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# XLERPLATE® steel SA/AS 1548 – PT490N (L20, L40, L50)

## **General description**

A fully killed, fine grained, carbon-manganese steel for boiler and pressure vessel applications, with a guaranteed minimum tensile strength of 490MPa. Produced by hot rolling and normalising.

#### **Features & benefits**

Grades with elevated temperature properties available

Grades available with guaranteed low temperature properties

- Excellent weldability
- Excellent formability

This grade is recognised in the ASME material codes

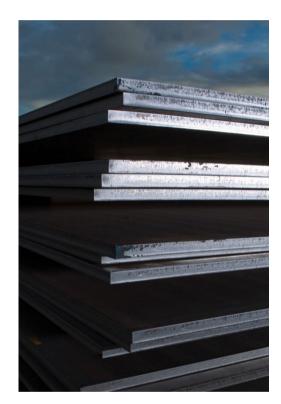
#### Warnings

This material should be used in conjunction with the appropriate pressure vessel design and welding standards.

Guidelines for cold bending, where fracture toughness is important are given in AS 4100:2020 and AS 1210:2010.

### **Australian and International Standards**

AS 1548:2008 (R2018) AS/NZS 1365:1996 (R2016) ISO 9001:2015 Quality System Certified



## Normal / optional supply conditions

	Normal	Optional
Thickness Range	PT490N:10mm – 100mm PT490NL20: 10mm – 100mm PT490NL40: 10mm – 80mm PT490NL50: 10mm – 80mm	-
Availability	By enquiry only	-
Edge Condition	Trimmed	-
Tolerances	Thickness: AS 1548:2008 (R2018) Others: AS/NZS 1365:1996 (R2016)	-
Ultrasonic Inspection	-	AS 1710:2007
Surface Inspection	BlueScope	Third party
Certification	BlueScope	Third party endorsed

Optional supply conditions may be subject to dimensional restrictions

# **Chemical composition**

Element	Guaranteed Maximum %
Carbon	0.20
Silicon	0.6
Manganese	1.70
Phosphorus	0.040
Sulfur	0.030
Chromium	0.25
Nickel	0.50
Copper	0.40
Molybdenum	0.10
Aluminium	0.10
Niobium	0.050
Titanium	0.040
CEQ (IIW)	0.46

All values shown refer to the relevant Australian Standard unless otherwise stated

$$CEQ(IIW) = C + \frac{Mn}{6} + \frac{(Cr + Mo + V)}{5} + \frac{(Cu + Ni)}{15}$$

# **Mechanical properties**

Tensile Properties (Transverse)		Thickness (mm)			
		t ≤ 16	16 < t ≤ 40	40 < t ≤ 80	80 < t ≤ 100
Yield Strength (MPa)	Guaranteed Min	360	340	330	320
Tensile Strength (MPa)	Required	490 to 610	490 to 610	490 to 610	490 to 610
Elongation 5.65√S₀ (%)	Guaranteed Min	20	20	20	20



Charpy Impact		Test Temperature (°C)	Absorbed Energy (joules)	
Properties			Avg. of 3	Individual
Guaranteed Min	490N	0	55	43
Guaranteed Min	490NL20	-20	55	43
Guaranteed Min	490NL40	-40	45	33
Guaranteed Min	490NL50	-50	42	31

Formability	Thickness (mm)	Longitudinal	Transverse
Recommended min inside Radius	t ≤ 20	3.0t	2.0t
	20 < t ≤ 50	6.0t	4.0t
	t > 50	Hot Forming	

### **Fire hazard properties**

Test & Evaluation Method	Result
Combustibility test for materials (AS 1530.1-1994 (R2016))	Not deemed combustible (steel substrate) #

<sup>#</sup> These test results relate only to the behaviour of the test specimens of the material under the particular conditions of the test and they are not intended to be the sole criterion for assessing the potential fire hazard of the material in use.



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