

# LUCENE<sup>™</sup> SP988

## Metallocene Polyethylene

# **Applications**

• Hot & cold drinking water pipe, Floor heating, Radiator connection, AI composite pipe

### **Description**

- LUCENE<sup>™</sup> SP 988, LG PE-RT(TypeⅡ) is a high performance MDPE for hot and cold water pipe. It is developed by using a new LG catalyst technology.
- It has excellent stress crack resistance properties and Long Term Hydrostatic strength.
- LUCENE<sup>™</sup> SP 988 Polyethylene Resin meets requirements of the FDA regulation 177.1520 and NSF/ANSI Standard 61 (Drinking Water System Components Health Effect).

# **Typical properties**

Characteristics	Test Method	Unit	Value
Physical <sup>(1)</sup>	· · · ·		:
MFR(190℃,2.16Kg)	ASTM D1238	g/10min	0.6
Density	D1505	g/cm³	0.941
Mechanical <sup>(2)</sup>			
Tensile Strength at Yield	D638	MPa	20
Tensile Strength at Break	D638	MPa	36
Elongation at Break	D638	%	750
Hardness (Shore D)	ISO 868	-	61
Flexural Modulus	ISO 178	MPa	660
Izod Impact Strength	D256	J/m	Non Break
Thermal			
Melting Temperature	LG Method	°C	128
Vicat Softening Point	D1525	°C	125

(1) The properties data in this table are typical values, and not guaranteed specification.

(2) Typical resin property values are measured on a standard compression molded specimens

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## **Processing information**

- Equipment : Single Screw Extruder(Conventional PE Screw)
- Temperature :

Hopper zone	Cylinder (Barrel)	Head / Die zone
cooled	<b>180 ~ 230</b> ℃	<b>220 ~ 230</b> ℃

- Die to Calibration : 2 ~ 10cm
- Recommendation : Screw C/R ; 2.2 ~ 2.5

Screw L/D ; 24 ~ 30

Die Gap ; Wall Thickness X 1.7 ~ 2.5

• The actual extrusion conditions depend on the screw, die design, pipe diameter, wall thickness and throughput rate.

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