

Bayloy® 50

Copolyester sheet



S Line
Standard

Benefits:

- excellent thermoforming properties
- predrying not necessary
- good impact strength
- food compatible

Bayloy® 50 is an opaque coloured sheet made of thermoplastic polyester. It has been specifically developed for thermoforming applications. Due to its properties, the material is suitable for a large range of industrial applications, both interior and exterior. **Bayloy® 50** can be rapidly thermoformed at low energy consumption, short production cycles, extreme degrees of stretching and accurate mold surface reproduction, without predrying. **Bayloy® 50** is available in several colours and with several textures.

Applications:

Bayloy® 50 is particularly suited for vacuum formed parts in a broad range of applications, such as:

- material handling (pallets, trays, containers ...)
- machine housings and shields
- food handling and storage

	Test Conditions	Typical Values	Unit	Test Method
PHYSICAL Density Moisture absorption	saturated at 23°C/50% RF saturated in water of 23°C	1.27 0.2 0.6	g/cm ³ % %	ISO 1183-1 ISO 62-4 ISO 62-1
MECHANICAL Tensile stress Elongation Tensile strength Elongation Elastic modulus Limiting flexural stress Impact strength	at yield at yield at break Charpy, unnotched Charpy, notched Izod, notched	> 45 4 > 45 > 35 2,020 approx. 80 no break approx. 7 approx. 6	MPa % MPa % MPa MPa kJ/m ² kJ/m ²	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 179/1fU ISO 179/1 eA ISO 180/1A
THERMAL Vicat softening temperature Thermal conductivity Coeff. of linear thermal expansion Heat deflection temperature under load	Method B50 Method A: 1.81 MPa Method B: 0.45 MPa	80 0.2 0.05 63 70	°C W/m °C mm/m°C °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 ³ Hz at 10 ⁶ Hz at 10 ³ Hz at 10 ⁶ Hz	16.1 > 10 ¹⁵ > 10 ¹⁶ 2.6 2.4 0.005 0.02	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.

Bayloy® 50

Copolyester sheet



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

Availability: Bayloy® 50 is available with 3 different surface finishings and in following sizes:

	surfacing finishing	extrusion width	thickness
Bayloy® 50	glossy/glossy	1,250, 2,050 mm	1 – 12 mm
Bayloy® 50 NR	non reflective/glossy	1,250 mm	1.5 – 3 mm
Bayloy® 50 C	patterned/glossy	1,250 mm	2 – 6 mm

All grades can be produced with UV protection for outside use

Permanent service temperature:

Max. service temperature in air: 65 °C

Min. service temperature: -40 °C

Colours:

On request

Fire Rating (*):

Country	Standard	Rating	thickness	Colour
Europe	EN13501-1	B-S1, d0	2 – 4 mm	grey 704
Europe	EN13501-1	B-S2, d0	2 – 6 mm	all colours

Glow wire flammability test (*):

	Test method	1 mm	3 mm
GWFI (flammability index)	IEC 60695-2-12	850 °C	850 °C
GWIT (ignition temperature)	IEC 60695-2-13	875 °C	725 °C

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

Machining

Due to its excellent properties Bayloy® 50 sheet is easy to machine with usual tools. Sawing, drilling, routing, shearing and punching can be applied. Always use sharp tools that are suited for machining plastics.

Thermoforming

Owing to their excellent flow and mold surface reproduction, Bayloy® 50 sheets can be thermoformed at low temperatures without predrying. Due to its low specific heat capacity, Bayloy® 50 requires little energy for thermoforming. Predrying is not required. Bayloy® 50 sheet can be vacuum formed at the temperatures of 130 – 165°C. Use temperature controlled aluminium or steel moulds for excellent formings. Small series or prototypes can be formed on moulds without temperature control. A good release of the moulding can be obtained by providing a draft angle of 4 to 6°.

Assembling

Parts made of Bayloy® 50 can be assembled with other plastics, metals and other materials by means of glueing, welding and several mechanical fastening techniques.

Painting and printing

Bayloy® 50 sheets can be painted or printed with several standard techniques. Except for cleaning, no preliminary surface treatment is necessary. To avoid influence on the impact strength of Bayloy® 50 sheets, paints must be suitable for use on thermoplastic polyester. Suitable products are available from several manufactures of inks and paints, whose instructions must be carefully followed.

Chemical resistance

Bayloy® 50 sheets have good resistance against mineral acids up to high concentrations, many organic acids, oxidising and reducing agents, mineral and animal greases and oil, neutral and acid salt solutions, saturated aliphatic and cycloaliphatic hydrocarbons and alcohols (except methyl alcohol). They are partially soluble in aromatic hydrocarbons and soluble in many halogenated hydrocarbons (methylene chloride and ethylene di-chloride are good solvents). Strong alkaline substances such as ammonia and amines decompose it. Bayloy® 50 sheets have good resistance against most detergent based household cleaners.



Covestro Deutschland AG
Business Unit Polycarbonates
51365 Leverkusen
Germany

www.sheets.covestro.com
sales.sheetsEMEA@covestro.com

The manner in which you use and the purpose to which you put and utilize our products, technical assistance and information (whether verbal, written or by way of production evaluations), including any suggested formulations and recommendations, are beyond our control. Therefore, it is imperative that you test our products, technical assistance, information and recommendations to determine to your own satisfaction whether our products, technical assistance and information are suitable for your intended uses and applications. This application-specific analysis must at least include testing to determine suitability from a technical as well as health, safety, and environmental standpoint. Such testing has not necessarily been done by Covestro. Unless we otherwise agree in writing, all products are sold strictly pursuant to the terms of our standard conditions of sale which are available upon request. All information and technical assistance is given without warranty or guarantee and is subject to change without notice. It is expressly understood and agreed that you assume and hereby expressly release us from all liability, in tort, contract or otherwise, incurred in connection with the use of our products, technical assistance, and information. Any statement or recommendation not contained herein is unauthorized and shall not bind us. Nothing herein shall be construed as a recommendation to use any product in conflict with any claim of any patent relative to any material or its use. No license is implied or in fact granted under the claims of any patent.

Bayloy® is a registered trademark of Covestro AG