MCX 120680
Antimicrobial Masterbatch
Polystyrene (PS)

Product Code ........................................ MCX 120680

Description
MCX 120680 is a 25% active silver-based antimicrobial masterbatch formulated specifically for use into polystyrene (PS) compounds. This additive achieves high performance at relatively low concentrations with minimal affect to physical properties and is light resistant and stable with little or no discoloration with age.

Antimicrobial compounds can help protect parts against staining, odors, and degradation due to fungi, mold, yeasts, mildew, algae and other microbes. This material does not protect users or others against food-borne or disease-causing bacteria. For more information please reference EPA Pesticide Registration Notice 2000-1.

Composition
Antimicrobial ........................................... 25% Silver-based
Resin/Carrier ............................................ PS

General and Technical Data
Recommended letdown .............................. 2% to 24% depending on desired efficacy
FDA applications ........................................ 2% to 8%
Pellet size .................................................. 60 pellets/gram
Form supplied ............................................. Pellets
Application ............................................... Injection Molding/extrusion/film
Heat stability (additive) ......................... 500°C
Packaging ............................................... Gaylord, drum, or bag

Regulatory
Components of MCX 120680 are compliant with EPA and/or FDA regulations for food contact applications and are RoHS compliant.

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Data are obtained from specimens molded under carefully controlled conditions from representative samples of the product described herein. Properties may be materially affected by molding techniques applied and by the size and shape of the item molded. No assurance can be implied that all molded articles will have the same properties as those listed.

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