

DECLARATION OF COMPLIANCE FOR SEMI-FINISHED PRODUCTS INTENDED TO COME INTO CONTACT WITH FOOD

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Vink Plast ApS hereby declare that:

PE-HD Natural, black and grey 1056 FCM sheets, solid rods and welding rods and finished parts machined from these products by Vink Plast ApS ²⁾:

- Comply with the requirements of the regulation (EC) no. 1935/2004
- Comply with the European directive (EU) 10/2011 as amended up to and inclusive the commission Regulation (EC) no. 2023/1627
- Comply with the legal requirements of the German Food and Feed code (LFGB)
- Declaration 681/2020/DK

PE-HD is a semi-finished product based on a high-density polyethylene (HDPE).

All materials and raw materials used are in compliance with the specifications of the European directive (EU) no. 10/2011.

Conformity-relevant NIAS (Non-intentionally Added Substances) were assessed according to Article 19 of regulation EC/10/2011 and classified as harmless.

PE-HD sheets, solid rods and welding rods contains special ingredients for which a specific migration limit (SML) applies. If required, further information can be provided on request (confidentiality agreement must be signed).

The overall migration values and the specific migration values are considerably below the admissible limits during intended use. The tests were carried out in accordance with Regulation (EU) no. 10/2011.

Dual-use additives are not added to the materials and are not added in the pre-products as declared by our suppliers.

The materials are produced according to the good manufacturing practice for materials and articles intended to come into contact with food. The single elements of the European directive 2023/2006/EC are implemented in our certified quality system according to DIN EN ISO 9001-2015.

Specifications for material use:

- Tested and passed for contact with all kind of food (migration tests done with food simulants A, B, D2 according to the European directive E(EU) no. 10/2011
- Repeated contact over a time period of each 24 h at max. 40 °C.
- Ratio of the material surface which comes into contact with food to the volume 6 dm² at 1000 ml.

PE-HD sheets, solid rods and welding rods does not contain functional barrier resins.

Prior to first use with food, the products must be cleaned appropriately.

It remains the responsibility of the customer putting the plastic article manufactured from the products into the intended use, to assess the final suitability of the plastics material for the intended food contact application; i.e. checking if the physical properties of the plastics material make it suitable for the intended application, checking compliances of the finished plastic article with the relevant migration limits, checking for possible influence of the plastics material on the composition and/or organoleptic properties of the contacting foodstuff, etc.

Notes:

¹⁾ This declaration expires 5 years after its date of issue or in case of regulatory or compositional changes which require reevaluation. Please always contact Vink Plast' customer service for latest version. For information about available dimensions, please contact Vink Plast' customer service.

²⁾ Regulation (EC) no. 1935/2004 of the European Parliament and the Council of 27 October 2004 on materials and articles intended to come into contact with food and repealing Directives 80/590/EEC and 89/109/EEC – Article 16.

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