

Guide Specifications

Nevamar[®] ThruColor[™] High Pressure Laminate (HPL) is the color-through laminate that provides continuous color even on the edges of your finished product. Using a patented process, ThruColor[™] HPL gives your design the flexibility to use the edge of your product to enhance its overall appearance. ThruColor[™] HPL is also available in multi-toned or sandwich colors that can provide interesting banding, engraving and groove techniques. For more information, please visit our website www.nevamar.com or call 877-726-6526.

SECTION 064027

COLOR-THROUGH LAMINATES

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Provide color-through laminates for interior horizontal and vertical surfaces.
- B. Related Sections: Coordinate with Work of other sections including the following:
 - 1. Section 062023 Interior Finish Carpentry.
 - 2. Section 064116 Plastic-Laminate-Faced Architectural Cabinets.
 - 3. Section 064219 Plastic-Laminate-Faced Wood Paneling.
 - 4. Section 066400 Plastic Paneling.
 - 5. Section 102113 Plastic-Laminate-Clad Toilet Compartments.
 - 6. Section 105123 Plastic-Laminate-Clad Lockers.
 - 7. Section 123216 Manufactured Plastic-Laminate-Faced Casework.
 - 8. Section 123553 Plastic-Laminate-Clad Laboratory Casework.
 - 9. Section 123623 Plastic-Laminate-Clad Countertops.
- 1.2 SUBMITTALS
 - A. Product Data: Submit manufacturer's literature including product characteristics, accessories and limitations.
 - B. Selection Samples: Submit samples of colors and finishes if requested by Architect.
 - C. Verification Samples: Submit samples of materials selected specified to verify color and finish.
 - D. Industry Certifications and Standards: Submit copy of documentation indicating compliance.
- 1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE
 - A. Manufacturer: Minimum of 5 years experience manufacturing similar products.
- 1.4 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING
 - A. Deliver materials and products in unopened factory labeled packages. Store and handle in strict compliance with manufacturer's instructions and recommendations.
- 1.5 WARRANTY
 - A. Manufacturer's Warranty: Provide manufacturer's standard warranty against defects in manufacturing.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 COLOR-THROUGH LAMINATES

- Manufacturer: Panolam Industries International, Inc., 20 Progress Drive, Shelton, CT 06484.
 Tel: 877-726-6526, Fax: 203-225-0050. Web: www.panolam.com. Panels shall comply with the following:
 - 1. Sheet Thickness: 0.028 inches (0.711 mm) typical; thickness up to 1 inch (25 mm) available.
 - Sheet Width: As selected from manufacturer's standard widths of 30 inches (762 mm), 36 inches (914 mm), 48 inches (1219 mm), and 60 inches (1524 mm).
 - 3. Sheet Length: As selected from manufacturer's standard lengths of 96 inches (2438 mm), 120 inches (3048 mm) and 144 inches (3658 mm).
 - 4. Adhesive: Clear drying adhesive such as white glue (PVA), clear epoxy or equivalent as recommended by manufacturer.
 - 5. Colors and Patterns: As selected from manufacturer's offering. Check with manufacturer for product availability.
 - 6. Finish Options:

Ashwood (Z) Fine wood finish with a cathedral grain. Embossed wood grain finish.
Barnboard (BB) is a linear woodgrain with a slight satin sheen.
Counter V (CV) Combined natural and polished surface.
Crystal (C) Fine pebble grained finish, with a medium gloss.
Gloss (G) High gloss, smooth finish.
High Luster (N) A finely textured, highly reflective finish.
Leather (B) Provides the supple beauty of aged leather.
Polished Velvet (PV) A semi-gloss minutely grained finish.
Textured No ARP (E) Softens wood grains, patterns and solids with a fine graining.
Velvet (V) A smooth, finely grained finish.
Wood Essence (WE) Natural-appearing, linear wood grain finish.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

A. Examine substrates for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Install products in strict accordance with manufacturer's instructions and approved submittals.
 - 1. Clean substrate of dirt, dust, waxes, and other bond breaking substances prior to beginning installation.
 - 2. Follow adhesive manufacturer's recommendations for set and application times.
 - 3. Apply pressure to entire panel face with laminate type roller, removing trapped air and ensure proper adhesion between surfaces.

3.3 ADJUSTING AND CLEANING

- A. Replace installations out of plumb and not aligned with adjacent panels and construction.
- B. Clean panel face to remove soiling, stains, dust, and dirt using clean rags, and cleaning agents as instructed by manufacturer.
- C. Leave installation clean, free of residue and debris resulting from work of this Section.

END OF SECTION

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