

# Exceed™ 2018RB

## Performance Polymer

### Product Description

Exceed™ 2018RB is an ethylene 1-hexene copolymer resin. Films that incorporate Exceed™ 2018RB can enable outstanding tensile, impact strength and puncture. These superior strength properties, along with excellent drawability, highlight a very versatile packaging film resin. The higher melt index also makes this polymer resin suitable for blending into LDPE rich films. Fluoropolymers, or fluorine-containing compounds, and TNPP are not intentionally added to Exceed™ 2018RB.

### General

Availability <sup>1</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Africa &amp; Middle East</li> <li>Asia Pacific</li> <li>Europe</li> </ul>
Additive	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Antiblock: 2500 ppm</li> <li>Slip: 800 ppm</li> <li>Thermal Stabilizer: Yes</li> <li>Alternative Processing Aid: Yes</li> </ul>
Applications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Agricultural Film</li> <li>Bag in Box</li> <li>Barrier Food Packaging</li> <li>Blown Film</li> <li>Bread Bags</li> <li>Food Packaging</li> <li>Form Fill And Seal Packaging</li> <li>Freezer Film</li> <li>General Packaging</li> <li>Lamination Film</li> <li>Multilayer Packaging Film</li> <li>Overwrap Film</li> <li>Packaging Films</li> <li>Premium Trash Bags</li> <li>Stand Up Pouches</li> <li>Trash Bags</li> </ul>
Form(s)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pellets</li> </ul>
Revision Date	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>04/19/2024</li> </ul>

### Resin Properties

	Typical Value (English)	Typical Value (SI)	Test Based On
Density / Specific Gravity	0.918 g/cm <sup>3</sup>	0.918 g/cm <sup>3</sup>	ASTM D792
Melt Index (190°C/2.16 kg)	2.0 g/10 min	2.0 g/10 min	ASTM D1238
Peak Melting Temperature	244 °F	118 °C	ExxonMobil Method

### Thermal

	Typical Value (English)	Typical Value (SI)	Test Based On
Vicat Softening Temperature	221 °F	105 °C	ExxonMobil Method

### Film Properties

	Typical Value (English)	Typical Value (SI)	Test Based On
Tensile Strength at Yield MD	1300 psi	9.0 MPa	ASTM D882
Tensile Strength at Yield TD	1400 psi	9.3 MPa	ASTM D882
Tensile Strength at Break MD	7200 psi	50 MPa	ASTM D882
Tensile Strength at Break TD	6100 psi	42 MPa	ASTM D882
Elongation at Break MD	560 %	560 %	ASTM D882
Elongation at Break TD	620 %	620 %	ASTM D882
Secant Modulus MD - 1% Secant	26000 psi	180 MPa	ASTM D882
Secant Modulus TD - 1% Secant	27000 psi	180 MPa	ASTM D882
Dart Drop Impact	500 g	500 g	ASTM D1709A
Elmendorf Tear Strength MD	330 g	330 g	ASTM D1922
Elmendorf Tear Strength TD	490 g	490 g	ASTM D1922
Puncture Force	8 lbf	35 N	ExxonMobil Method
Puncture Energy	17 in-lb	1.9 J	ExxonMobil Method

### Optical Properties

	Typical Value (English)	Typical Value (SI)	Test Based On
Gloss (45°)	50	50	ASTM D2457
Haze	14 %	14 %	ASTM D1003

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### Legal Statement

Fluoropolymers, or fluorine-containing compounds, and tris(nonylphenol) phosphite (TNPP) CAS# 26523-78-4 are not intentionally used by ExxonMobil in this product. Although this product is not routinely tested for their presence, based on product composition knowledge these substances are not expected to be present. However, the fact that these substances are not intentionally used by ExxonMobil in this product does not exclude that trace levels of these substances may be present as a result of the specific characteristics of the raw materials and/or of the manufacturing process.

This product is not intended for use in medical applications and should not be used in any such applications.

Contact your ExxonMobil Chemical Customer Service Representative for potential food contact application compliance (e.g. FDA, EU, HPFB).

### Processing Statement

Film (1 mil/25.4 micron) made on a 2.5 inch (63.5 mm) blown film line with a 2.5:1 blow-up ratio, a melt temperature of 400-420°F (204-216°C), a 60 mil (1.52 mm) die gap at a rate of 9 lbs/hr/in die circumference (1.61 kg/hr/cm).

### Notes

Typical properties: these are not to be construed as specifications.

<sup>1</sup> Product may not be available in one or more countries in the identified Availability regions. Please contact your Sales Representative for complete Country Availability.

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