

the fantastic plastic place - Nvlar

Description: Mylar is an oriented polyester film which is available in a variety of finishes and gauges. It is ideally suited for a wide range of uses such as packaging, printing, die-cutting, electronics, protective overlay, barrier protection, apparel, and other industrial applications. Because of its inherent physical properties, Mylar is your best choice for a high performance plastic film or sheet.

Features:

Archival Quality	Dimensional Stability	Lay-Flat	Chemical Resistance
Consistent Color	Clarity	Non-Yellowing	Non-Tearing
Heat Resistance to 230 C	Electrical Resistance	•	

Typical Properties of Mylar

Properties based on 92 Gauge General Use Film. Properties of other gauges and finishes of Mylar can vary.

Property	Typical Value	Units Test	Method
Tensile Strength (MD)	28,000	psi	ASTM D 882
Tensile Strength (TD)	34,000	psi	ASTM D 882
Strength Elongation MD	15,000	psi	ASTM D 882
Strength F-5 TD	14,000	psi	ASTM D 882
Modulus MD	710,000	psi	ASTM D 882
Modulus TD	740,000	psi	ASTM D 882
Elongation MD	115	%	ASTM D 882
Elongation TD	92	%	ASTM D 882
Surface Roughness	38	nm	Optical Profilometer
Density	1.39	g/cc	ASTM D 1505
Viscosity	0.56	dL/g	ASTM D 4603
Yield	21,000	in²/lb	

Electrical Properties

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Property •	Typical Value	Units Test	Method
Dielectric Strength			
AC, 20°C, .00092"	7,000	volts/mil	ASTM D 149-64
Dielectric Constant			
20°C, 1 kHz	3.2		ASTM D150-81
Dissipation Factor			
20°C, 1 kHz	0.005		ASTM D150-65
Volume Resistivity 25° C	1.00E+19	ohm-cm	ASTM D257-78
Corona Threshold	425	V-AC	ASTM D2275-80

Thermal Properties

Property	Typical Value	Units Test	Method
Melt Point	254	°C	
Dimensional Stability			
at 105° MD	0.6	%	
at 105° TD	0.3	%	
at 150° MD	1.8	%	
at 150° TD	1.0	%	
Specific Heat	0.28	cal/g/°C	
Thermal Expansion	1.7 x 10 ⁻⁵	in./in./°C ASTM D 696	
UL94 Flame Class	94VTM-2	Slow to Self Extinguishing	

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