## **Characterised Polymer Sample Library**

Containing 14 Common Packaging Materials And Two Filler Materials For DSC and FTIR



Polymers can be found in all manner of everyday applications, and the materials selected for the polymer kit available from Ruston Services Ltd have been selected to cover a wide range of behaviours. All of the materials have been characterised by experts using FTIR and either DSC or TGA, giving confidence in the data supplied, and separate data sheets are provided for each material when comparing with your own analysis.

Characterisation data sheets include: DSC or TGA curves which have been calculated to show values etc; suggested analysis methods; sample sizes; sample preparation suggestions; FTIR data, and proofs of temperature accuracy for the analysis provided. Thermal analysis data is also provided as ASCII text files, allowing data to be imported into your own software for comparisons with your own materials.

The FTIR data shows the infrared spectrum for each material, and the results of using a spectrum database search, with data provided in PDF format.

All supplied data is available on a USB stick included with each kit. The data supplied is NOT copy-protected, and users are allowed to pass on methods and characterisation data.

## Polymer Library Contents and Specifications

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## **Specifications**

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Polymer Materials	LDPE	Low Density Polyethylene
	LDPE	Recycled LDPE
	LLDPE	Linear Low Density Polyethylene
	MDPE	Medium Density Polyethylene
	Recycled LDPE	Low Density Polyethylene with included MDPE
	HDPE	High Density Polyethylene
Kit includes 15g of each	PP #1	Polypropylene Homopolymer
material	PP #2	Polypropylene Copolymer
	PET	Polyethylene Terephthalate
	PA6	Polyamide 6
	PA66	Polyamide 6,6
	EVA	Ethylene Vinyl Acetate
	PS	Polystyrene (amorphous—no cooling data included)
	EVOH	Ethylene Vinyl Alcohol
Inorganic Materials	CaCO3	
	Carbon Black	
Polymer Characterisation Information Provided	DSC Data for each polymer material in PDF format, including recom- mended temperature program and graphical views of the data. The poly- mer manufacturer information is included, as well as an FTIR spectrum and FTIR library search results.	
Inorganic Materials	The CaCO3 and carbon black are characterised by TGA, with method information, heating rates, temperature range, and curve data. Also provided are FTIR and search data.	
Data Format	Method and characterisation data by both FTIR and DSC or TGA are supplied on a USB stick in PDF format and text format, allowing import into other software types.	

## **Ordering Information**

Quotation Requests	Please email your requirements to sales@rustons.org.uk, stating how many kits you wish to order, and to which country for delivery. Quotations are normally valid for 60 days.
Ordering	Please send your official order number to the address below or by email to sales@rustons.org.uk If your organisation is VAT registered, please ensure that your VAT number is clearly visible on your order.
Delivery	Delivery is normally 4 - 6 weeks from receipt of order. We may be able to provide faster delivery in some circumstances