

## FR408HR Laminate & Prepreg

408HR is a proprietary high performance 230°C (DMA) glass transition temperature (Tg) FR-4 system for multilayer printed wiring board (PWB) applications where maximum thermal performance and reliability are required. 408HR laminate and prepreg products are manufactured with Isola's patentable high performance multifunctional resin system, reinforced with electrical grade (E-glass) glass fabric. This system delivers a 30% improvement in Z axis expansion and offers 25% more electrical bandwidth (lower loss) than competitive products in this space. When these properties are coupled with its superior moisture resistance at reflow you have a product that bridges the gap from both a thermal and electrical perspective.

The 408HR system is also laser fluorescing and UV blocking for maximum compatibility with automated optical inspection systems (AOI), optical positioning systems and photoimagable soldermask imaging.

- High Thermal Performance
  Tg of 200 (DSC), 230°C (DMA) (Base Laminate)
  Low CTE for reliability
- Lead-free Compatible & RoHS Compliant
- UV Blocking and AOI Fluorescence
  High throughput and accuracy during PCB fabrication
  and assembly
- Superior Processing
  Closest to conventional FR-4 processing of all high
  speed materials
- Industry Approvals IPC-4101C /21, /24, /121, /124, /129 UL Recognized – FR-4, File Number E41625 Qualified to UL's MCIL Program
- Standard Availability
  Thickness: 0.0025" [.05 mm] to 0.093" [2.4 mm]
  Available in sheet or panel form
- Copper Foil Cladding: Grade 3 (HTE), 1/2, 1 and 2 oz. Foil Options: Reverse treat
- **Prepregs:** Available in roll or panel form



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Property		Typical Values			
		Units Test Metho			Test Method
		Typical Value	Specification	Metric (English)	IPC-TM-650 (or as noted)
Glass Transition Temperature (Tg) by DSC/DMA, spec minimum		200/230	170-200	°C	2.4.25
Decomposition Temperature (Td) @ 5% wt loss		360	—	°C	ASTM D3850
CTE, Z-axis	A. Pre-Tg PCB (.059 laminate) B. Post-Tg	55 (<55) 230	AABUS	ppm/°C	2.4.24
CTE, X-, Y-axes	A. Pre-Tg B. Post-Tg	16 18	AABUS	ppm/°C	2.4.24
% Z-Axis Expansion (50-260C)		2.8		%	2.4.24
Thermal Conductivity		0.4	_	W/mK	ASTM D5930
Thermal Stress 10 Sec @ 288°C (550.4°F), spec min	A. Unetched B. Etched	pass pass	Pass Visual Pass Visual	Rating	2.4.13.1
Permittivity, spec maximum (Laminate & prepreg as laminated)	A. @ 100 MHz HP4285A	3.72	5.4	-	2.5.5.3
	В. @ 1 GHz нр4291A	3.69	—		2.5.5.9
	C. @ 2 GHZ Bereskin Stripline	3.68	—		2.5.5.5
	D. @ 5 GHZ Bereskin Stripline	3.64	_		2.5.5.5
	E. @ 10 GHz Bereskin Stripline A. @ 100 MHz HP4285A	3.65 0.0072	0.035		2.5.5.5 2.5.5.3
Loss Tangent, spec maximum (Laminate & prepreg as laminated)	B. @ 1 GHz HP4285A	0.0072	0.055	-	2.5.5.9
		0.0092	_		2.5.5.5
	D. @ 5 GHz Bereskin Stripline	0.0098	_		2.5.5.5
	E. @ 10 GHz Bereskin Stripline	0.0095	_		2.5.5.5
Volume Resistivity, spec minimum	A. 96/35/90		1.0 x10 <sup>6</sup>	$M\Omega$ -cm	2.5.17.1
	n B. After moisture resistance	4.4x10 <sup>7</sup>	—		
	C. At elevated temperature	9.4 x10 <sup>7</sup>	1.0 x10 <sup>3</sup>		
Surface Resistivity, spec minimum	A. 96/35/90		1.0 x 10 <sup>4</sup>	MΩ	2.5.17.1
		2.6x10 <sup>6</sup>			
	C. At elevated temperature	2.1x10 <sup>8</sup>	1.0 x 10 <sup>3</sup>		
Dielectric Breakdown, spec minimum		>50		kV	2.5.6
Arc Resistance, spec minimum		137	60	Seconds	2.5.0
Electric Strength, spec minimum (Laminate & prepreg as laminated)		70	30	kV/mm	
		1741	750		2.5.6.2
		1/41	750	(V/mil)	UL-746A ASTM
Comparative Tracking Index (CTI)		3 (175 - 249)	-	Class (volts)	D3638
Peel Strength, Spec Minimum	A. Low profile copper foil and very low profile – all copper weights >17 microns	6.5(1.14)	4.0(0.70)	lb/inch(N/mm)	2.4.8
	B. Standard profile copper				2.4.8.2
	1. After thermal stress	5.5(0.96)	4.5(0.8)	lb/inch(N/mm)	2.4.8.3
	2. At 125°C (257°F)		4.0(0.70)		
	3. After process solutions	5.1(0.09)	3.0(0.55)	_	
Flexural Strength, minimum	A. Lengthwise direction B. Crosswise direction	67,000 62,000	_	lb/inch <sup>2</sup>	2.4.4
Moisture Absorption, spec maximum		0.061		ID/Incn %	2.6.2.1
Flammability (Laminate & prepreg as laminated), spec min		V0		Rating	UL-94
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Max Operating Temperature		130 (150)	UL Cert (tested)	Deg C	
DSR			· · · · · ·	1	

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