food Contact

The monomer(s) of this resin are listed in Anvisa [RDC 56/2012 and RDC No 589](#).

The additive(s) of this resin are listed in Anvisa [RDC 326/2019](#).

RESOLUTION - RDC NO. 589, DE 20 DECEMBER 2021 Article 2 is applicable to a final article.

U.S. Pharmacopeia (USP)

This product has not been tested under any United States Pharmacopeia guidelines.

European Pharmacopoeia (EUP)

This product has not been tested under any European Pharmacopoeia guidelines.



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Animal-Derived Materials (ADM)/ BSE/TSE

Animal-derived materials are not intentionally used in the manufacture or formulation of this product.

USDA

The USDA recognizes FDA statements provided by material suppliers for food packaging.

ICHs: Elemental Impurities and Residual Solvents

This product as shipped does not intentionally use metals described in the ICH Harmonized Guideline for Elemental Impurities Q3D dated 26 April 2022 (including Cd, Pb, As, Hg, Co, V, Ni, Ti, Au, Pd, Ir, Os, Rh, Ru, Se, Ag, Pt, Li, Sb, Ba, Mo, Cu, Sn, Cr).

ICH/Q3C "Impurities: Guideline for Residual Solvents" is about the requirements for pharmaceuticals and as such is not applicable to polyethylene pellets. This product, as shipped, does not intentionally contain Class I, Class II or Class III solvents.

Marlex® Polyethylene PRO Appendix

For additional information, please see the following link.

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It is the responsibility of the customer to check compliance of the final articles with the relevant legislative and applicable regulatory requirements including their restrictions.

Disclaimer: *Before using this product, the user is advised and cautioned to make its own determination and assessment of the safety and suitability of the product for the specific use in question and is further advised against relying on the information contained herein as it may relate to any specific use or application. It is the ultimate responsibility of the user to ensure that the product is suited and the information is applicable to the user's specific application. Chevron Phillips Chemical Company LP does not make, and expressly disclaims, all warranties, including warranties of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose, regardless of whether oral or written, express or implied, or allegedly arising from any usage of any trade or from any course of dealing in connection with the use of the information contained herein or the product itself. The user expressly assumes all risk and liability, whether based in contract, tort or otherwise, in connection with the use of the information contained herein or the product itself. Further, information contained herein is given without reference to any intellectual property issues, as well as federal, state or local laws which may be encountered in the use thereof. Such questions should be investigated by the user. Any reference to registered trademarks for CPChem products generally refers to U.S. trademark registration of the same only, and trademark registrations in other jurisdictions may vary and should be confirmed by the user contacting its CPChem entity (or joint venture) representative.*

Additional information on the health and safety aspects of our product is listed in the SDS of the product.

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