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# **Dyneonä**TF 2021 PTFE / TF 2025 PTFE

# fine powders for unsintered thread sealing tapes, joint sealants and pipe liners

### **Features and Benefits**

- Processable by standard paste extrusion methods
- Both grades can be processed at low to medium reduction ratios
- TF 2021 PTFE is preferred for unsintered thread sealing tapes and expanded joint sealants
- TF 2025 PTFE is recommended for pipe liner applications because of its superior green strength

### Typical Properties (Data not for specification purposes)

### **Powder properties**

	TF 2021 PTFE	TF 2025 PTFE	
Bulk density	510 kg/m³	510 kg/m³	ISO 12086
Average particle size	500 μm	500 μm	ISO 12086
Extrusion pressure	30 Mpa	40 Mpa	ISO 12086
(reduction ratio 400)	4350 psi	5800 psi	
Reduction ratio range	20-500:1	20-300:1	Dyneon
			internal method

### Mechanical properties\*, measured at 23°C (73°F)

	TF 2021 PTFE	TF 2025 PTFE	
Tensile strength	28 MPa	28 MPa	ISO 12086
	4060 psi	4060 psi	
Elongation at break	340 %	340 %	ISO 12086
Density	2,15 g/cm <sup>3</sup>	2,15 g/cm <sup>3</sup>	ISO 12086

<sup>\*</sup>average values, measured according to ISO 12086 on 1.6mm (0.06") sintered sheets.

# Dyneon™ TF 2021 PTFE / 2025 PTFE



### Recommended processing procedures

Dyneon TF 2021 PTFE and TF 2025 PTFE can be processed by the conventional paste extrusion method. The fine powder is mixed with a suitable lubricant and compacted into a preform, which is then extruded through the die of a ram extruder to produce tubing, pipe, tape or cord. Tapes can also be produced by calendering a cord still containing lubricant. The lubricant is then evaporated and the tape/cord is stretched or the tube/pipe is sintered.

### **Packaging**

Dyneon TF 2021 PTFE and TF 2025 are supplied in moisture and dust-tight plastic drums.

Capacity per drum: 25 kg (55 lbs.)
Order quantity per pallet: 300 kg (661 lbs.)

### **Storage**

Dyneon TF 2021 PTFE and TF 2025 PTFE can be stored for a relatively long period of time. They should be stored and mixed (addition of lubricant) in a clean, dry place at a temperature of less than 19°C (66°F) to retain free-flowing properties. Before processing, it is advisable to store the material in a sealed container for at least 24 hours in the production area to eliminate the risk of condensation in the powder. This is particularly important when ambient temperature is low, in such cases the material should be conditioned for up to 72 hours in the production area.

### Management systems

Dyneon has achieved ISO 9001 registration for its worldwide locations and ISO 14001 registration for its Gendorf facility located in Germany. Dyneon has achieved A2LA accreditation for its US operations located in Aston, PA.

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