Troubleshooting Guide for Biaxially Oriented Film

Problem	Possible Causes	Possible Solutions
1. Irregular film thickness	Incorrect extruder settings	Reduce die temperatureIncrease die back pressure
2. Breaks at stretching	Unmelted particles in film, draw ratio too high, or temperature stretch oven too high	 Check granules on contamination Reduce draw ratio Increase oven temperature or reduce line speed
3. Poor gloss	Inaccurate chill roll settings	 Reduce chill roll temperature Reduce air gap / use vacuum box Clean chill roll surface