

Material Properties

ENGRAVABLE PLASTICS

Material Name: Heavy Metal

Properties:	Typical Values	ASTM Method
Tensile Strength:		
To break:	5,500 psi	D-638
Elongation before break:	50%	D-638
Flexural Strength:		
Load to stretch outer surface 5%	10,300 psi	D-790
Gravity:	1.15	D-792
Rockwell Hardness:	M45	D-785
IZOD Impact Strength		
Notched at 73°F (22.777°C)	1.10 ft lbs/in	D-256 D-256
Deflection Temperature		
Temperature at which material deflects .010" (.254mm) at 264 psi	175°F (79.44°C)	D-648
Coefficient of Thermal Expansion		
Inch/inch/°F	5.6 x 10 ⁻⁵	D-696

Heavy Metal softens at about 200°F (93.33°C) sufficiently so that it can be drilled, sawed, sheared, nailed, bonded and die-cut.

The base material was tested for flammability by the Underwriters Laboratories. The material is rated 94 HB on the UL 94 test.



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