### MULTIWALL POLYCARBONATE SHEET

# Marlon ST



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Marlon ST is the range of high performance multiwall glazing sheets manufactured from damage resistant polycarbonate with co-extruded UV protection.

With 60 years' industry experience Brett Martin has used its expertise to develop this extensive and growing range of multiwall polycarbonate sheet which has become the preferred choice for professionals in construction, horticulture, agriculture and DIY worldwide.

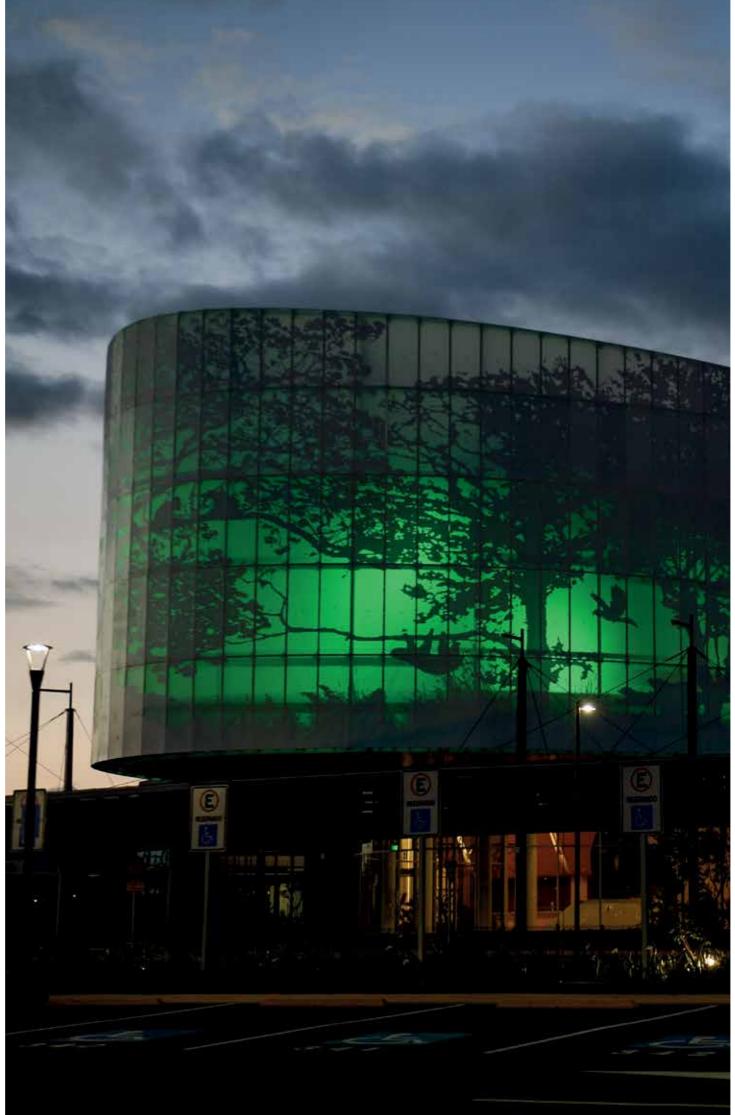
- Excellent light transmission
- Co-extruded UV protection
- Thermal insulation
- Exceptional impact resistance
- · Outstanding strength to weight ratio
- Excellent fire performance

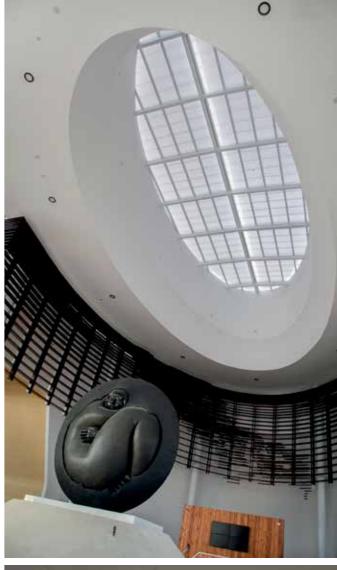
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Specials
Dual sided UV protection / Anti-drip / Special Tints

### **STRUCTURES**











Triplewall (Triple) Thickness 16mm

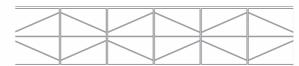


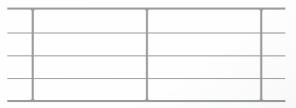
Twinwall (Twin) Thicknesses 4, 6, 8, 10 & 30mm

Fourwall (Four) Thicknesses 8mm & 10mm

M Wall (M) Thickness 16mm







Sixwall (Six) Thickness 10mm





Heatguard/Opal

**SOLAR CONTROL TINTS** 

IR Blue

DUAL TINTS

Bronze/Opal

Solar Gold

OPAQUE SHEET

White/Black/White

ANTI-FOG SHEET

Marlon BioPlus %

Heatguard/Opal

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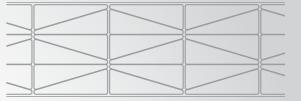
### 16x32mm M Wall (M) Improved Clarity



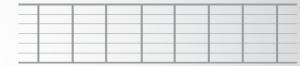
### X Wall (X) Thickness 16mm

### Fivewall (Five) Thicknesses 16 & 25mm





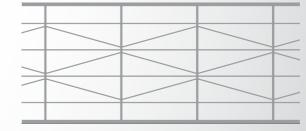
### Sevenwall (Seven) Thicknesses 16, 32 & 35mm



### XX wall (XX) Thicknesses 32 & 35mm



### Ninewall Thickness 32mm



### Tenwall Thickness 35, 40 & 55mm







### **Marlon BioPlus** %



# Next level sustainability

Specify the Marlon BioPlus option to reduce the embodied carbon in your project.

By switching from fossil based PC to resins certified as being produced from 89% bio-circular attributed material via mass balancing, we can offer Polycarbonate sheets with dramatically reduced impact on the environment.

The effect of using climate neutral resins in sheet manufactured with 100% renewable energy significantly reduces the embodied carbon associated with these sheets.



ISCC PLUS certified. Climate neutral, biocircular attributed resin 89%

Replacement of fossil based raw material\*

100%

Renewable energy used in resin and sheet production

# Mass balancing explained

Mass Balancing is the plastic industry's innovative approach to deliver the next level of renewable resins.

It overcomes the practical production barriers to the substitution of fossil resources with bio-based recycled materials, e.g. used cooking oil, and accelerates the reduction in carbon emissions.

Mass balancing introduces measured amounts of bio-based materials early in the resin production process and allocates exactly the same amount to the finished resin. This allocation carries through to the Marlon sheet, which is identified and sold as a bio-circular attributed product.

### **Certified Sustainability**

Each order of Marlon Bioplus is covered by our ISCC plus certification to confirm that the bio based material has been sourced sustainably and allocated via our mass balancing system.



### **Feedstock**

### 100t Recycled

bio material

900t Fossil material

### Resin

### 100t

Bio-circular attributed resin

900t Standard resin

### Sheet

### 100t

Bio-circular attributed Marlon BioPlus sheet



900t

Standard Marlon sheet



# Incredible Strength to Weight Ratio

Polycarbonate's strength to weight ratio makes it an ideal material for roofing and glazing applications and an excellent alternative to heavier building materials.

### **Features & Benefits**



200 times stronger than glass at only a fraction of the weight



Excellent impact resistance



Superb glazing solution suitable for even the most extreme of climates



Rigid and self supporting allowing architectural spanning applications



Weight allows for architectural designs that could not be realised with heavier materials



Light weight for reduced transport energy and ease of handling



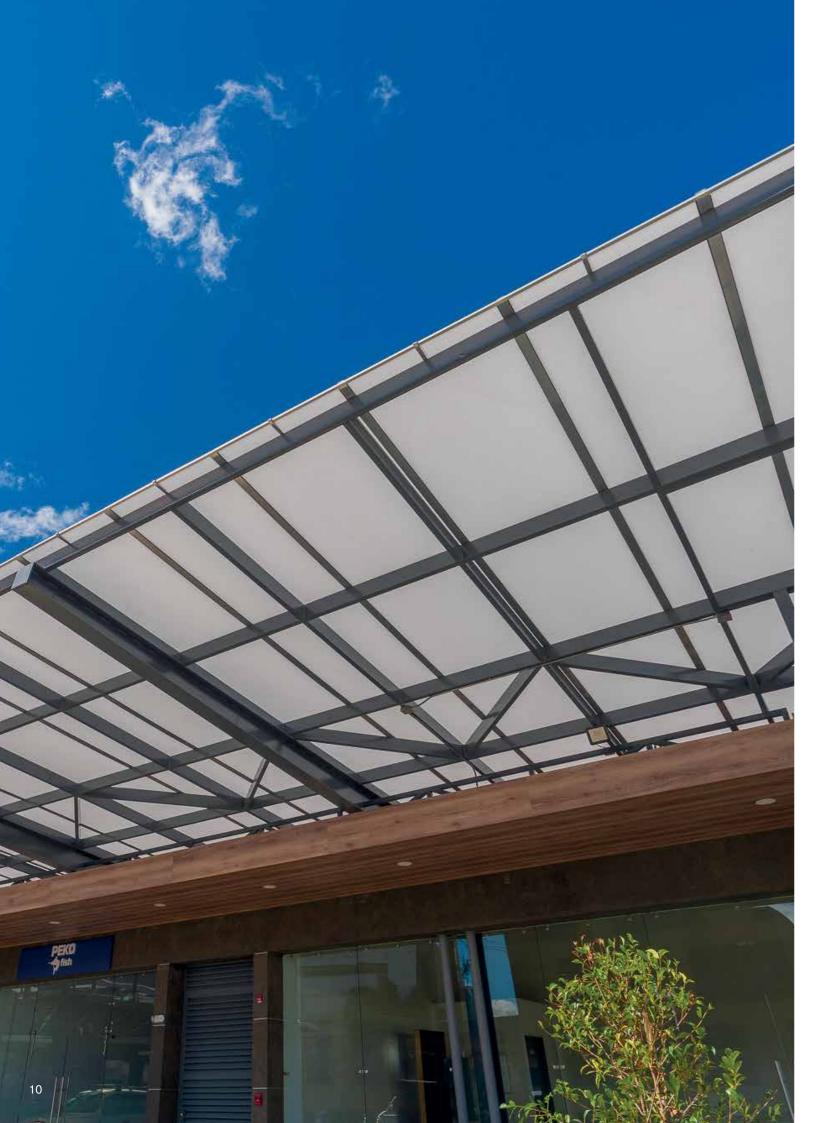
Long term durability means lower maintenance



Reduces the need for costly repairs







# Outstanding Technical Performance

Polycarbonate offers a wide range of technical properties that make it an ideal solution in even the most challenging environments.

### **Features & Benefits**



Service temperature up to 100°C - suitable for high temperature internal or external environments



Excellent fire performance with certification available from Brett Martin's Technical Department



Co-extruded UV protection layer filters out over 98% of UV rays for enhanced weatherability, preventing yellowing and loss of strength



Double sided UV protection option available for applications in which both sides of the sheet are exposed to the sun



UV protective glazing protects everything underneath from the damaging effects of the sun – people, livestock & plants



Limited warranty, contact our Technical Department for further details



The multiwall structure of Marlon ST sheet provides a thermally insulating glazing solution. Achieve U-values as low as 0.83W/m<sup>2</sup>K





# Excellent Light Transmission

Polycarbonate's optical qualities make it ideal for applications requiring maximum daylight.

### **Features & Benefits**



Achieves light transmission in excess of 80%



Reduced need for artificial light cuts building energy costs



Range of tints offering differing levels of light transmission and light diffusion to meet the designer's requirements



Natural daylight has been proven to promote health and wellbeing and improves mood

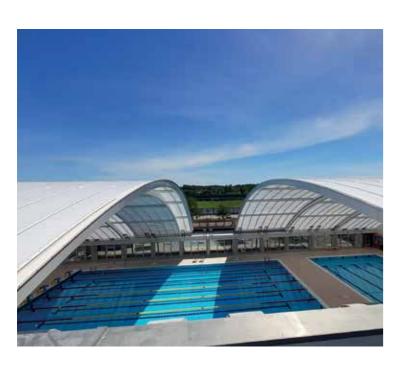


Natural daylight increases productivity and performance in schools, workplaces and sports facilities

### **Applications**

Marlon's incredible strength to weight ratio, outstanding technical performance and excellent light transmission make it the ideal choice for a range of construction, horticulture, agriculture and DIY applications.

### **Construction & Architecture**



High light transmission combined with thermal insulation from the multiwall structure makes Marlon ST an ideal material for rooflights and vertical glazing. Natural light and U-values as low as 0.83W/m²K contribute to a more energy efficient building whilst the attractive appearance of the sheet enhances design capabilities for a stunning architectural feature.

Rooflights

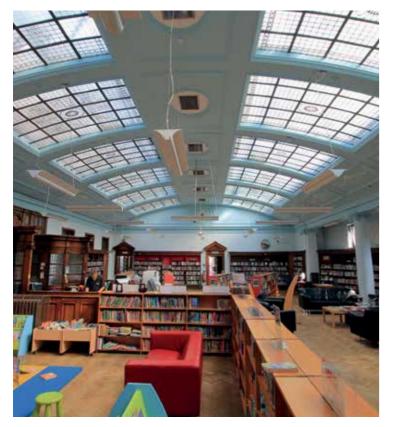
Vertical Glazing

Facades

Rainscreens

Canopies

Walkways







### **Horticulture & Agriculture**



Marlon ST lightweight yet robust and durable glazing sheets are easy to install and reduce the need for frequent costly repairs. The range of light transmitting and solar controlling tints provides maximum daylight for growing crops or controlled natural light for creating a comfortable environment for livestock. Natural light reduces the need for artificial lighting. The co-extruded UV protection layer, which blocks over 98% of harmful UV rays, prolongs the life of the glazing sheet and protects the livestock and plants from the harmful effects of the sun.

Commercial greenhouses

Garden centres

Domestic greenhouses

Cow sheds

Milking parlours

Barns

### **House & Garden**



Marlon ST is light in weight, easy to handle and easy to install with standard DIY tools making it the ideal solution for home improvement projects around the house and garden. Choose from a wide range of products suitable for DIYer's planning simple projects such as greenhouse glazing replacement, shed windows and gazebos to tradesmen undertaking more complex projects such as carports, sun canopies and conservatories.

Conservatories

Sun rooms

Swimming pool covers

Lean-to extensions

Pergolas

Sun screens

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## Marlon ST

AVAILABLE IN

Marlon BioPlus %

### Extensive range of structures, thickness and tints options.

Marlon ST multiwall polycarbonate sheet is a lightweight insulating glazing material manufactured from damage resistant polycarbonate. Co-extruded UV protection provides resistance against the effects of UV weathering. Marlon ST multiwall sheets are available in a range of thicknesses, structures and options for a wide range of roofing, cladding and glazing applications.

Marlon ST BioPlus, made with bio-circular attributed resin, is available across the entire Marlon ST range. Its material and processing properties are identical to the standard product.

### **Applications**

- · Rooflights and vertical glazing
- Canopies and walkways
- · Conservatories and greenhouses
- Signage & display

### **Key Features**

- · Light weight yet rigid and structurally strong
- Thermally insulating multiwall structure
- Options for maximum light transmission or solar control
- Extensive range of structures and thicknesses

### **Product Range**

### Thicknesses

4mm – 55mm

### **Structures**

Twinwall, Triplewall, Fourwall, Mwall, Xwall, Fivewall, Sixwall, 7Xwall, Sevenwall, XXwall, Ninewall, Tenwall

### Specials

Double sided UV protection / Anti-drip

### **Standard Tints**





Clear

Bronze





Opal

Pearlescent





### **Marlon ST** Dual

**Marlon** 

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**BioPlus** %

Dual tinted multiwall sheet for the perfect aesthetic inside and outside conservatories and sun rooms.

Marlon ST dual tinted multiwall polycarbonate sheets offer dual-layer colour combinations in the same sheet to reduce heat build-up and solar glare while providing soft, diffused natural daylight. The heat controlling outer layer is effective in reducing solar heat gain through the roof by up to 50% and by combining this with a light diffusing opal interior, adds to the aesthetics and ambience of any conservatory, lean-to or veranda. Dual tint options include Heatguard Opal and Bronze Opal providing a comfortable cool and naturally daylit interior space.

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### **Applications**

- Rooflights
- Conservatories
- Sunrooms

### **Key Features**

- Solar controlling outer layer with and attractive opal inner layer
- · Soft, diffused natural light
- Reduces heat gain by up to 50%

### **Product Range**

### **Structures**

8mm 4wall, 10mm 6wall, 25mm Fivewall, 25mm 7Xwall, 32mm Sevenwall, 35mm Sevenwall

### Specials

Double sided UV protection / Anti-drip

### **Dual Tints**





Bronze Opal





### **Marlon ST** Solar Control

**Marlon** 

**AVAILABLE IN** 

**BioPlus** %

Solar controlling tints reduce heat build up by up to 50% compared to clear glazing sheet.

Marlon ST solar controlling multiwall polycarbonate sheet with heat reflecting technology provides cool naturally daylit interiors without the heat build-up normally associated with large areas of glazing. The advanced heat controlling technology cleverly blocks the heat transmitting near-infra red solar energy whilst allowing high levels of natural light to penetrate the sheet without compromising light transmission.

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### **Applications**

- Rooflights
- Conservatories
- Sunrooms

### **Key Features**

- Reduces temperatures by up to 13°C\*
- · Cool naturally daylit interiors
- Tints options for maximum light transmission or diffused light

### **Product Range**

### **Structures**

10mm 4wall, 16mm Sevenwall, 32mm Ninewall, 35mm Sevenwall

### **Specials**

Dual sided UV protection

### **Solar Controlling Tints**



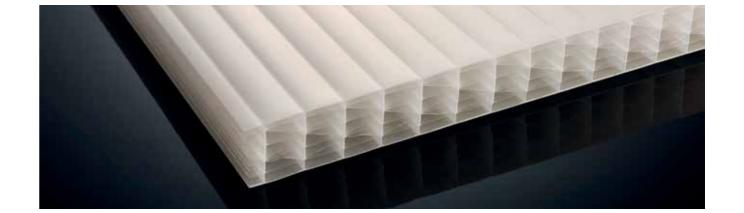


Heatguard

Solar Gold



IR Blue



<sup>\*</sup>Compared to clear material





# **Marlon ST** Anti-fog

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**Marlon BioPlus** %

Anti-fog layer eliminates condensation for maximum daylight and reduced water damage to plants.

Marlon ST with Condensation Control is an exceptional greenhouse glazing material which complements modern horticultural technology to provide the optimum environment for the controlled development of healthy seedlings and young plants for maximum yields. The anti-drip surface layer prevents the formation of water droplets and reduces condensation and associated fogging. This technically superior product achieves the high levels of photosynthetic light transmission necessary for healthy plant growth and combines high impact resistance, condensation control and UV protection.

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### **Applications**

- · Commercial Greenhouses
- Garden Greenhouses
- Garden Centres

### **Key Features**

- Condensation control reduces crop spoilage caused by dripping
- High light transmission for healthy plant development
- Blocks damaging UV radiation

### **Product Range**

### **Thicknesses**

4mm – 16mm

### **Structures**

Twinwall, Triplewall, Fourwall

### Specials

Double sided UV protection

### **Colour & Tints**





## **Marlon ST** Opaque

Opaque sheet comprising a black core with a white surface providing 0% light transmission and maximum light reflection.

Marlon ST Opaque multiwall polycarbonate combines a black core with a highly reflective white outer surface for 0% light transmission through the sheet and maximum reflection of light from the sheet surface. This makes Marlon ST opaque the ideal solution for the walls of medical cannabis greenhouses as it aides control over day/night light cycles. Marlon ST Opaque also provides complete privacy and security for the crop. In addition to this the thermally insulating multiwall structure of the sheet helps to maintain the internal temperature of the greenhouse.

### **Applications**

- · Sides and walls
- Greenhouses
- Storage Facilities

### **Key Features**

- Completely opaque for 0% light transmission
- · Highly reflective white surface maximises light for photosynthesis
- Provides privacy and security for the walls of medical cannabis greenhouses

### **Product Range**

### **Thicknesses**

8mm

### Structures

Fourwall

### **Specials**

### **Colours & Tints**



White/black/white

Dual sided UV protection

### **Applications**

- Greenhouses
- Carports
- · DIY canopies

### **Key Features**

- Manufactured from premium Marlon polycarbonate
- · Options to suit 4mm, 6mm, 8mm, 10mm & 16mm sheet

Polycarbonate

Our range of polycarbonate connection profiles and sheet end closure profiles for use with Marlon ST multiwall

Marlon polycarbonate with UV protection. Choose from a

polycarbonate sheet are manufactured from damage resistant

range of sizes to suit 4 – 16mm multiwall polycarbonate sheet.

Light in weight yet robust our range of polycarbonate profiles

are quick and easy to install. A full colour range is available

to match any Marlon ST multiwall polycarbonate sheet.

· Co-extruded UV protection layer · Light in weight and easy to install

**Profiles** 

### **Product Range**

### Cap & Base Profile

Suitable for use with 6mm, 8mm & 10mm sheet

### H Profile

Options for 4mm, 6mm, 8mm, 10mm & 16mm sheet

### **U** Profile

Options for 4mm, 6mm, 8mm. 10mm & 16mm sheet

### Specials

Dual sided UV protection

### **Sheet Connection Profiles**





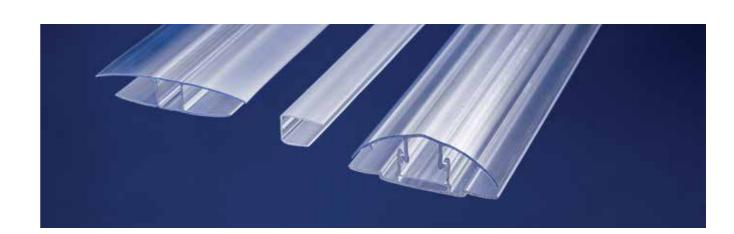
Cap & Base Profile H profile

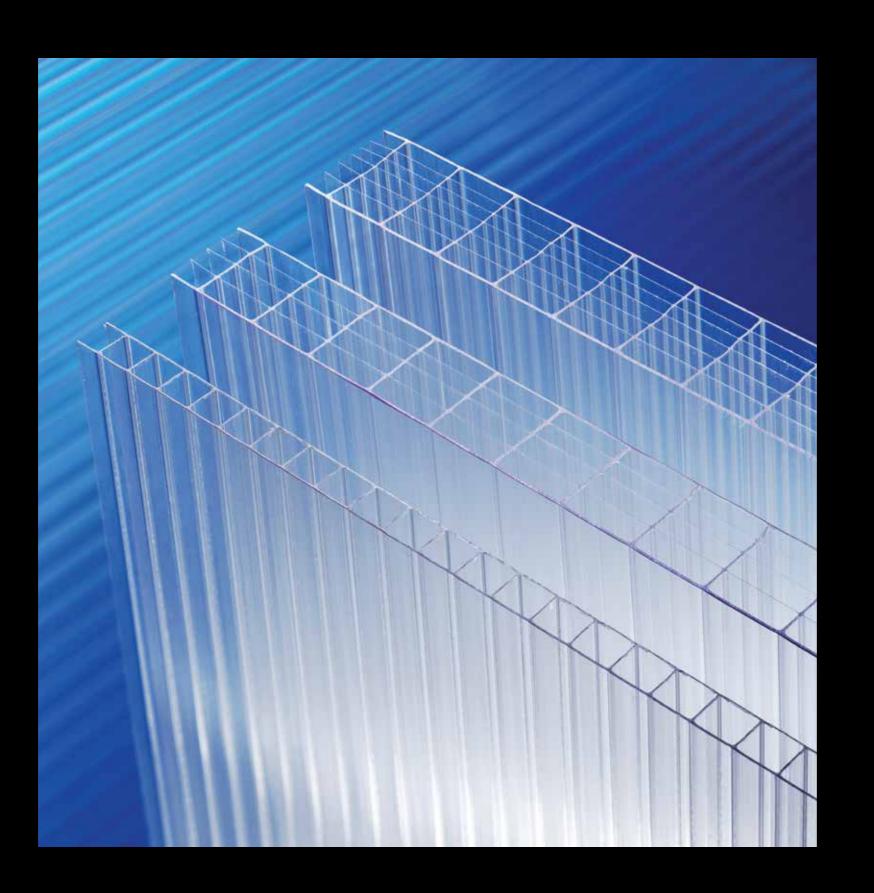
### **Sheet End Closure**



U profile







# TECHNICAL INFORMATION & INSTALLATION GUIDELINES

Marlon ST Longlife is robust yet lightweight. Installation is straightforward but it is imperative that the following rules are applied to every installation.

For Technical advice on your specific project please contact technical@brettmartin.com



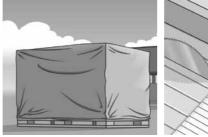
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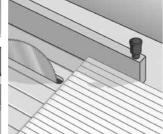
### Installation Guidelines

### **Storage & Sheet Preparation**

- Store sheets on a flat surface. Use an opaque cover, tightly secured, to protect from wind, rain and sun. Storage is always preferable indoors.
- Ensure that the clearly marked UV protected surface of the Marlon ST sheet is to the outside.
- Marlon ST sheets must always be installed with the ribs running vertically, or up-slope.
- Roofs should always be designed with a minimum slope of 5° to allow adequate rainwater run-off.
- Marlon ST sheet can be cut with a fine tooth circular saw or hand saw at a shallow angle.
- Use aluminium sealing tape at the top of the sheet to prevent ingress of moisture, dust and insects.

 Use breather tape at the bottom end of the sheet to minimise condensation and prevent dust or insects entering the sheet.





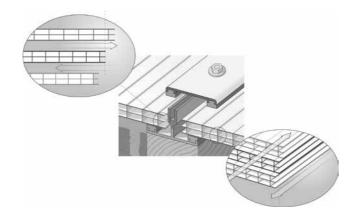
### **Thermal Movement**

### **IMPORTANT**

Polycarbonate sheet will expand in the heat and contract in the cold.

Sufficient allowance for thermal movement must be made in all:

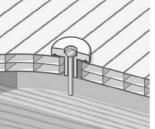
- Glazing bars
- Side and end closures
- Fixing holes



### **Drilling & Fixing**

- When drilling fixing holes they must be oversized (18mm) to allow the sheet to move.
- Drill between ribs and at least 40mm from the edge of the sheet.
- Fixings must not be overtightened, again this allows the natural movement of the sheet and will avoid unnecessary damage to the sheet.

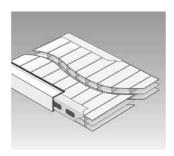




### **Finishing**

Cover breather tape with a 'U' profile sealed to the top face of the sheet with a small silicone bead.

- Use a low-modulus neutral silicone as an allpurpose silicone will cause polycarbonates to crack and disintegrate.
- Ensure all film is completely removed immediately after installation.



### Installation Accessories

A full range of fully compatible accessories including connection profiles, sheet end closure, fixings, tapes and silicone sealant are available for the complete roofing solution.

It is important when installing any Marlon ST sheet that accessories are compatible for use with polycarbonate.



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Structure	Twin	Twin	Twin	Four	Twin	Four	Six	Triple	Five	М	М	X	Seven	7 X	7 X	Five	Twin	XX	Seven	Nine	XX	Seven	Ten	Ten	Te
Sheet thickness mm (±0.5)	4	6	8	8	10	10	10	16	16	16	16	16	16	20	25	25	30	32	32	32	35	35	35	40	5
Rib spacing (nominal) mm	6	6	10	12.5	10	12.5	11.3	20	20	17.5	32	12.4	14	20	20	20	35	16	20	20	16	20	20	20	2
Maximum Sheet width mm	2100	2100	2100	2100	2100	2100	2100	2100	2100	1250	1250	2100	2100	2100	2100	2100	1250	1250	2100	1250	980	2100	1250	1250	12
Approx weight g/m²	800	1300	1500	1500	1700	1700	1700	2700	2700	2800	4000	2500	2500	2800	3100	3400	3500	3800	3600	3600	4200	3900	3900	4300	50
Light transmission %																									
Clear S	85	82	82	74	82	74	68	77	69	73	74	66	64	62	62	68	77	64	64	57	67	63	54	54	5
Bronze B	28	26	20	21	20	19	-	18	16	-	-	-	-	-	11	11	18	11	7	-	11	7	-	-	-
Opal V	39	39	39	39	40	34	-	42	39	35	39	34	-	28	28	30	37	40	33	30	33	31	35	33	3
U-value W/M²k	3.9	3.7	3.4	2.8	3.2	2.5	2.4	2.4	1.9	2.2	2.5	2.0	1.78	1.6	1.4	1.6	2.6	1.4	1.25	1.2	1.4	1.2	1.08	0.99	0.
Falling dart Gardiner impact at 23°C Nm	21.3	27	>27	>27	>27	>27	>27	>27	>27	>27	>27	>27	>27	>27	>27	>27	>27	>27	>27	>27	>27	>27	>27	>27	>2

The typical properties table includes some non-standard items which may be subject to minimum order quantities and extended lead times.

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### Polycarbonate Mechanical Properties

### **Strength & Damage Resistance**

Damage to glazing can be hazardous and expensive but our Marlon ST multiwall polycarbonate sheets offer excellent protection against hailstones, vandalism and accidental damage with an impact resistance up to 200 times greater than glass. This characteristic is maintained over a broad temperature range and prolonged service life. The Marlon ST sheets will retain their physical properties in extreme weather conditions making them the ideal glazing solution for projects throughout the world. Marlon ST polycarbonate can withstand temperature extremes from -20°C to 100°C (-4 to 212°F) long term and up to 130°C short term. No other glazing material can offer this combination of impact resistance and wide working temperature range.

### **UV Protection**

Our Marlon ST polycarbonate sheets are co-extruded with a UV absorption layer. This protective layer prevents damaging UV radiation from penetrating the sheet for long term optical clarity and mechanical strength.

### **Chemical Resistance**

Polycarbonate has good resistance to many chemicals (with the exception of solvents and strong alkalis) so is often suitable for use in aggressive environments.

### **Fire Performance**

Our Marlon ST sheets exhibit excellent fire performance and in the event of a fire will soften and open, allowing smoke, heat and gases produced by the fire to escape. This 'venting' property means that damage within buildings can be limited. For details of fire ratings please contact our Technical department.

### Warranty

Marlon ST sheets are manufactured under Quality Management Systems registered to BS EN ISO 9001:2015. The sheets carry limited warranty. For full warranty details please contact our Technical department.

### **Testing**

Marlon ST sheets are designed and tested to the relevant industry standards and performance criteria. For further information please contact our Technical department.

### **Marlon ST BioPlus**

Marlon ST BioPlus, made with bio-circular attributed resin, is available across the entire Marlon ST range. Its material and processing properties are identical to the standard product.

Properties		Test Method	Value	Units
	Tensile strength at yield	DIN 53455	>60	MPa
Mechanical	Tensile strength at break	DIN 53455	>70	MPa
	Modulus of elasticity	DIN 53457	>2300	MPa
Physical	Specific gravity	DIN 53479	1.20	g/m³
Thermal	Softening temperature - Vicat 'B'	DIN53460	148	°C
	Linear thermal expansion	DIN53752	6.8 x 10 <sup>-5</sup>	m/m.K
	Maximum service temperature	Permanent	100	°C
	- no loading	Short term	130	°C

# Polycarbonate General Guidelines

### **Accessories**

It is recommended that the ends of the Marlon ST sheets are sealed to minimise the build-up of moisture or dust contamination within the channels. A sealing tape, preferably aluminium, is applied at the top of the sheet to prevent ingress of moisture, dust and insects. A breather tape applied to the bottom end of the sheet permits air to move freely in and out of the sheet, helping minimise condensation.

### **Thermal Expansion**

In practical terms it is necessary to allow 3.5mm per linear metre between the top edge of the panel and the glazing profile.

### Cleaning

As a condition of ensuring that Marlon ST sheets perform at optimum throughout their service life, it is recommended that the sheets be cleaned periodically using suitable household cleaning agents as follows:

- Use lukewarm water to rinse the sheet and soften dirt.
- Make up a solution of lukewarm water and ordinary household cleaner or a mild soap and use this to wash the sheet.
- A sponge or soft cloth should then be used to gently remove dirt and grime.
- The cleaning process should then be repeated and the sheet rinsed and dried with a soft cloth.
- For larger areas clean the surface with a high-pressure water cleaner.

### Warning

Care should be taken to observe the following precautions:

- 1. Do not scrub Marlon ST sheet with brushes or sharp instruments.
- 2. Avoid any abrasives or cleaners of a highly alkaline composition.
- 3. It is generally advisable in all instances to test any cleaner on a sample piece of the Marlon ST sheet first and it should also be remembered that cleaners and solvents which state that they are suitable for cleaning polycarbonate may not be safe for use on the UV protective surface of the sheet.





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