# *Mat Specifications RSP625 Resilite Classic Mat*



Dear Customer:

Thank you for selecting Resilite Sports Products as one of the potential suppliers of your wrestling mat. Since 1959, Resilite<sup>™</sup> Sports Products has been a world leader in manufacturing athletic mats and wall padding. Our, outstanding service and dedication to customer satisfaction is second to none. We work directly with you to ensure we meet the needs and expectations of each and every customer.

#### Not all mats are created equal!

A Resilite wrestling mat has been specifically designed to absorb and cushion the impacts that can occur under normal wrestling conditions. It is a common misperception that all foam mats of the same thickness offer the same protection. In the interest of safety, The American Society of Testing and Materials International (ASTMI) established ASTM F1081-97(03) *"Specification for Competition Wrestling Mats."* The ASTM standard is a basic guideline to assist schools, athletic directors, coaches and architects in the types of foam acceptable and general information about mat construction. Resilite continuously tests our mats internally and with independent testing laboratories to ensure each mat we manufacture fully meets the ASTM standard in accordance with ASTM Test Method F355-01 *"Test Method for Shock-absorbing Properties of Playing Surface Systems and Materials."* Purchasing a Resilite mat will give you the assurance that your mat will provide superior impact protection for your athletes.

When placing your wrestling mat project out to a bidding process, or when comparing several mats from a variety of manufacturers, we have provided you with preferred wrestling mat specifications. We encourage you to use these specifications to help you develop your RFP, or use them when comparing wrestling mat *"apples-to-apples."* These specifications will help you purchase a mat that conforms to the NCAA Official Wrestling Rules and to the NFHS, National Federation of State High School Associations, Official High School Wrestling Rules.

Thank You.

## Wrestling Mat Specifications for 1.25" Thick Vinyl-Coated Mat RSP625



- Wrestling Mat shall use a fire-retardant, elastomeric rubber nitrile foam core. Mats manufactured using a cross link, polyethylene foam are not acceptable.
- Wrestling Mat shall be tested for flammability in accordance with ASTM E648 "Critical Radiant Flux of Floor Coverings" and shall meet a Class I rating of 0.45 W/cm<sup>2</sup> or greater.
- Wrestling mat shall be tested by an independent laboratory in accordance with ASTM F-1081-03, "Standard Specification for Competition Wrestling Mats." The foam core shall have received a PASS rating of (<) 100 maximum G-max when tested in accordance with Procedure A of ASTM F-355-01 "Test Method for Shock Absorbing Properties of Playing Surface Systems and Materials." Mats that do not receive an average G-max range below 100 G-max are not acceptable. Manufacturer shall be able to provide 3rd party, independent test results upon request.
- To further determine the mats ability of impact absorption the Wrestling Mat shall be tested for impact protection using an Electronic Impact Surface Tester such as the Triax 2000, in accordance with ASTM F-1292-04. The wrestling mat shall have a G-max reading of less than (<) 200 and a HIC score (Head Injury Criterion) of less than (<) 1,000 from a four foot (4') drop height. Manufacturer shall be able to provide 3rd party, independent test results upon request.</li>
- Wrestling Mat shall be two-sided to provide wrestling areas on both sides of the mat.
- Wrestling Mat foam shall be coated on all sides and edges using a hot-spray #457 Polyvinyl coating for added durability, cleaning purposes and aesthetic appeal. Vinyl fabric-covered mats, or heat-laminated mats are not acceptable.
- Foam Core shall have a compression / deflation of 5.0 7.0 psi and meet ASTM testing standard D1056 "Specification for Flexible Cellular Materials-Sponge".
- Foam Core shall have a tensile (tension) strength of 75 psi or greater and meet ASTM testing standard D412-98a(2002)e1 "Test Methods for Vulcanized Rubber and Thermoplastic Elastomers-Tension."
- Foam Core shall have an elongation property of 125% and meet ASTM testing standard D412-98a(2002)e1 "Test Methods for Vulcanized Rubber and Thermoplastic Elastomers-Tension."
- Wrestling Mat manufacturer shall be able to provide customized mat sizes and configurations as needed.
- Wrestling Mat manufacturer shall be able to provide full-color, computer renderings of wrestling mats with graphics for review for layout, design and placement.
- Wrestling Mat shall be guaranteed at least 3 years from the date of shipment.
- Wrestling Mat should be able to be reconditioned in the future if needed.
- Mat storage tubes and straps shall be provided.

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#### **Specification Sheet**

Physical Properties	S:		
	polymur	PVC/NBR	
	foam core color	NATURAL	
	weight	1.0 - 1.25 (lb/ft2)	
	thickness (nominal)	1.25 (in)	
	coating	Resilite #457 Polyvinyl Formula	
Other Specification	 IS:		
ASTM D-1056	Compression Resistance @ 25%	5.5 - 7.5 (psi)	
ASTM D-1056	Compression Set @ 50%	25 max (%)	
ASTM D-1056	Density	4.0 - 7.0 (lb/ft3)	
ASTM D-1056	Water Absorption %	10 max. (%)	
ATSM D-412	Tensile	75 min (psi)	
ATSM D-412	Elongation	100 min. (%)	
ASTM D-624	C-Tear Strength	17.5 min. ( lbs/in)	
FMVSS302	Flammability	Pass	
ASTM E648	Flammability - Critical Radiant Flux of Floor Coverings	PASS / Class I	(<) 0.45 Watts/cm <sup>3</sup>
	Tours and use like		
ASTM D-1056	Temperature Use	0 (cold crack)	
		200 (high)	
ASTM F-1081-03	Standard Specification for Competition Wrestling Mats	Meets or Exceeds	
ASTM F-355-01	Test method for shock absorbing properties (Type I or Type II)	Pass	G-Max (<) 100 max.
ASTM F-1292-04	Impact Attenuation for surfacing materials (Free-Fall method)	Pass	HIC (<) 1000 max.
		Pass	G-Max (<) 200 max.

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