

## ASCHEM EPS - EXPANDABLE POLYSTYRENE

### EPS 0709R

#### Product Description

Spherical Expandable Polystyrene beads with pentane as blowing agent.

#### Product Applications

This product is recommended for molding applications of industrial packaging, geofoam application, medium or low density block, decoration materials, boards and construction products in which flame retardancy is not necessary.

#### Product Properties

Bead Size Range (Typical)	Sieve Analysis	Bulk Density
0.70 - 0.90 mm	0.50 - 1.05 mm min. 96%	590 - 630 kg/m <sup>3</sup>

#### Packaging

Package Type	BIGBAG
Pallet Size (cm x cm)	105 x 105
Net Weight (kg)	1125

#### Processing

ASCHEM EPS 0709R can be expanded to densities between 16 kg/m<sup>3</sup> and 28 kg/m<sup>3</sup> with single pre-expansion. Density of molded product is also between 16 kg/m<sup>3</sup> and 28 kg/m<sup>3</sup>.

After pre-expansion, the EPS products should be aged in silos between 6-28 hours depending on the blowing agent type, amount, environment and process conditions.

Please contact our Technical Department for optimum process conditions (e.g. steam pressure, residence time etc.) for energy saving, process efficiency and product quality.

#### Storage

EPS products should always be stored in cool and dry place below 25 °C to minimize loss of blowing agent. It should not be exposed to the extreme weather conditions (rain, snow, frost, and sunlight) and must be protected from damage.

In order to get better performance from EPS products, once packaging has been opened, their contents should be used as soon as possible. Shelf life of product in unopened big-bag that has been stored under recommended conditions is 5 months from production date.

#### Health Effects, Safety, Environment and Waste Management

Both during production and storage, contact with open flame or electrical sparks and static discharges must be strictly avoided. Smoking should be prohibited around EPS materials. Please make sure to read the "Material Safety Data Sheet" (MSDS) before use.

EPS is accepted as an environment friendly material for energy efficiency purposes.

EPS materials can be recyclable.

#### Disclaimer

The information contained herein may include typical properties of our products or their typical performances when used in certain typical applications. Actual properties of our products, in particular when used in conjunction with any third party material(s) or for any non-typical applications, may differ from typical properties.

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The customer is responsible for the appropriate, safe and legal use, processing and handling of all product(s) purchased from us.

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