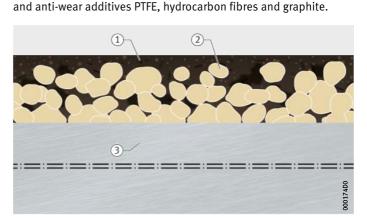


### Plain bearing material E840

**Features** The plain bearing material E840 is a high performance material for metal/polymer composite plain bearings. The basis of the sliding layer is polyether ether ketone PEEK.

StructureThe three-layered material consists of a steel backing,<br/>an intermediate layer and a sliding layer, Figure 1.The steel backing has a sintered porous tin/bronze intermediate<br/>layer whose pores are filled with the sliding layer. The sliding layer<br/>made from polyether ether ketone PEEK contains the anti-friction



Sliding layer
 Intermediate layer
 Steel backing

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### Available designs

E840 is available in material thicknesses from 0,75 mm to 2,5 mm. The layer thicknesses of the sliding and intermediate layer vary within the following ranges, as a function of the total thickness, see table.

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Layer	Thickness range	
	mm	
	from	to
Sliding layer	0,03	0,08
Intermediate layer	0,16	0,32



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# Plain bearing material E840

Application The material conforms to the regulations for lead-free plain bearings. It is suitable for heavily loaded applications with oil or grease lubrication and a wide temperature range, see table. The special composition of the sliding layer gives the plain bearing material very good wear resistance.

**Technical data** The plain bearing material E840 has the following mechanical and physical characteristics, see table.

**Characteristics of E840** 

Characteristics	Load		
Permissible specific bearing load	Static	p <sub>max</sub>	250 N/mm <sup>2</sup>
	Dynamic		120 N/mm <sup>2</sup>
Permissible sliding velocity	With grease lubrication	v <sub>max</sub>	2,5 m/s
	With oil lubrication		10 m/s
Permissible operating temperature		θ	–150 °C to +250 °C

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