



Declaration of compliance

Regarding following items: 5346 - Flexible extension handle for 53515, 785 mm
53515 - Flexible Handle, stainless steel, 755 mm, White

Producer: **Vikan A/S**
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Materials: **Handle for 53515 produced from polypropylene 97 %, White masterbatch 2 % and foamer 1 %**

Polypropylene:

Monomers and additives used to manufacture this grade are listed in Commission Regulation (EU) No. 10/2011 of 14. January 2011 on plastic materials and articles intended to come into contact with foodstuffs. Current amendments 321/2011 (1. April 2011), 1282/2011 (10. December 2011), 1183/2012 (30. November 2012) and 2015/174 (5. Februarv 2015) are included.

This polypropylene grade contains the following "dual use" additives: Glycerol monostearat, calcium stearat and talc.

No monomers and additives with specific migration limit (SML) are used.

White masterbatch and foamer:

Monomers and additives used to manufacture this grade are listed in Commission Regulation (EU) No. 10/2011 of 14. January 2011 on plastic materials and articles intended to come into contact with foodstuffs. Current amendments 321/2011 (1. April 2011), 1282/2011 (10. December 2011), 1183/2012 (30. November 2012) and 2015/174 (5. February 2015) are included.

Following monomers and additives with specific migration limit (SML) are used in the white masterbatch: Ref no. 13380/25600/94960, cas no. 77-99-6, 1,1,1-trimethylolpropan and ref. no 68320, cas no. 2082-79-3, octadecyl-3-(3,5-di-tert-butyl-4- hydroxyphenyl) propionat. Calculations have proven that the product meets the requirement regarding the SML.

Following dual use additives are used: Ref. no. 42500 Carbonic acid salts and Ref. no. 86240 Anti-blocking

Regarding the foamer following additives with specific migration limit (SML) are used: Vinyl acetat, Cas no. 108-05-4 with SML 12.00 mg/kg and 2,6-Di-tert-Butyl-p-cresol (BHT), Cas no. 128-37-0 with SML 3.00 mg/kg. The product meets the requirement regarding SML for both materials either by product test (Vinyl acetate) or by calculation (BHT).

Stainless steel thread for 5346 and 53515

The stainless steel thread is made from Stainless steel Grade 1.4301 (AISI 304)
No restrictions or specific migration levels on stainless steel.

FDA: All raw materials in this product are in compliance with FDA (Food and Drug Administration in the USA) CFR 21.

EU Commission: In accordance with EU Commission Regulation no. 1935/2004 the product is intended for food contact. The product can be marked with the "glass & fork" symbol on the packaging or by labeling.

The product is produced according to EU Commission Regulation no. 2023/2006 on good manufacturing practices for materials and articles intended to come into contact with food (GMP).

Overall migration tests are made on similar products. The products meet the requirements regarding overall migration to 50 % ethanol, 3 % acetic acid, tenax (for non liquid foodstuff) and isooctane (substitute to olive

Food contact: No limitation

Usage temperature: Min. temp.: -20 °C
Max. temp.: 80 °C

General: It is recommended that equipment is cleaned, disinfected and sterilised, as appropriate to it's intended use, It is also important to clean, disinfect and sterilise equipment as appropriate after use, using the appropriate decontamination chemicals, concentrations, times and temperatures.
Appropriate equipment decontamination will minimise the risk of microbial growth and cross contamination and will maximise the efficiency and durability of the equipment.

Max. Wash temp.: 121 °C

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