

## Description

Clysar® PHOENIX™ shrink film is a new multi-layer film with unique characteristics and market-leading performance. It is an ultra-strong, clear, crosslinked, biaxially oriented polyolefin.

# Clysar® PHOENIX™

DATA SHEET

## Uses

Clysar® PHOENIX™ shrink film is an exceptionally versatile, easy-to-run, high-performance film with best-in-class clarity and strength in all gauges. PHOENIX™ film has been developed to provide strong, robust packages over a large operating window on all types of shrink packaging equipment.

A highly functional and forgiving “drop in” solution, PHOENIX™ shrink film offers superior optics and unmatched seal and shrink performance. It is an ideal multi-purpose film to package virtually any type of product.

**PHOENIX™**  
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## Significant Features

### Equipment

- Performs on all types of shrink packaging equipment including manual, semi-automatic, automatic, side seal and static seal machines

### Sealing

- Provides strong, durable seals on all conventional sealing systems
- Exceptionally wide sealing range
- Requires little or no cooling dwell
- Excellent seal integrity

### Shrinking

- Exceptional heat/burn-through resistance
- Higher than typical shrink force for robust finished packages
- Ideal for bundling, multi-packs and shipping stabilization

### General

- Excellent tear resistance
- High gloss and clarity
- Optimum package cleanup and appearance
- Ideal for printed and high-speed shrink packaging



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## FDA/USDA Status

Clysar® films sold by Clysar, LLC, for food packaging use comply with U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) requirements under the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act as amended. Clysar complies with FDA regulation 21 CFR 177.1520—Olefin polymers, allowing use for articles that contact food, except for articles used for packing or holding food during cooking.

## Use

Clysar, LLC, does not recommend heating or cooking foods in Clysar® films. High temperature, high speed, heat sealing of polyolefin shrink films will release small amounts of “smoke,” which should be removed by adequate ventilation in normal commercial practice.

## Disposal

Preferred options for disposal are: (1) recycling, SPI Code—Class 4; (2) incineration with energy recovery; and (3) landfill. The high fuel value of this product makes option 2 very desirable for material that cannot be recycled.

## Storage

Storage below 32°C (90°F) is recommended. Prolonged exposure to temperatures moderately above 32°C (90°F) or brief exposure to temperatures well above 32°C (90°F) may cause difficulty in unwinding film.

For more detailed information on the safe handling of Clysar® films, a “Safety in Handling and Use” guide or the OSHA Material Safety Data Sheets can be obtained from your Clysar representative.

## Standard Put-Ups

- Available gauges: 45 and 60
- Flat and folded film is available in 1” increments.
- Custom widths may be available by contacting your Clysar representative.
- Pre-perforated film in standard pattern is available in all gauges for folded film and flat film.
- PHOENIX™ film is wound on 3” and 6” cores to the standard roll sizes shown in Table 1.

## Summary of Properties

### Clysar® PHOENIX™ - Linear Footage Flat Film

Core I.D., in.	Roll O.D., in.	Gauge	
		45	60
3	9 1/2	11660	8750
3	13	23320	17500
6	11	11660	8750
6	14	23320	17500
6	18 3/4	46640	35000

### Typical Properties of Clysar® PHOENIX™

Property	ASTM Test Method	Unit	Gauge	
			45	60
Haze	D1003	%	2.5	2.7
Gloss (at 20°)	D2457	-	143	148
COF, Kinetic	D1894	-	0.23	0.24
Shrinkage, 90°C Hot Water Bath	D2732-14	% (area)	50	50
Shrink Force 100°C (212°F)	D2838	g	65	70
Stiffness Modulus (avg)	D882	kpsi	66	65
Tensile Strength (avg)	D882	kpsi	15	15
Elongation (avg)	D882	%	126	129
Tear Strength (avg) Elmendorf	D1922	g	11	17
Spencer Impact	D3420	lbf	6.40	9.00

Note: These values are typical data for PHOENIX™ shrink film and are not intended for use as limiting specifications.

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