Corning[®] Med-Gamma[™] Glass

Gamma-Ray Radiation Shielding Glass for medical and technical applications.

Corning is a world leader in Radiation Shielding Glass offering a comprehensive range of products including **Corning® Med-Gamma™ Glass**. Corning® Med-Gamma™ Glass is supplied as polished plates with dimensions up to 2800 x 1400 mm, and has been designed to provide **high quality, transparent and protective shielding** from gamma-based PET radiation under various keV levels.



Key benefits

- Protective shielding glass against gamma-based PET radiation as specified by IEC 61331 (Standard Gamma Radiation).
- Extensive physical testing carried out on Corning[®] Med-Gamma[™] Glass allowing designers to specify glass with maximum confidence.
- High quality and neutral appearance providing excellent visual clarity.
- Corning[®] Med-Gamma[™] Glass is supplied as :
 - Polished plate up to 2800 x 1400mm
 - Laminated plate using PVB Interlayer
 - Cut plate supplied to customer specific sizes (with edges ground and finished with safety chamfers)

- Corning[®] Med-Gamma[™] Glass is stocked worldwide through local Corning sales offices and a network of specialist partners.
- Production of Corning[®] Med-Gamma[™] Glass is strictly controlled and follows quality ISO 9001, environmental ISO 14001 and health and safety OHSAS 18001 Standards.

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Shielding Characteristics

Glass Thickness		Minimum lead equivalent (mm) for stated keV			Max. Plate Mass	
mm	inches	511 keV	661 keV	1250 keV	kg/m ²	lbs/ft ²
7.0 - 8.5	0.276 - 0.335	2.8	2.8	3.4	40.8	8.4
8.5 - 10.0	0.335 - 0.394	3.5	3.5	4.1	48.0	9.8
10.0 - 12.0	0.394 - 0.472	4.1	4.0	4.7	57.6	11.8
11.0 - 13.0	0.433 - 0.512	4.5	4.4	5.1	62.4	12.8
14.0 - 16.0	0.551 - 0.63	5.7	5.5	6.4	76.8	15.7
16.0 - 18.0	0.630 - 0.709	6.5	6.6	7.5	86.4	17.7
18.0 - 20.0	0.709 - 0.787	7.3	7.0	8.0	96.0	19.7
20.0 - 24.0*	0.787 - 0.945	8.1	7.7	8.7	115.2	23.6
28.0 - 32.0*	1.102 - 1.260	11.4	10.7	12.0	153.6	31.5
32.0 - 36.0*	1.260 - 1.417	13.0	12.2	13.5	172.8	35.4

Data provided by the UK Health Protection Agency, based on Cs137/Co60 standard gamma radiation qualities according to ISO 4037-1. Attenuation measured by use of narrow beam method following IEC 61331.

* Thickness achieved through lamination, using a 1.5 mm PVB interlayer.

Physical Properties Optical Properties

Refractive Index nd	1.76
Transmission % @ 550nm through 5mm path	≥85.0
Mechanical Properties	
Density (g/cm³)	4.8
Chemical Properties	
Heavy oxide content	<70%



The production of Corning S.A.S. is strictly controlled and manufactured in accordance with the Quality Standard ISO 9001, the Environmental Standard ISO 14001 and the Health & Safety Standard OHSAS 18001.

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Note: The high barium and lead content makes Corning Med-Gamma[™] Glass susceptible to staining by acids and alkalis. We recommend this glass is not used or stored in conditions that will result in exposure to acid gases or excessive humidity.

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