

Description

Lexan* 9034 based polycarbonate sheet is the standard grade of Lexan sheet. Inherently high impact Lexan 9034 sheet is an excellent candidate for glazing for economical protection against breakage or intrusion. As Lexan has better insulation properties than glass it may contribute to lower energy costs. Lexan 9034 sheet may be thermoformed, pressure formed, cold-formed or used in flat applications.

Applicable to:

- 9034* (applicable for all other uncoated Lexan grades designated with 903xxxx nomenclature)
- 9034V – with improved UL rating
- 9034HO – with improved optical specifications
- 90316, 90317 and 90318 – “Protect-A-Glaze” with one side textured

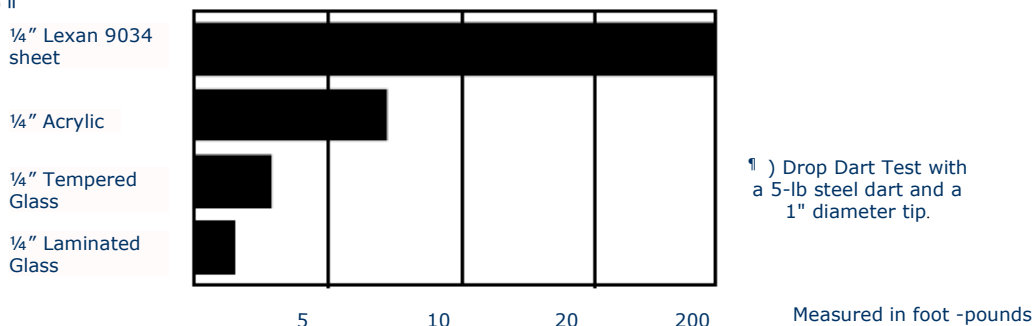
Typical Property Values ♦

Property	Test Method	Unit	Value		
			9034 *	9034V	9034HO
Physical					
Specific Gravity	ASTM D792	—	1.20	1.20	1.20
Refractive Index @ 77°F	ASTM D542A	—	1.586	1.586	1.586
Light Transmission (Average at 0.118")	ASTM D1003	%	86	86	86
Initial Haze		HU	<1	<1	<1
Rockwell Hardness (M scale)	ASTM D785	—	70	70	70
Rockwell Hardness (R scale)	ASTM D785		118	118	118
Taber @ 100 cycles	ASTM D1044 (ANSI ZI26.1)	% haze	10	10	10
Water Absorption, 24 hrs	ASTM D570	%	0.15	0.15	0.15
Water Absorption, Equilibrium @ 73°F	@ 73°F	%	0.35	0.35	0.35
Mechanical					
Tensile Strength, Yield	ASTM D638	psi	9,500	9,500	9,500
Tensile Modulus	ASTM D638	psi	345,000	345,000	345,000
Flexural Strength	ASTM D790	psi	13,500	13,500	13,500
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Compressive Strength	ASTM D695	psi	12,500	12,500	12,500
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Poisson's Ratio	ASTM E132	—	0.37	0.37	0.37
Izod Impact Strength Notched @ 0.118"	ASTM D256A	ft-lbs/in	12-16	12-16	12-16
Unnotched @ 0.118"			60	60	60
			(no failure)	(no failure)	(no failure)
Shear Strength @ Yield	ASTM D732	psi	6,000	6,000	6,000
Shear Modulus	ASTM D732	psi	0.2	0.2	0.2
Thermal					
Coefficient of Thermal Expansion	ASTM D696	in/in/°F	3.75x 10 ⁻⁵	3.75x10 ⁻⁵	3.75x10 ⁻⁵
Coefficient of Thermal Conductivity	ASTM C177	Btu•in/hr•ft ² •°F	1.35		1.35
Specific Heat @ 40°C	ASTM C351	BTU/lb-°F	0.30		0.30
Heat Deflection Temperature @ 264 psi	ASTM D648	°F	270	266	270
@ 66 psi			280		280
Brittle Temperature (on resin)	ASTM D746	°F	-211		211
Flammability					
Horizontal Burn (Flame Spread) AEB	ASTM D635	in	<1		<1
Ignition Temperature, Self		°F	>1000	>1000	>1000
UL Flammability (File # E61257) Add link to the UL site	UL94HB	Pass/Fail		>0.236 ^Y	
	UL94VO	Pass/Fail		>0.059 ^Y	
Electrical					
Dielectric Constant @ 60 Hz	ASTM D150	—	3.17		
Volume Resistivity	ASTM D257	Ohm-cm	8.2 x 10 ¹⁶		
Dissipation Factor (@60 Hz) also known as Power Factor	ASTM D150		0.0009		

♦ These are typical properties and are not intended for specification purposes. If minimum certifiable properties are required, please contact your local SABIC Innovative Plastics representative or SABIC Innovative Plastics Quality Services Department.

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Impact Resistance[¶]



Chemical Resistance

Lexan 9034 sheet has sufficient resistance to most mineral oils, greases, aliphatic hydrocarbons and acids under low or moderate stress levels. Specific (application related) testing is always advised, especially in applications where the Lexan 9034 sheet will come into contact with aggressive chemicals.

Processing

Lexan 9034 sheet can be used for thermoforming. It offers high, deep draw ratios, equal wall thickness distribution, and it can be formed into complex shapes using standard thermoforming equipment. Sandwich type heating systems give the best results. Lexan 9034 sheet has a forming temperature range of 350–400°F. When forming, a draft angle of at least 3° should be allowed, and post mold shrinkage of .007–.009 in/in taken into account.

Pre-drying

It is important to ensure that Lexan 9034 sheet is free of moisture prior to thermoforming. A hot air circulating oven set at 250°F is recommended. Pre-drying times vary from 3–24 hours, depending on sheet thickness.

Assembling / Painting

Parts made from Lexan 9034 sheet can be assembled with plastics, metals, rubber and other materials using many types of adhesive bonding, welding and mechanical fastening techniques. Since some of these materials can cause environmental stress cracking, please consult SABIC Innovative Plastics, for advice on specific applications. A list of approved paint systems and suppliers is available upon request.



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