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# Clear Advantage™ Lidding Film

Securely seal in food with Pactiv Evergreen's unprinted, die cut, perforated film tear sheets on 3-inch core roll.





## **Dual ovenable**

Pactiv Evergreen's Clear Advantage Lidding Film can be used in a conventional oven (up to 400°F for up to 60 minutes) and in all commercial and residential microwave ovens (up to 1600 watts).

#### Leak resistant

The custom die cut contours film to tray top, preventing spillage of most liquids for takeout applications.

## **Merchandising appeal**

The tamper evident, clear lidding film "window" provides optimum food visibility.

## **Freezer ready**

Film can be used in quick-freeze commercial freezers down to -40°F.

## **Packaging convenience**

Individual perforated tear sheets come on 8-inch diameter rolls. Each roll is boxed for sanitation and protection in shipping.

## **Machine application**

Fits with a tabletop PBS8 Lidding Machine with custom tray carriers, as well as other tabletop machines.

## **Economical**

Film is less expensive when compared to OPS or windowed board lid options.





#### Foodservice

Tray lidding film for in-store prepared food for on-site or takeout consumption



#### Commissary

Off-site prepared food with tray lidding film for transport



#### **Packer / Processor**

Retail / Institutional frozen food tray lidding film without folding carton

## **Taxonomy** of a Film Product Description for Clear Advantage

[Example Code: MLC3C5613 | Example Description: 5163 100 OLAFT ]

5613	100	OL	AF	T
Pressware® tray size film fits	<b>Gauge thickness</b> of film: 50, 75, 100, 150	<b>Type of lidding:</b> OL = Ovenable lidding RL = Refrigerated lidding	Antifog	<b>Treated</b> (for printing)

# Choose the type of film that is right for you.

## **OL** Ovenable Lidding

Ovenable lidding is made of low molecular weight polyethylene terephthalate copoly esters and is designed for food contact up to 400 °F (204 °C). It seals well to PET-coated paperboard, but generally does not seal well to OPET film laminated or most impact-modified CPET trays.

## **RL** Refrigerated Lidding

Refrigerated lidding is made of various ethylene vinyl acetate copolymers and is able to be used for food contact up to 250 °F (121 °C). It is not strictly for refrigerated packaging. RL seals well to Pressware PET (clear and black) and is required for some impact-modified CPET tray manufacturers.

## **OL2** Peelable Seal

With OL2 there is no need to puncture or separate film from tray before cooking. Film is easily stripped away after cooking. It is a more aggressive seal when applied to CPET or PP trays. OL2 is extra thick for puncture resistance and large tray application.

## Good seals depend on ...



#### Sealing Equipment

#### **Sealing Temperature**

(Film seals at approximately 275 - 325 °F)

- **Too High:** Film shrinkage can occur and/or adhesive unable to set
- **Too Low:** Adhesive not properly melted resulting in poor seal

#### **Dwell Time**

(Contact time of heated film with tray)

- **Too Long:** Production time slowed
- **Too Short:** Not enough time for film to adhere well to tray and fill into corner creases

#### **Sealing Pressure**

(Pressure delivered by the platen or rollers to the film and tray)

- In general, more pressure is better
- **Too Much:** Sealant can be squeezed out of seal area
- Not Enough: Poor contact with film/tray; pressure needs to be evenly distributed

#### **Film Grade**

#### **Tray Material**

Options include:

- PET trays
- APET trays
- MFPP trays
- Aluminum Classic Carryout Containers
- CPET trays
- OPS trays





## Clear Advantage™ Lidding Film

#### **Stock product specifications**

Product number	Brand	Description	Material	Color
MLC3C5613	Clear Advantage™	5613 100 OLAFT unprinted stock lidding, fits Pressware item: PEP5613RXP	OPET	Clear
MLC4C5615	Clear Advantage	5615 150 OLAFT unprinted stock lidding, fits Pressware item: PCS5615XP	OPET	Clear
MLC4C5713R	Clear Advantage	5713R 150 OLAFT unprinted stock lidding, fits Pressware items: PCS571321XP, PCS5713RXP, PEP5713RXP	OPET	Clear
MLC4C6816	Clear Advantage	6816 150 OLAFT unprinted stock lidding, fits Pressware items: PCS6816XP, PEP6816XP	OPET	Clear
MLC4C7014	Clear Advantage	7014 150 OLAFT unprinted stock lidding, fits Pressware items: PCS7014XP, PEP7014XP	OPET	Clear

#### **Custom Film Type and Gauge Options**

50 RL31

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- 75 OL2
- 50 RL33
- 50 RL42
- 75 OL
- 100 OL100 OL2
- 100 RL44T

**Minimums and Lead Times** 

#### Custom Film

Minimum: 6 rolls Lead Time: 6-7 weeks

**Stock Film** 

Minimum: 2,000 lbs. Lead Time: 8-10 weeks

