

FRESH START PURGING SOLUTIONS™

EASY COLOR CHANGES - SUPERIOR CLEAN



DEVELOPED BY POLYMER ENGINEERS FOR POLYMER ENGINEERING APPLICATIONS





FRESH START PURGING SOLUTIONS™ WHEN YOU NEED MORE THAN JUST ANOTHER PURGING COMPOUND.

Fresh Start Purging Solutions™ are a patented, revolutionary, all-purpose purging compounds which are intended to cover the needs of the plastic processing industry. The MC2-HH™ & GP-HH Hybrid solutions are only two in a series of innovative and ground breaking purges designed for the removal of unwanted pigments, polymers and contaminates without leaving residue.

Both formulas have been engineered to pass through hot runner systems with a min .010 inch or 254µm (microns) to completely clean the entire flow path. No need for soak time or to increase the heat over your normal processing temperatures.

MC2-HH[™] and GP-HH Hybrid formulas encompass many capabilities all in one formula vs other compounds that are engineered for only one issue or process type:

- 1. High Heat
- 2. Hot Runner Cleaning
- 3. Clear Applications
- 4. Process Type
- 5. Ext...

Why buy all these grades, manage inventory, and hope the correct grade is used for each application. Stream line your processes and consolidate into one purge that will satisfy all your needs.



| | Grades | GP-HH Hybrid | МС2-НН™ |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------|---------|
| Injection Molding | Hot Runner Systems | • | • |
| | Cold Runner / Conventional | • | • |
| Other Processes | Blow Molding | • | • |
| | Compounding | • | • |
| Extrusion | Blown Film | • | • |
| | Cast Film | • | • |
| | Sheet | • | • |
| | Profile | • | • |
| Processing Temperatures | Low (°F) | 350 | 350 |
| | High (°F) | 625 | 625 |
| | Low (°C) | 177 | 177 |
| | High (°C) | 329 | 329 |

WEEKENDER FEATURE

MC2-HH™ allows the purge to sit in the barrel over a shut-down period without degrading and seals the screw and barrel from moisture. This feature allows for easy start-ups by simply adding your process resin to the hopper and start running production parts.

HOT FEATURE!





FRESH START PURGING SOLUTIONS™ MC2-HH™ & GP-HH HYBRID FORMULATIONS

MC2-HH™ MC2-HH™ is a proprietary solution for mechanical purge applications where hybrid / chemical purges are not preferred.

- Engineered thermoplastic purging solutions, formulated for the effective removal of resins, pigments and contaminants
- Designed for guick color changes
- Specifically formulated for cleaning manifolds, hot runners and other channels with tight clearance
- Safe, non-abrasive, non-hazardous purging solution developed around Generally Recognized As Safe (GRAS) ingredients under FDA 21 CFR
- Formulated for ease of use with no purging solution residue

| ITEM NUMBER | DESCRIPTION | |
|-------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| MC2A55 | MC2-A PE BASED 55LBS - MECHANICAL | |
| MC2A1320 | MC2-A PE BASED 1320LBS - MECHANICAL | |

DIFFERENTIATORS



The flexibility of Fresh Start Purging Compounds allows users to replace a number of formulas/grades typically used for a specific application. **This** feature could reduce inventory, purchasing costs, and accidental miss use.

Unlike other purging compounds, Fresh Start Purging Compounds require zero soak time for the chemical reactions to take place. Other purging formula brands require the temp to be raised to get the best performance out of the purge. Fresh Start MC2-HH[™] and GP-HH Hybrid do not require or suggest raising the barrel temps.

GP-HH HYBRID

GP-HH Hybrid is a patent pending mechanical/chemical purging solution designed for the superior removal of the most difficult engineering resins from plastics processing equipment.

- Engineered thermoplastic purging solutions, formulated for the effective removal of even the most difficult resins, pigments and contaminants
- Designed for ease of use with no purging solution residue
- Ideal for quick color changeovers, particular liquid pigment dispersions and dyes
- Safe, non-abrasive, non-hazardous purging solution developed around Generally Recognized As Safe (GRAS) ingredients under FDA 21 CFR
- Not recommended for POM resins

| ITEM NUMBER | DESCRIPTION | |
|-------------|--|--|
| GPA55 | GP-A PE BASED 55LBS - HYBRID CHEMICAL/MECHANICAL | |
| GPA1320 | GP-A PE BASED 1320LBS - HYBRID CHEMICAL/MECHANICAL | |







FRESH START PURGING SOLUTIONSTM APPLICATION & SPECIFICATIONS

| APPLICATIONS: | Injection- cold and hot runners, blow molding Extrusion- profile, sheet, cast film, compounding, blow film | |
|--------------------|---|--|
| Temperature Range: | 350° F - 625° F (177° C - 329° C) | |
| Types of Resins: | All types | |
| Minimum Clearance: | .010 inch or 254µm (microns) | |
| Amount of Purge | Generally requiring 1 to 3 times the barrel capacity depending on the machine condition | |
| Shelf-life | For best results use within 12 months. The purging compounds have been adjusted to address the challenge of exposure to moisture. (Keep bag sealed for maximum shelf life.) | |



| MACHINE CLAMPING FORCE | Suggested Purge Quantity Guideline | | |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------|--|
| CLAWIPING FUNCE | Initial Purge | Regular Use | |
| 100 ton machine | 5 pounds | 1.5 pounds | |
| 200 ton machine | 7.5 pounds | 2.5 pounds | |
| 300 ton machine | 10 pounds | 4 pounds | |
| 400 ton machine | 15 pounds | 5.5 pounds | |
| 500 ton machine | 18 pounds | 6.5 pounds | |
| 600 ton machine | 20 pounds | 8 pounds | |
| 700 ton machine | 25 pounds | 9.5 pounds | |
| 800 ton machine | 28 pounds | 10.5 pounds | |
| 900 ton machine | 32 pounds | 12 pounds | |
| 1000 ton machine | 35 pounds | 13.5 pounds | |
| 1500 ton machine | 40 pounds | 20 pounds | |
| 2000 ton machine | 45 pounds | 26 pounds | |
| 2500 ton machine | 50 pounds | 33 pounds | |
| 3000 ton machine | 65 pounds | 40 pounds | |

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Suggested Purge Quantity is a guideline for purging the barrel and screw only. Purging through the manifold/mold may require an additional 30-50% of the suggested amounts

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