

Product Data Sheet, July 2012

# Axpet<sup>®</sup> Solid polyester sheet



# Your benefits:

- good impact strength
- good fire rating
- suitable for food-contact applications

Solid **Axpet**<sup>®</sup> sheets are made from thermoplastic polyester. They offer high impact strength, a good fire rating and are suitable for food-contact applications. **Axpet**<sup>®</sup> is resistant to chemicals and fully recyclable.

**Axpet<sup>®</sup> clear 099** is a clear-transparent sheet with high light transmission and gloss.

**Axpet® NR clear 099** is a transparent sheet with a matt non-reflective finish on one side.

Axpet<sup>®</sup> white 100 is a white sheet that is opaque even in small thicknesses.

**Axpet<sup>®</sup> white 130** is a translucent sheet offering good light diffusion combined with a pleasant white color.

**Axpet UV clear 2099** is a clear transparent sheet with UV protection on both sides to prevent visible yellowing.

#### **Applications:**

Ideal fields of indoor application for **Axpet<sup>®</sup>** are:

P.O.S. (displays, price tag holders, shelf partitions), poster glazing, poster boards (also backlit), direction signs, promotional symbols, food containers and trays, decorative inserts, pharmaceutical products, flat machine guards.

The sheets can be machined and screen printed with ease. Owing to the crystallization properties of polyester, the sheet may turn white during thermoforming. Line-bent **Axpet**<sup>®</sup> sheets show a hinge effect and are ideal for cold folding. For outdoor applications it is recommended to use **Axpet<sup>®</sup> UV** sheets.

	Test Conditions	Typical values	Unit	Standard	
PHYSICAL Density Moisture absorption Refractive index	after storage in standard climate 23 °C/50% RH after storage in water at 23 °C until saturation 20 °C	1.33 0.2 0.5 1.585	g/cm <sup>3</sup> % ~	ISO 1183-1 ISO 62-4 ISO 62-1 ISO 489	
MECHANICAL Tensile stress at yield Elongation at yield Tensile strength Elongation at break Elastic modulus Limiting flexural stress Impact strength	Charpy, unnotched Charpy, notched Izod, notched	, 55 4 , 55 , 25 2,500 ca. 80 no break ca. 4 ca. 3	MPa % MPa % MPa kJ/m <sup>2</sup> kJ/m <sup>2</sup> kJ/m <sup>2</sup>	ISO 527-2/1B/50 ISO 527-2/1B/50 ISO 527-2/1B/50 ISO 527-2/1B/50 ISO 527-2/1B/1 ISO 178 ISO 178 ISO 179/16J ISO 179/16A ISO 180/1A	
THERMAL Vicat softening temperature Thermal conductivity Coeff. of linear thermal expansion Heat deflection temperature under load	Method B50 Method A: 1.80 MPa Method B: 0.45 MPa	75 0.25 0.05 63 70	°C W/m K mm/m K °C °C	ISO 306 DIN 52612 DIN 53752-A ISO 75-2 ISO 75-2	
ELECTRICAL Dielectric strength Volume resistivity Surface resistivity Dielectric constant Dissipation factor	at 10 <sup>3</sup> Hz at 10 <sup>6</sup> Hz at 10 <sup>3</sup> Hz at 10 <sup>6</sup> Hz	$ \begin{array}{c} 60\\ 10^{15}\\ 10^{16}\\ 3.4\\ 3.1\\ 0.015\\ 0.056\\ \end{array} $	kV/mm Ohm∙cm Ohm	IEC 60243-1 IEC 60093 IEC 60093 IEC 60250 IEC 60250 IEC 60250 IEC 60250	

The mechanical properties were measured on sheets of 4 mm thickness.

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Bayer MaterialScience S-Line, the standard product line, represents a range of certified quality products which offer the reliable solution for most applications.

## Light Transmission:

Test method according to DIN 5036. The stated thicknesses are not all available as standard. Please ask us for more information. The stated values are typical values only.

Light transmission in %	0.8	1	1.5	2	3	4	5	6
Axpet <sup>®</sup> clear 099	90	89	89	88	87	86	85	84
Axpet® NR clear 099	88	87	87	86				
Axpet <sup>®</sup> white 100		۰2		۰1	۰ 1			
Axpet <sup>®</sup> white 130		28	28	28	30			
Axpet® UV clear 2099		89		88	87	86	85	84

Available sizes: Axpet® is available in thicknesses of 0.8-6 mm and in the following sizes; other sizes, colors and sheet thicknesses on request.

#### Colors:

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Axpet <sup>®</sup> clear 099	Axpet <sup>®</sup> white 100	Axpet <sup>®</sup> UV clear 2099	2,050 x 1,250 mm
Axpet <sup>®</sup> NR clear 099	Axpet <sup>®</sup> white 130		3,050 x 2,050 mm

### **Permanent Service Temperature:**

The maximum permanent service temperature without load is approx. 60°C.

Fire Rating (\*): Oxygen index (LOI) 25%, ISO 4589

Country	Standard	Rating	Thickness	Color
Germany	DIN 4102	B1 (indoors) burning droplets	0.8 – 6 mm 0.8 – 2 mm 1 – 4 mm	clear 099 NR clear 099 white 130
	DIN 5510 - 2	S4 SR2 ST2 S4 SR2 ST2	1 mm 1 mm	clear 099 NR clear 099
UK	BS 476 Part 7	Class 1Y	1.5 & 6 mm	clear 099
France	NF P 92-501 & 505	M2	0.8 – 6 mm 0,.8 – 4 mm 2 – 4 mm	clear 099 NR clear 099 white 130
	NF F 16-101 & 102	F1	0.8 – 6 mm 1 – 4 mm	clear 099 white 130

## Glow wire flammability index, IEC 60695-2-12, in °C (\*):

	0.8	1	1.5	2	2.5	3	4	5	6
Axpet <sup>®</sup> clear 099	960	960	960	960		960	960		
Axpet <sup>®</sup> NR clear 099		900							
Axpet <sup>®</sup> white 100		900		960					
Axpet® white 130		960	960	960		960	960		

(\*) fire certificates are limited in time, always check if the mentioned certificate is still valid.

Bayer MaterialScience also produces multiwall sheets in polycarbonate (Makrolon® multi UV), and solid sheets in polycarbonate (Makrolon® GP) and in polyester (Vivak® and Axpet®). For more information, take a look at www.bayersheeteurope.com.



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