

KYDEX® 6185

High temperature aircraft sheet

Introduction

KYDEX® 6185 is a proprietary thermoplastic sheet with improved heat distortion temperature (HDT) for higher in-service temperatures while providing excellent extensibility, good impact resistance and excellent solvent resistance.

General Information

KYDEX® 6185 meets FAR 25.853 (a) (i) + (ii) for use in aircraft interior parts. Maximum recommended service temperature is approximately 85 - 90°C (185 - 195°F) depending on thermoforming technique and application.

Suggested Applications

- Aircraft Interiors
- Equipment Housings

Features

- Available in thicknesses from 1.00mm (0.040") in eight distinctive textures and custom colours
- Meets the requirements of the Federal Aviation Administration FAR 25.853 (a) (i) + (ii) in all thicknesses for vertical burn
- Heat distortion temperature (HDT) is 85°C (185°F) unannealed at 1.8 MPa (264 psi) and a high 90°C (195°F) after annealing
- Excellent forming properties, uniform wall thickness and crisp detail
- Easy machining and fabricating using conventional methods and equipment

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Physical Properties

Property	Test Method	Typical Value ¹	
Specific Gravity	ASTM D-792	1.33 - 1.37	
Tensile Strength	ASTM D-638	44 MPa	6,400 psi
Flexural Strength	ASTM D-790	66 MPa	9,600 psi
Modulus of Elasticity	ASTM D-790	2,241 MPa	325,000 psi
Notched Izod Impact Resistance, @ 23°C (73°F)	ASTM D-256	267 J/m	5 ft-lbs/in
Rockwell Hardness (R Scale)	ASTM D-785	104	
Heat Deflection Temperature (HDT) @ 264 psi (1.8 MPa)	ASTM D-648	90.6°C (annealed) 85°C (unannealed)	195°F (annealed) 185°F (unannealed)
Flammability: Federal Aviation Administration	FAR 25.853 (a)	PASS	
Flammability: Vertical Burn, 60-second Vertical Burn, 12-second	FAR 25.853 (a)(i) FAR 25.853 (a)(ii)	PASS PASS	
Mold Shrinkage %		0.40 - 0.60	
Thermoforming Range		163 - 200°C	325 - 390°F

¹ Values based upon 3.18mm (0.125") sheet unless otherwise specified.
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