

DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY, EUROPE

Product description

RP37

Sales Code: RP37

Use: Adhesive, a component of pressure-sensitive label

Food contact regulations

We hereby confirm that the above mentioned product is in compliance with the EC regulations

EC 1935/2004 on materials and articles intended to come into contact with food

EC 2023/2006 on good manufacturing practice for materials and articles intended to come into contact with food. All UPM Raflatac manufacturing sites in Europe have a food safety system according to ISO 22000:2005.

The product composition is in compliance with the ingredient requirements of at least one of the following EU measures - EU 10/2011 on plastic materials and articles intended to come into contact with food or BfR (Federal Institute for Risk Assessment) - Recommendation XIV 'Kunststoffdispersionen' (Plastics Dispersions) or Swiss Ordinance RS 817.023.21

The product contains substances listed with SML restrictions in EU Regulation 10/2011 and amendments or Swiss Ordinance RS 817.023.21. On request and after concluding a non-disclosure contract these substances may be disclosed to a testing laboratory for performance of necessary tests.

Furthermore the composition of the above mentioned product complies with

the FDA (Food and Drug Administration), Code of Federal Regulations CFR 21 175.105 Adhesives, subject to the restrictions in (a)(2)

Dual use substances:

Substance name	E code
Erythorbic acid	E315

Specifications on the use of the material:

- According to the migration tests performed by accredited laboratory (EN ISO 17025) the adhesive RP37 may be used safely for the reverse coating of the labels for storage at room temperature. The adhesive layers in these may stand in direct contact with dry, moist and such kind of fatty foodstuff to which a correction factor of at least 5 can be applied according to regulation (EU) 10/2011. The maximum contact area in direct labelling of foodstuff is 2dm²/1kg food.
- Furthermore the labels coated with the adhesive may be used for the labelling of food packaging materials labels for storage at room temperature or below. The maximum contact area in laminating application is 6 dm²/1kg food.

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- Sensory evaluation has been done by accredited laboratory according to EN 1230-2 for paper and board (sample area: 2 dm²). According to the test, the off-flavour was less than 2, moderate off-flavour. The testing was done with individual PP Gloss Clear/RP37-samples, that represent the normal production.

In view of many factors that may affect processing and application of our product, this does not relieve processors from carrying out their own investigations and tests. This declaration is valid for the production from our sites after the date above.

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