

LEXAN[™] FRA 25C SHEET

PRODUCT DATASHEET

DESCRIPTION

LEXAN™ FRA 25C sheet is a .250" monolithic, high impact resistant LEXAN polycarbonate sheet with a proprietary abrasion resistant surface. LEXAN FRA 25C sheet provides 70 times the impact resistance of laminated glass with no spalling. LEXAN FRA 25C sheet has been specifically developed for rail glazing applications. Dual glazed LEXAN FRA 25C sheet with a .250" air gap meets the UMTA glazing guidelines and the FRA (Federal Railway Administration) Type I & II ballistic and impact requirements.

TYPICAL PROPERTY VALUES

PROPERTY	TEST METHOD	UNITS	VALUE
Physical			
Specific Gravity	ASTM D792	-	1.20
Light Transmission (Average), 1/8" Thick	ASTM D1003	%	83
Chemical Resistance	ANSI Z26.1	-	Passes#
Mechanical			
Tensile Strength, Ultimate	ASTM D638	psi	9,500
Flexural Strength	ASTM D790	psi	13,500
Flexural Endurance @ 1,800 Cycles/Min, 73°F, 50% RH	ASTM D671	psi	1,000
Compressive Strength	ASTM D695	psi	12,500
Modulus of Elasticity	ASTM D638	psi	340,000
Drop Ball Impact Strength‡	SABIC Test	ft-lbs	
@ 73°F			>200
@ 32°F			>200
@ 0°F			>200
Thermal			
Coefficient of Thermal Expansion	ASTM D696	in/in/°F	3.75 x 10 ⁵
Heat Deflection Temperature @ 264 psi	ASTM D648	°F	260
Flammability			
Horizontal Burn (Flame Spread)	ASTM D635	in	
AEB			<1
Ignition Temperature	ASTM D1929	°F	
Flash			873
Self			1,076
UMTA Guidelines (Glazing)	-	-	Pass
Federal Railway Administration			
(FRA) Type I & II	-	-	Meets all requirements

These typical values are not intended for specification purposes. If minimum certifiable properties are required please contact your Local SABIC Innovative Plastics' representative.

[‡] 5-lb steel ball dropped from a height of 40 feet

Gasoline and kerosene - no tackiness, crazing or loss of transparency for a minimum of 48 hours.

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ABRASION RESISTANCE COMPARISON‡

		% Haze			
	Test Method	Uncoated Polycarbonate	LEXAN FRA 25C Sheet	Glass	
Taber Abrasion 100 Cycles CS 10F	ASTM D 1044 Z26.1	35.0	0.8-2.0	0.5	
Falling Silica Carbide, 1600 grams	Z26.1	30.0	5-8	15-20	

[‡] The Taber Abrader test measures the percent of change in haze that results from the grinding action of two abrasive impregnated wheels

on the test samples. A constant load of 500 grams is maintained as the samples rotate on a turntable for a predetermined number of

revolutions.

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