

AZCARB



AZCARB AR Abrasion Resistant Polycarbonate Sheet

AZCARB AR is a High Optic transparent polycarbonate sheet with a clear, abrasion resistant, proprietary thermal cured coating applied to one or both surfaces. This coating significantly increases abrasion resistance and surface hardness complimenting the polycarbonate's inherent excellent impact strength & clarity. In addition, this coating enhances both weatherability and chemical resistance. Key applications include machine guards, architectural glazing, drive thru menu boards, spall shield in lamination and outdoor lenses on gas pumps.

- Abrasion resistant
- Graffiti resistant
- Weatherable /UV protected
- Improved Chemical Resistance
- Available 1 or 2 sides coated
- Thicknesses available for .040" to .500"
- Max Sheet Size 97" x 128"
- Stock sheet sizes: 48" x 96", 60" x 96", 72" x 96"
- Run to size and oversize available on request
- Easily Fabricated
- Limited ten (10) year warranty



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TYPICAL STANDARD PROPERTIES¹

PROPERTY	ASTM METHOD	UNITS	AZCARB AR (COATED) SHEET	AZCARB GP (UNCOATED) SHEET
Specific Gravity	D-792	N/A	1.2	1.2
Total White Light Transmittance ²	D-1003	%	89	87
Haze	D-1003	%	<1.0	1
Notched Izod ²	D-256 notch	ft.- lbs./in. ²	16	16
Tensile Impact ²	D-1822	ft.- lbs./in. ²	170	170
Charpy Impact	D-256 notch	ft.- lbs./ 1/2" x 1" section	NB	NB
Tensile Strength	D-638	psi	8400	8400
Tensile Strength	D-638	psi	9500	9500
Tensile	D-638	%	100	100
Tensile	D-638	psi	3.4 x 10 ⁵	3.4 x 10 ⁵
Flexural Strength	D-790	psi	13500	13500
Flexural Strength	D-790	psi	NB	NB
Flexural Strength	D-790	in	0.07	0.07
Flexural Strength	D-790	psi	0.10	0.10
Flexural Strength	D-790	psi	3.4 x 10 ⁵	3.4 x 10 ⁵
Shear Strength	D-732	psi	5800	5800
Rockwell Hardness	D-785	M scale	70	70
Winter Absorption (24 hrs.) ²	D-570	%	0.15	0.15
DTUFL at 264 psi	D-648	°C	135	135

¹ Values reported are averages and should not be used for specification purposes. ² Test performed on 0.118" (3mm) thick specimens; all other test specimens 0.236" (6mm) thick. Note: NB=no break

ABRASION RESISTANCE

PROPERTY	TEST METHOD	AZCARB AR (COATED) SHEET	AZCARB GP (UNCOATED) SHEET
100 rev, % haze		<2.0	40
Steel Wool Rub Resistance	*		
3 (coarse)		Moderate	Heavy

*Ratings based on visual observation after 5 seconds of vigorous hand rubbing with each grade of steel wool. Ratings: none, trace, light, moderate, heavy.

CHEMICAL RESISTANCE TEST METHOD ASTM D-1308

CHEMICAL	AZCARB AR (COATED) SHEET	AZ CARB GP (UNCOATED) SHEET
Methylene Chloride (MDC)	4 hrs. (W,C)	1 min. (D,W)
Toluene	4 hrs. (W,C)	1 min. (D,W)
Kerosene	1 week	1 week
Acetone	48 hrs. (C)	1 min. (D,W)
Oxalic Acid	1 week	1 week
Hydrochloric Acid (conc.)	1 week	1 week (S,W)
Nitric Acid (conc.)	1 week (Y,C)	1 week (Y)
Sodium Hydroxide (sat.)	1 week (S,W)	48 hrs. (W)
Ammonium Hydroxide (conc.)	1 week	1 week

Note: Teflon washer placed on surface, filled with chemical indicated and covered with a watch glass. Samples checked within 1 minute, 4 hours, 16 hours and then every 24 hours thereafter, for a total of 1 week. Code: S = slightly, W = whitened, C = crazed, Y = yellowed, D = dissolved.

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