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Technical Data Sheet K8600 Thermoplastic Elastomer

KEP Thermoplastics have been used by many of the world's leading medical device and Food & Beverage companies for over 20 years. Thermoplastic Elastomers offer a wide range of choices, providing specific properties, and functional benefits for new and existing applications. Kent's FDA-registered extrusion facility is maintained and adheres to ISO9000 and GMP guidelines. State of the art in-line laser gauges monitor precise and strict dimensional tolerances.

Typical Physical Properties

Properties based on injection molded samples

ASTM D-2240	ASTM D-412	ASTM D-412	ASTM D-412	ASTM D-412
Durometer (shore A)	Tensile @ Break	Elongation	100% Modulus	300% Modulus
57	1800 psi (12.4 MPa)	780%	280 psi (1.9 MPa)	320 psi (2.2 MPa)

Dimensions are controlled by in-line laser gauges. Products are made in the USA.

Key Features

Tear Strength: 155 pli (182.7 kg/cm)

Color: Translucent

Natural Colors are available

Natural Finish: Matte Other surface finishes available

Sterilization:

Ethylene oxide Gamma ray Dimensionally stable Can be resterilized

Biocompatibility

Meets FDA food grade requirements USP Class VI

Regulatory Compliance

DEHP free Free of animal derivatives Phthalate free BPA Free Operating Temp. -40 to 195°F (-40 to 91°C)

Resistant to Ozone Bondable to Polypropylene

Gamma Stable Soft rubbery feel

Compatible: fatty food use* Compatible: hot liquid use* Excellent colorability

^{*}Use is related to the FDA status of the material (see applicable CFR section) and the end use of the application. The end use needs to be evaluated to determine if it is acceptable for fatty food and/or hot liquid use.

The buyer must perform all tests necessary to confirm whether the product and its performance and qualities are suitable for the intended application. Final determination of fitness of the product for the intended application is the buyer's responsibility. Kent Elastomer shall not be liable for any misuse or misapplication of its products.