

# DANCOLOR® MB-7016

#### **DESCRIPTION**

DANCOLOR® MB-7016 is a colour masterbatch based on TPU which will be delivered in regular anthracite coloured granules. It is specially intended for colouring thermoplastic TPU's (either polyester or polyether based), for extrusion, injection moulding or calendering processes.

# PRODUCT CHARACTERISTIC

|                  | Values                       | Test method          |
|------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|
| Density          | 1,20 g/cm <sup>3</sup>       | ASTM D-1875          |
| Colour index no. | RAL 7016                     |                      |
| Light fastness   | 7-8 (1-8) blue scale         | DIN 53 389           |
| Chromatic values | a 2,49<br>b 77,55<br>L 80,63 | CIELAB (D65, 10 deg) |

These are values which are not relevant for a specification

#### **PROCESSING**

For an intensive and even colouring an exact dose and a good distribution of the TPU is necessary. To reach optimum results we recommend a pre-drying of the product (alone or together with the TPU) in a hot air, vacuum or hot air circulation tumble dryer for 1 to 2 hours at 100–110 °C. The processing temperature during the production should not exceed 240°C.

# **APPLICATION**

DANCOLOR® MB-7016 can be applied and mixed with all products out of our PEARLTHANE®/ESTANE® or PEARLCOAT® range (based on polyester or polyether) which find their application by extrusion, injection moulding or calendering. An addition of 1 - 3 % (calculated by the weight of the TPU) is recommended. If there is a requirement by the end product, higher doses can also be considered.

### **PRODUCT SAFETY**

DANCOLOR® MB-7016 is under normal hygienic processing conditions a non-dangerous material. If bigger volumes are being processed in the melt a good exhaustion of the vapours and a good air circulation should be provided.

## PHYSIOLOGICAL CHARACTERISTICS

DANCOLOR® MB-7016 is in its chemical structure according to the recommendation of the BGA (Bundesgesundheitsamt) and FDA (FOOD and DRUG-ADMINISTRATION), the EU regulations 90/128/CEE and 96/11/CE, for the application and production of food packaging and utilities. The rules and recommendations must be kept.



# **PACKAGING**

25 kg PE aluminium bags with moisture protection on 750 kg pallets.

### **STORAGE**

DANCOLOR® MB-7016 should be stored cool and dry (15 - 25 °C), in tightly closed containers. In its original packaging the storage time of the product is at least 6 months.



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