

ENVIRONMENTAL AND PRODUCT SAFETY DATA SHEET

Product

PP-trays

Raw Material

Polypropylene (PP)

Additives

Color

Packaging

Inner: Polyethylene

Outer: Corrugated board box

Field Of Application

The trays are intended for deliveries of individual portions of ready-cooked meals from large-scale households. The trays may be used for storing 40°C in 10 days and for re-heating in a microwave.

EC Directive 94/62/EC on Packaging and Packaging Waste

The packaging complies with all essential requirements as defined by 94/62/EC. For example minimum adequate amount of packaging, limitation of heavy metal content, recyclable through at least one of the following: reuse, material recovery, energy recovery or composting.

Environmental Aspects

Product

Polypropylene is produced by refining of mineral oil or natural gas. The polymer simply consists of carbon and hydrogen.

Packaging

Polyethylene is made by refining of mineral oil or natural gas. The polymer consists simply of carbon and hydrogen. The corrugated board box is to a large extend made of recycled fibres. The printing ink is water-based

Product Safety

The product / raw material fullfil the following:

- EC-directive 2002/72/EC, "Material and products of plastic intended to come into contact with foodstuff".
- The product have been tested regarding global migration of chemical substances into food. The tests have been performed according to EC-directive 2002/70/EC article 2. The total migration is below the limit 10 mg/dm² when tested for 2 hours at 70°C and for 10 days at 40°C with 3% acetic acid and 95% ethanol. It has also been tested in a microwave at 750 W to maximum heating with the same stimulants as above.
- Duni manufacturing units are certified according to the international quality system ISO 9001 and 9002. They have also implemented or will implement the environmental management system ISO 14001.

Management Of Used Products

Energy Recovery

All the materials are suited for energy recovery. Complete combustion gives mainly rise to carbon dioxide and water. The energy content of plastics/paper is comparable to that of oil/ wood.

Recycling

Recycling of the plastic and the corrugated board is possible for producing new products. Check with the local recycling company.

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