

Versalis Extir[®] Verdi VM AE

Technical Data Sheet Expandable Polystyrene

Versalis Extir[®] Verdi VM type 2000 AE, 3000 AE and 5000 AE is a white expandable polystyrene gamma with flame retardant properties guaranteed using a polymer-type flame retardant. The beads of Versalis Extir[®] VM AE are spherical in shape and contain pentane as an expanding agent. Versalis Extir[®] Verdi VM AE is a very versatile product, suitable for the production of thin-walled shaped products with good thermal conductivity, especially for low density and used for the production of medium high-density blocks and moulded parts with walls greater than 8 mm. The product is not suitable for food contact.

		Unit	VM 2000 AE	VM 3000 AE	VM 5000 AE
Bulk density		kg/m³	590 - 630		
Beads size		mm	0,4 - 0,75	0,6 – 1,0	0,9 – 1,8
Typical pentane content		%	< 6,5		
Minimum apparent c	lensity				
After one expansion		kg/m³	18	17	15
After two expansions		kg/m³	Non appl.	Non appl.	9
Usual density range		kg/m³	18 - 30	16 - 30	10 – 25
For	more informa	ation, please ref	er to the technical bu	Illetin "EXTIR® for buil	ding"
Applications					
Versalis Extir® VM 2000 AE	It is mainly used in the construction industry and industrial packaging. Typical applications are: • Thin-walled industrial packaging (e.g., electro-mob connectivity) • Underfloor and roof heating panels • Lightened mortar for building insulation				
Versalis Extir® VM 3000 AE	It is mainly used in the construction industry and industrial packaging. Typical applications are: Industrial protective packaging Medium/high density panels for thermal insulation Construction components, hot-wire cut or molded				
Versalis Extir® VM 5000 AE	It is mainly used in the construction sector. Typical applications are: Blocks and thermal insulation panels				

- Sound insulation blocks
 - Road foundation blocks



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Processing					
Versalis Extir® Verdi VM AE range products can be processed in three steps.					
Pre-expansion	Versalis Extir [®] VM AE can be pre-expanded to the densities indicated above with common continuous or discontinuous expanders.				
Aging	The aging time of the expanded beads is between 6 and 72 hours. It may vary according to the desired density and climate conditions.				
Molding	It can be molded in any type of EPS press or block in a wide range of vaporization conditions.				

Certifications

✓ Euroclass E, ✓ LNE, ✓ B1 nach DIN4102

Versalis Extir[®] VM AE is officially certified Euroclass E EN 13501-1, compliant with EN 13163 Annex E. For the products bearing French certification (LNE) or german certification (B1 nach DIN4102) certificates are provided on request. The flame-retardant properties of the finished product are effective only after blowing agent removal and after a proper aging time.

Storage				
	Keep the product in a dry well-ventilated store between 15 and 20°C.			
\bigcirc	For product packaged in octabins and stored correctly, the guaranteed shelf- life is one month from delivery.			
. ₩	Versalis Extir [®] VM AE molded panels and products should not be exposed to direct sunlight or wrapped in plastic film. We strongly recommend using opaque or white packaging.			

Safety

During the processing of Expandable Polystyrene, an explosive atmosphere may be generated due to air / pentane mixtures. For this reason, all possible causes of ignition such as open flames or sparks must be avoided, it is necessary to work in adequately ventilated places and a smoking should be forbidden. Adequate electrical grounding of machinery and of pneumatic conveyance lines is recommended. The product is HBCD-free and does not contain any CFCs or HCFCs. For further information relating to storage, packaging and processing precautions, please refer to the Technical Bulletin "Styrenics - Technical data sheets" and to the "Versalis Extir[®] VM A AE Safety Data Sheets".

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