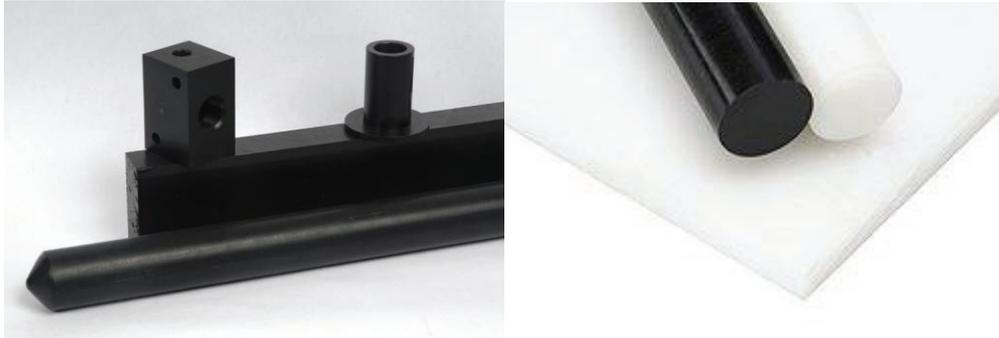




**ALLPLASTICS**  
ENGINEERING PTY LTD

## Acetal Sheet, Rod and Tube



### Acetal (Delrin®) from Allplastics

Acetal is a hard engineering plastic with high tensile strength and rigidity, excellent machining ability and versatility of application. Acetal has creep resistance and is resistant to hydrolysis, strong alkalis and thermo oxidative degradation. Acetal is suitable for use in components where exceptional strengths is needed for above average temperature or moisture levels.

#### Key Features:

- Strong & rigid
- Tough- good impact resistant
- Good sliding properties- low stick/slip
- Resistant to hot water, dilute acids, cleaning agents and numerous solvents
- Very good electrical insulation properties
- Easily machined and polished
- Difficult to bond
- Excellent creep resistance.
- Dimensionally more stable than Nylon – lower moisture absorption
- Suitable for food contact
- Continuous use at 115°C

#### Applications:

- Friction bearings with small tolerances
- Gears
- Tool supports
- Bushes and Flanges
- Rollers
- Clamps
- Plugs
- Electrical insulators
- Agitators & kneading elements
- Electronic + Office machines
- Medical parts
- Food industry

**Availability:**

Sheets and Rod, cutting service and machined parts

Colour: Natural (white) or black. Copolymer grade,  
Homopolymer grade is made against special orders

Sheet Size (mm): 3000 x 500, 2000 x 1000

Thickness (mm): 0.5 to 100

Rod dia (mm): 10 to 250

Rod / tube length (mm): 3000

**Technical Information:**

Information to be used as a guide only. It corresponds with our current knowledge and indicates possible applications. We cannot guarantee suitability for a specific application. Unless otherwise stated these values represent averages taken from injection moulded samples.

Properties	Unit	Test Method DIN ASTM	Result
<b>MECHANICAL</b>	-	-	-
Density	g/cm <sup>3</sup>	53479	1.41
Tensile strength at yield	MPa	53455	65
Tensile strength at break	MPa	53455	-
Elongation at Break	%	53455	40
Modulus of elasticity in tension	MPa	53457	3100
Modulus of elasticity in flexure	MPa	53457	-
Ball indentation hardness	MPa	53456	155
Impact strength (Charpy)	KJ/m <sup>2</sup>	53453	no break
Creep rupture strength after 1000 hours with static load	MPa	-	40
Time yield limit for 1% elongation after 1000 hours	MPa	-	13
Coefficient of friction against hardened and ground steel p+0,05 N/mm <sup>2</sup> , v=0,6 m/s	-	-	0.32
Wear conditions as above	µm/km	-	8.9
<b>THERMAL</b>	-	-	-
Crystalline melting point	°C	53736	165
Glass transition temperature	°C	53736	-60
Heat distortion temperature method A	°C	ISO 75	110
Heat distortion temperature method B	°C	ISO 75	160
Max. service temperature short term	°C	-	140
Max. service temperature long term	°C	-	100
Coefficient of thermal conductivity	W/(m K)	-	0.31

Specific heat	J/(g K)	-	1.5
Coefficient of thermal expansion	10 <sup>-5</sup> /K	-	10
<b>ELECTRICAL</b>	-	-	-
Dielectric constant at 10 (5) Hz	-	53483	3.5
Dielectric loss factor at 10(5) Hz	-	53483	0.003
Specific Volume Resistance	Ωcm	53482	10 (15)
Surface Resistance	Ω	53482	10 (13)
Dielectric strength 1mm	kV/mm	53481	>50
Tracking resistance	-	53480	KA 3c
<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>	-	-	-
Moisture Absorption: Equilibrium in standard atmosphere (23°C / 50% relative humidity)	%	53714	0.3
Water absorption at saturation at 23°C	%	53495	0.5
Resistance to hot water, washing soda	-	-	limited resistance
Flammability	-	UL 94	HB
Resistance to weathering	-	-	Not resistant

