

## PRODUCT INFORMATION

# LEATHEROID / VULCANIZED FIBRE

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Leatheroid / Vulcanized fibre is a cellulose material. It is prepared using unsized cotton rag paper and mineral acid. The material is generally supplied in a blue/grey colour

## APPLICATIONS

Leatheroid has excellent insulation properties and is used extensively in the electrical industry to insulate hot elements such as contact terminals.

## SPECIFICATION

Nominal Thickness	0.25mm	0.40mm	0.50mm
Thickness in mm tolerance	+/-0.2	± 0.04	0.50 ± 0.05
Grammage	284 ± 25 (g/m <sup>2</sup> )	490 ± 50 (g/m <sup>2</sup> )	630 ± 63 (g/m <sup>2</sup> )
Density AT (g/cm <sup>3</sup> )	≥ 1.22 (g/cm <sup>3</sup> )	≥ 1.35 (g/cm <sup>3</sup> )	≥ 1.39 (g/cm <sup>3</sup> )
Resistance to Delamination (lbf/in <sup>3</sup> )	≥ 1.378 (lbf/in <sup>3</sup> )	≥ 1.0 (N/cm <sup>2</sup> )	≥ 1.05 (N/cm <sup>2</sup> )
Tensile Strength – C.D (lbf/in <sup>2</sup> )	≥ 6.525 (lbf/in <sup>2</sup> )	≥ 4.5 (N/cm <sup>2</sup> )	≥ 4.50 (N/cm <sup>2</sup> )
Tensile Strength – M.D (lbf/in <sup>2</sup> )	≥ 10.15 (lbf/in <sup>2</sup> )	≥ 7.0 (N/cm <sup>2</sup> )	≥ 7.0 (N/cm <sup>2</sup> )
Stretch at breaking point – C.D (%)	≥ 11.0	≥ 15.0	≥ 18.0
Stretch at breaking point – M.D (%)	≥ 4.0	≥ 6.0	≥ 8.0
Moisture Content (%)	7.0 ± 1.0	7.0 ± 1.0	7.0 ± 1.0
Conductivity of aqueous Extract (µS/cm)	≤ 120	≤ 120.0	≤ 120.0
pH – Value of aqueous Extract	7.0 – 8.5	7.0 - 8.5	7.0 – 8.5