

# **Gurit Kerdyn**<sup>TM</sup> STRUCTURAL FOAM CORE RECYCLED AND RECYCLABLE

Kerdyn<sup>™</sup> is a thermoplastic foam developed to respond to the growing need for structural core materials and reduce product's carbon footprint and materials waste.

Based on recycled PET and fully recyclable material, Kerdyn<sup>™</sup> is a highly stable and adaptable core material with good mechanical properties, lower resin uptake, and then an excellent balance between performances, cost, density and processability.

Kerdyn<sup>™</sup> is compatible with mostly all resin systems including vinyl ester, epoxy, unsaturated polyester and usable with a wide range of processing technologies including vacuum infusion, prepreg, wet lay-up, bonding, kitting, thermoforming.

It can be processed at high temperatures, withstanding high exotherms and offers outstanding chemical resistance, low water absorption and a very good adhesion.

Kerdyn<sup>™</sup> is available in a wide range of densities and thicknesses.

Product can be delivered in Lite version with surface treatment to lower resin uptake.

Surface finishing options to provide more flexibility in shaping and improve processing performances (pinholes, cuts, grooving or scrimmed) are available upon request.

Gurit can even tailor to your specific requirements through own kitting capabilities, please contact your local representative for further information.

# **TYPICAL APPLICATIONS**

As highly consistent extruded foam, Kerdyn<sup>™</sup> is ideal for applications in:

- Wind energy for rotor blades, nacelles, spinners, covers, tips
- Marine for deck, floor, hull, structures, bulkhead, interiors, furniture
- Industrial for housing, container, doors, window frames, domestic goods
- Transportation for automotive interiors, bus, trucks flooring, caravanning

- Density from 80 to 300 kg/m<sup>3</sup>
- Fully recyclable material
- Up to 100% recycled PET based product range
- Sustainable alternative to other foams or wood-based products
- Wide range of thicknesses
- Low resin uptake performance
- Wide processing methods
- Good mechanical properties
- Good chemical resistance
- Good adhesion skin to core
- Plain, finished, kitted sheets
- Sealed surface available
- DNV Certified







## **TECHNICAL INFORMATION**

General working practices apply to	hese products can be obtained from th	e Gurit Guide to Composites or b	v contacting a Gurit re	presentative (see contact information	on)
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PROPERTY	UNIT	Kerdyn™ 80	Kerdyn™ 100	Kerdyn™ 115	Kerdyn™ 135	Kerdyn™ 150	Kerdyn™ 200	Kerdyn™ 235	Kerdyn™ 250	Kerdyn™ 300	STANDARD
Nominal Density	kg/m3	80	100	115	135	150	200	235	250	300	ISO 845
	lb/ft3	4.99	6.24	7.18	8.43	9.39	12.49	14.67	15.61	18.73	
Typical Density range	kg/m3	75-85	95-105	110-120	130 - 140	143-157	190-210	225-245	240-260	288-312	ISO 845
	lb/ft3	4.68-5.31	5.93-6.55	6.87-7.49	8.11-8.74	8.93-9.80	11.86-13.11	14.05-15.29	14.98-16.23	17.98-19.48	
Compression Strength	MPa	0.86	1.30	1.65	2.12	2.49	3.79	4.63	5.21	6.50	ISO 844
	Psi	125	189	239	307	361	550	672	756	943	
Compressive	MPa	74	91	105	126	142	203	246	276	335	100 044
Modulus	Psi	10 733	13 198	15 299	18 275	20 595	29 443	35 679	40 030	48 588	ISO 844
Chaor Ctrop oth 00	MPa	0.59	0.80	0.97	1.20	1.40	2.04	2.23	2.36	2.66	
Shear Strength 0°	Psi	81.22	116	141	174	203	296	323	342	386	ASTM C-273
Shear Modulus 0º	MPa	18	25	30	37	43	62	76	83	105	ASTM C-273
	Psi	2 611	3 626	4 351	5 399	6 237	8 992	11 022	12 038	15 229	
Shear Strength 90°	MPa	0.58	0.79	0.95	1.17	1.35	1.95	2.17	2.31	2.65	ASTM C-273
	Psi	84.12	114	138	170	196	283	315	335	384	
Shear Modulus 90º	MPa	16	23	27	34	39	57	69	75	93	ASTM C-273
	Psi	2 321	3 336	3 916	4 931	5 656	8 268	10 008	10 878	13 488	
Shear Elongation	%	16	16	13	10	9	6	5	4	-	ASTM C-273
Tensile Strength	MPa	1.54	1.82	2.02	2.27	2.45	2.98	3.26	3.42	3.77	ASTM D-1623
	Psi	223	264	293	329	355	432	473	496	547	
Tensile Modulus	MPa	85	103	116	136	152	214	260	290	-	ASTM D-1623
	Psi	12 328	14 939	16 825	19 725	22 045	31 038	37 710	42 061	-	
Thermal conductivity** λ at 23°C (73°F)	W/(m.K)	0.032	0.033	0.034	0.036	0.037	0.040	0.043	0.044	0.047	EN 12667
	BTU/h·ft·°F	0.018	0.019	0.019	0.020	0.021	0.023	0.024	0.025	0.027	
Fire Properties *	Class					Class E*					EN 13501-1

\* Rating dependent on thickness and density, users should test their own proposed configuration \*\* Data for indication, normalized to nominal density, tests performed on sample size Length 600 x Width 600 x Thickness 50mm, users should test their own configuration according to their end-application or fit to purpose.

The technical data are means values for information based on results achieved under specific and/or defined test conditions. Customers with specific requirements must carry out tests to prove conformity to their own requirements.



# **PRODUCT DELIVERY**

	UNIT	Length	Width	Diagonal	Thickness
	mm	2440	1005 / 1220	(1)	5-200 (2)
Dimensions	inches	96	39.5 / 48	(1)	0.2 – 7.9 (2)
(3)	mm	-3/+6	-3/+5	<2	< 100: +/- 0.5 ≥ 100: +/- 1
I Olerances (**)	inches	-0.12 / 0.24	-0.12 / 0.20	< 0.08	< 3.9: +/- 0.02 ≥ 3.9: +/- 0.04

(1) Depending on combination of length/width

(2) Maximum thickness depending on the density

(3) Tolerances at room temperature

Physical properties are not affected by variances in colour. Customs tariff code: 39211900

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