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## G1859

# Flexbase<sup>™</sup> Copper Polyester Laminate

# Non-Flame Retardant Modified Epoxy Adhesive on Polyester Film

# **Description**

Flexbase™ G1859 products use our proprietary high temperature non-flame retardant modified epoxy adhesive, polyester film, and copper foil, creating a single or double-sided composite. G1859 laminates are suited for use in flex circuitry applications using standard manufacturing procedures and where cost and volume are key. Sheldahl™ Brand materials are processable in rolls.

## **Typical Applications**

Automotive Dashboard Circuitry, RFID Tags, Cell Phone Antennas, etc

#### **Features**

- Heat stable PET films and Multek's superior manufacturing process ensures consistent dimensional stability.
- Modified polyester epoxy adhesive that is clear and halogen free.
- G1859 laminates are manufactured using quality systems that conform to ISO, QS, and TS quality standards.

# **Available Coppers**

- Rolled-Annealed RA foils are suitable for dynamic flexing applications.
- Electro-Deposited High-Ductility EDHD foils are suited for general use and flex to install applications.
- As-Rolled Untreated ARNT foils are valuable for high frequency applications that require a smooth copper surface on both sides.

#### Constructions

- Film Thickness: 1, 2, 3, or 5 mils (25, 50, 75, or 125 µm)
- Copper Thickness: 0.5, 1, 2 oz (18, 35, 70 µm)
- Adhesive Thickness: standard thickness is 0.7mil (18µm)
- Width\*: standard roll width is 24" (610mm)
  - \*Specialty widths available. Please contact your Multek representative.

#### Single sided:

Copper: 18, 35, 70 μm

Adhesive: 18 μm

Polyester: 25, 50, 75, 125 μm

#### Double sided:

Copper: 18, 35, 70 μm

Adhesive: 18 μm

Polyester: 25, 50, 75,125 μm

Adhesive: 18 μm

Copper: 18, 35, 70 μm



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# **Technical Properties**

PROPERTY	UNITS	TYPICAL DATA	TEST METHOD
Dimensional Stability	%	MD - 0.1	IPC-TM-650 2.2.4
		TD - 0.3	
Peel Strength	lb/in (N/mm)	10.0 (1.75) 10.0 (1.75) 9.0 (1.57)	IPC-TM-650 2.4.9 Method A Method B Method F
Solderability		Pass	J-STD Test A
Solder Float		Pass	IPC-TM-650 2.4.13 B
Dielectric constant (1MHz)		3.5	IPC-TM-650 2.5.5.3
Dissipation factor (1MHz)		0.015	IPC-TM-650 2.5.3
Dielectric strength	V/mil (kV/mm)	3500 (139)	ASTM-D-149
Low Temperature Flexibility	5 cycles	Pass	IPC-TM-650 2.6.18
Volume Resistivity	ohm/cm	10 <sup>6</sup>	IPC-TM-650 2.5.17
Surface resistance	ohm/sq	10 <sup>4</sup>	IPC-TM-650 2.5.17
Chemical Resistance	%	90	IPC-TM-650 2.3.2 A
Fungus Resistance		Non-Nutrient	IPC-TM-650 2.6.1
Moisture and Insulation Resistance	ohm	10 <sup>4</sup>	IPC-TM-650 2.6.3.2
Moisture Absorption, maximum	%	0.5%	IPC-TM-650 2.6.2

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# Storage and Shelf Life

Guaranteed shelf life and material warranty is 12 months from date of shipment when stored at 40-80°F (4-26°C) and below 70%RH. Excessive exposure to heat and moisture may cause copper oxidation.