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# **Technical Data Sheet**

# **COMPACT** laminate

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### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

**polytec**'s high pressure Compact Laminate is the ultimate in long lasting, low maintenance decorative panels, for the most demanding hardworking environments.

### **FEATURES AND BENEFITS**

- Tough and durable
- Distinctive black core
- Sheet sizes: 3660 x 1830mm;
  - 2440 x 1830mm; 2730mm x 1830mm; 2440mm x 1220mm
- Available in 5mm, 13mm and 18mm substrate
- Outstanding stain and wear resistance, impervious to water

**Note:** Benchtops should be pre-drilled prior to cutouts, leaving a 10mm radius in corners. Internal corners should not be square which may cause cracking.

#### **PHYSICAL PROPERTIES**

PROPERTY	TEST METHOD	RESULT	
Density	ISO 1183-1	≥ 1350 kg/m <sup>3</sup>	
Panel Tolerance	AS/NZS 2924.2		
Length		+ 10 mm, - 0 mm	
Width		+ 10 mm, - 0 mm	
Thickness			
2.0 ≤ <i>d</i> ≤ 3.0 mm		≤±0.20 mm	
3.0 ≤ <i>d</i> ≤ 5.0 mm		≤±0.30 mm	
5.0 ≤ <i>d</i> ≤ 8.0 mm		≤±0.40 mm	
8.0 ≤ <i>d</i> ≤ 12.0 mm		≤±0.50 mm	
12.0 ≤ <i>d</i> ≤ 16.0 mm		≤±0.60 mm	
16.0 ≤ <i>d</i> ≤ 20.0 mm		≤ ± 0.70 mm	
(where <i>d</i> is nominal thickness)			
Colour Stability	AS/NZS 2924.2	≥4	
Thickness Swell (24 Hours)	AS/NZS 4266.1	$\leq 0.1 \%$	
Flexural Strength	ISO 178	≥80 MPa	
Tensile Strength	ISO 527-2	≥60 MPa	
Resistance to Surface Wear	AS/NZS 2924.2	≥ 350	
Resistance to	AS/NZS 2924.2	≥ 4	
Immersion in Boiling Water			
Resistance to Water Vapour	AS/NZS 2924.2	≥4	
Resistance to Dry Heat (180°C)	AS/NZS 2924.2	≥4	
Resistance to Impact	AS/NZS 2924.2		
2.0 ≤ <i>d</i> ≤ 6.0 mm		≥ 1400 mm	
6.0 ≤ <i>d</i> mm		≥ 1800 mm	
(where $d$ is nominal thickness)			
Resistance to Scratch	AS/NZS 2924.2	≥3	
Resistance to Staining	AS/NZS 2924.2		
Group 1+2		5	
Group 3		$\geq 4$	
Dimensional Stability	AS/NZS 2924.2	L ≤ 0.3 %	
at Elevated Temperature		$T \le 0.6$ %	
Flatness	AS/NZS 2924.2		
2.0 ≤ <i>d</i> ≤ 6.0 mm		≤ 8.0mm/m	
6.0 ≤ <i>d</i> ≤ 10.0 mm		≤ 5.0 mm/m	
10.0 ≤ <i>d</i> mm		≤ 3.0 mm/m	
(where <i>d</i> is nominal thickness)			

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#### WEIGHT AND DENSITY

THICK	DENSITY	TYPICAL PRODUCT WEIGHT				
mm	kg /m³	kg /m²	2440 x1830	2730 x1830	2440 x1220	3660 x1830
5	1350 - 1450	7.00	31.26	34.97	20.84	46.88
13	1350 - 1450	18.00	-	-	-	120.56
18	1350 - 1450	25.00	-	-	-	167.45

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL**

At **polytec**, sustainability is ingrained in the core of our business operations, products, and work practices. Our continual dedication to improving and appropriately managing the environmental impact of our products involves our commitment to steadfastly reducing our carbon footprint, minimising waste, optimising energy efficiency and integrating ethically sourced materials into our product ranges.

#### **FIRE TESTS**

Classified as Group 3 in accordance with specification C1.10 section 4 of BCA.

#### **CHEMICAL RESISTANCE PERFORMANCE**

polytec High Pressure Laminates (HPL & CL) are resistant to most common chemicals and substances. Test results meet the requirements of International Standard ISO 4586-2 which specifies resistance to staining on surfaces which are encountered in daily usage and some aggressive materials commonly used in laboratories. **polytec** Compact Laminate products should always be protected against direct sunlight as continuous exposure may cause discolouration or fading over time.

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#### No visible effects

Water, alcohol (96%), isopropanol, Petrol, amyl acetate, acetone, household soap, detergents for dishwashing by hand, ammonium hydrate (10%), ketchup, cooking oil, trisodium phosphate (1%), coffee, tea, milk, acetic acid, caustic soda (<10%), citric acid (10%), wine, lipstick, grapefruit juice, wax, shoe polish, ink ballpoint pen, spirit dye pen, marking ink, hand cream

#### Slight Effect/No Effect if completely removed within 10-15 minutes

Hydrogen Peroxide (30%), hypochloric bleach, hair dye, mercury chromate (2%), iodine (0.1%), hydrochloric acid (<10%), caustic soda (>10%)

#### Surface attack/necessitating immediate removal

Hydrochloric Acid (>10%), nitric acid (>10%), Sulphuric Acid (>10%)

**polytec** Compact laminate is moisture resistant and durable. However Compact laminate should not be immersed in or be exposed to water for lengthy periods as this may cause moisture permeation.

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