

How is Meluna produced?

MeLuna is produced in Germany, without exception. Every part of the process is being controlled and documented, starting with the arrival of the goods (meaning the delivery of TPE granules from global market leader [Kraiburg GmbH](#)) and ending with packing of MeLuna, ready for despatch. These documents can, of course, be inspected. The quality is German TÜV (*Technical Inspection Association*) and DIN ISO 9001:2000 certified. The plastic material is being processed free of emissions and gentle on resources.

What is MeLuna made of?

MeLuna is made from TPE (thermoplastic elastomer). This material is produced by [Kraiburg GmbH](#) in Waldkraiburg, Germany. TPE is a general term for a certain kind of thermoplastic (processed at high temperatures) elastomers, which belong to the group of elastic plastics. TPE was developed for medical instruments and passed ISO 10993-10 required irritation tests. The material can be sterilised and thus qualifies for application in paediatric clinics and hospitals. TPE is made in Germany and complies with BfR, FDA, 2002/72/EC requirements. Due to the high standards for baby products in Germany, you can be assured you are purchasing top quality.

Why is MeLuna not made from silicone, like other menstrual cups?

Because TPE is more practical and better to process than silicone. These properties help us to keep MeLuna moderate in pricing and easy to create even more variants of the product. Also TPE feels smooth, dry and not sticky - meaning it is an all different surface feel (haptics). Many products originally made from latex or silicones are now made of TPE. It is just not easy to recognise. The MeLuna material is, among other things, also used for the teats on baby bottles. Regarding the high regulatory requirement for baby products in Germany, you can be assured you are purchasing top quality.

Are the color pigment safe for me?

The TPE plastic as well as all pigments are approved, harmless substances.