

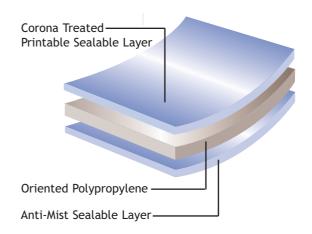
# **PropaFresh™ PFAM**

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# **Integrated Anti-Mist Film**

Biaxially oriented polypropylene (BOPP) film co-extruded on both sides with polyolefinic polymers.

- Excellent anti-mist properties for salad and vegetable packaging
- Heat sealable on both sides
- Film is printable
- Puncture and impact resistance maintained at low temperatures
- Unaffected by variations in climatic conditions
- Suitable for microwaving prepared vegetables



# **Applications**

**PFAM25/30/35** are oriented polypropylene films with integrated anti-mist. Suitable for packaging a wide range of fresh produce. The film can be used on vertical and horizontal packaging machines.

# **Technical Properties (Typical Values)**

Property	Test Method	Test Conditions	Units	PFAM		
Thickness	Innovia Films test		micron	25	30	35
Yield	Innovia Films test		m²/kg g/m²	44.0 22.7	36.6 27.3	31.4 31.9
Permeability to: Water vapour	ASTM F 1770	23°C 85% RH 38°C 90% RH	g/m².24 hrs	1.2 6.0	1.0 5.0	0.8 4.1
Oxygen	ASTM F 1927	23°C 0% RH	cc/m².24 hrs	1800	1600	1400
Optical: Gloss	ASTM D 2457	45°	units		90	
Haze (wide angle)	ASTM D 1003	2.5°	%	<3.5		
Coefficient of friction (film to film)	ASTM D 1894	Static / Dynamic		0.20-0.40		
Anti-mist test	ICI	4°C		D		
Corona treatment (printable)	Innovia Films test		dynes/cm	nes/cm 38		
Tensile strength	ASTM D 882	Strain rate 50% / min.	MN/m <sup>2</sup> MD 230 TD 190			
Elongation at break	ASTM D 882	Strain rate 50% / min.	% MD TD			
Elasticity modulas (1% secant)	ASTM D 882	Strain rate 10% / min.	MN/m <sup>2</sup> MD TD	2500 2100		
Sealing range	Innovia Films test	2 secs; 0.10 MN/m <sup>2</sup>	°C 120-145			
Seal strength	Innovia Films test	130°C; 2 secs; 0.10 MN/m²	g(f)/25mm	>250		
Shrinkage	Innovia Films test	60 secs at 130°C	% MD 4.0 TD -2.0			

All properties are tested under standard laboratory conditions:  $23\pm 2^{\circ}$ C;  $50\pm 5\%$  RH, unless otherwise stated. Where relevant, tests are based on international testing standards. MD Machine Direction TD Transverse Direction



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# **Reel Specifications**

#### Nominal Reel Diameters

Film	Length/(metres)					
PFAM25 PFAM30	1500 1250	3000 2500	6000 5000	9000 7500	12000 10000	18000 15000
PFAM35	1100	2200	4400	6600	8800	13200
Outside Diameter for 77mm Core	240mm	330mm	450mm	ns	ns	ns
Outside Diameter for 153mm Core	ns	ns	475mm	570mm	650mm	785mm

ns = non-standard

Other reel lengths are available subject to negotiation.

#### Corona Discharge Treatment

The film is treated on both sides. The printable surface is available on either the inner or outer surface of PropaFresh PFAM. The printable surface is indicated by a symbol on a label attached to each reel.

Treated Surface	Ordering Code	Label Symbol	
Inside	1	Printable >>	
Outside	0	Printable	

### Film Storage

No special conditions are required for the storage of PropaFresh PFAM but it is recommended that dry conditions at temperatures below 30°C are employed to minimise any deterioration of surface discharge treatment level.

PropaFresh PFAM is suitable for use for 6 months from the date of delivery and stocks should be used in rotation.

Films should be allowed to reach operating room temperatures for 24 hours before use.

#### **Food Contact**

PropaFresh PFAM is suitable for most applications involving direct contact with foodstuffs in the EU. The film does not comply with the current FDA regulations and so should not be used for direct food contact in the USA. For specific enquiries, please refer to literature reference B110 or contact our Technical Services Department.

### Health & Safety Guidelines

For Health and Safety information, please refer to literature reference B190.



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