

§ 178.3930

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List of substances	Limitations
Mono-, di-, and tristearyl citrate. Oleic acid amide. Palmitic acid amide. Petrolatum	Conforming to the identity prescribed in § 178.3700. For use only at levels not to exceed 0.5 percent by weight of the finished surface lubricant formulation.
Phosphoric acid, mono- and dihexyl esters, compounds with tetramethylnonylamines and C ₁₁₋₁₄ -alkylamines (CAS Reg. No. 80939–62–4). Polyethylene glycol (molecular weight 300 or greater)	
Stannous stearate. Stearic acid amide. Stearyl stearate. Tetrakis[methylene (3,5-di- <i>tert</i> -butyl-4-hydroxyhydrocinamate)] methane (CAS Registry No. 6683–19–8). Triethylene glycol	Mono- and diethylene glycol content not to exceed a total of 0.2 pct. For use at a level not to exceed 0.5 percent by weight of the finished surface lubricant formulation. Diethylene glycol content not to exceed 0.1 pct. Complying with § 178.3710.
Wax, petroleum	

(c) The substances identified in paragraph (a)(2) of this section may be used in surface lubricants used to facilitate the drawing, stamping, and forming of metallic articles from rolled foil and sheet stock provided that total residual lubricant remaining on the metallic article in the form in which it contacts food does not exceed 0.015 milligram per square inch of food-contact surface.

(d) Subject to any prescribed limitations, the quantity of surface lubricant used in the manufacture of metallic articles shall not exceed the least amount reasonably required to accomplish the intended technical effect and shall not be intended to nor, in fact, accomplish any technical effect in the food itself.

(e) The use of the surface lubricants in the manufacture of any article that is the subject of a regulation in parts 174, 175, 176, 177, 178 and §179.45 of this chapter must comply with any specifications prescribed by such regulation for the finished form of the article.

(f) Any substance that is listed in this section and the subject of a regulation in parts 174, 175, 176, 177, 178 and §179.45 of this chapter shall comply with any applicable specifications prescribed by such regulation.

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§ 178.3930 Terpene resins.

The terpene resins identified in paragraph (a) of this section may be safely used as components of polypropylene film intended for use in contact with food, and the terpene resins identified in paragraph (b) of this section may be safely used as components of polyolefin film intended for use in contact with food;

(a) Terpene resins consisting of the hydrogenated polymers of terpene hydrocarbons obtainable from sulfate turpentine and meeting the following specifications: Drop-softening point of 118°–138 °C; iodine value less than 20.

(b) Terpene resins consisting of polymers of beta-pinene and meeting the following specifications: Acid value less than 1; saponification number less than 1; color less than 4 on the Gardner scale as measured in 50 percent mineral spirits solution.

§ 178.3940 Tetraethylene glycol di-(2-ethylhexoate).

Tetraethylene glycol di-(2-ethylhexoate) containing not more than 22 parts per million ethylene and/or diethylene glycols may be used at a level not to exceed 0.7 percent by weight of twine as a finish on twine to be used for tying meat provided the twine fibers are produced from nylon resins complying with §177.1500 of this chapter.

§ 178.3950 Tetrahydrofuran.

Tetrahydrofuran may be safely used in the fabrication of articles intended for packaging, transporting, or storing