

AUSSIE Mate 580-AL Aluminum Liner Chemical Compatibility Chart

Aussie Mate 580-AL Resists standard chemicals found in natural ground water conditions and resists numerous contaminants — oil, jet fuel, kerosene, perchlorates, animal fats, salt and a variety of organic and inorganic compounds including acids and bases. Aussie Mate 580-AL is a manufactured 3-layer system. Each layer is specifically designed to deliver industry leading capabilities and when combined create a strong barrier to water, vapor, methane, and a variety of other VOC's. Note the three layers below that have been combined at our factories to deliver a single, easy to install system.

- 1. Base sheet made of high-quality polymer. Acts as both a release liner when installed on vertical walls and a chemical resistant protection layer for the Bitumen when installed horizontally under slabs on grade.
- 2. 60 mils or 80 mils of high quality rubberized-bitumen. This layer bonds aggressively to vertical walls as well as seals/bonds to the leading edges of the membrane, perimeter footings, penetrations, etc.
- 3. The Aluminum outer skin provides near zero permeance of vapor, methane, radon and a variety of other VOC's. The Aluminum skin also provides UV protection and can be left exposed in the field for up to 6 months.

Chemical resistance and tolerance is a function of three main criteria:

- Concentration
- Duration
- Temperature

How concentrated a particular contaminate is can affect how any product will react to it. In most instances, contaminants will be diluted by groundwater or disbursed in the soil; however, it is still important to know the concentration to make an informed decision.

Duration refers to how long a particular contaminant, at a particular concentration, will remain in contact with the membrane. Again, concentration is a factor here, but knowing how long is especially important with high concentrations of contaminants.

Temperature is another key variable in how severe of an affect a contaminant will have on a product. At normal ground water temperatures, this is not a key factor, but again knowledge of all the conditions is crucial to making the right decision.

The chemical resistance data in Table 1 is a result of laboratory tests and is intended to serve only as a guide. No performance warranty is intended or implied. As stated, the degree of chemical attack on any material is governed by the conditions under which it is exposed. Exposure time, temperature and the size of the exposure area usually varies considerably in application therefore; this table is given and accepted at the user's risk. Confirmation and validity and suitability in specific cases should be obtained. **Aussie Mate 580-AL** has not been tested against every contaminant; Table 1 should be used for general screening purposes only and should not be used to replace chemical-specific testing where firm compatibility information is required. The effects of combinations of these chemicals have not been evaluated. Complex chemical solutions should be evaluated on a case-by-case basis.



Chemical	72°F (22°C)	Chemical	72°F (22°C
Acetaldehyde	В	Ammonia, anhydrous	Α
Acetamide	Α	Ammonia, liquid	A
Acetate Solvent	A	Ammonium Acetate	A
Acetic Acid	В	Ammonium Bifluoride	В
Acetic Acid 20%	В	Ammonium Carbonate	В
Acetic Acid 80%	В	Ammonium Chloride	В
Acetic Acid, Glacial	В	Ammonium Hydroxide	В
Acetic Anhydride	A	Ammonium Nitrate	В
Acetone	A	Ammonium Oxalate	N/A
Acetyl Bromide	N/A	Ammonium Persulfate	D
Acetyl Chloride (dry)	D	Ammonium Phosphate, Dibasic	В
Acetylene	A	Ammonium Phosphate, Monobasic	В
Acrylonitrile	В	Ammonium Phosphate, Tribasic	В
Adipic Acid	A	Ammonium Sulfate	Α
Alcohols: Amyl	В	Ammonium Sulfite	D
Alcohols: Benzyl	В	Amyl Acetate	A
Alcohols: Butyl	В	Amyl Alcohol	В
Alcohols: Diacetone	A	Amyl Chloride	A
Alcohols: Ethyl	В	Aniline	С
Alcohols: Hexyl	Α	Aniline Hydrochloride	D
Alcohols: Isobutyl	В	Antifreeze	A
Alcohols: Isopropyl	В	Antimony Trichloride	D
Alcohols: Methyl	A	Aqua Regia (80% HCl, 20% HNO3)	D
Alcohols: Octyl	A	Arochlor 1248	A
Alcohols: Propyl	A	Aromatic Hydrocarbons	A
Aluminum Chloride	D	Arsenic Acid	D
Aluminum Chloride 20%	D	Asphalt	A
Aluminum Fluoride	В	Barium Carbonate	D
Aluminum Hydroxide	В	Barium Chloride	D
Aluminum Nitrate	D	Barium Cyanide	С
Aluminum Potassium Sulfate 10%	С	Barium Hydroxide	D
Aluminum Potassium Sulfate 100%	C	Barium Nitrate	В
Aluminum Sulfate	В	Barium Sulfate	В
Alums	A	Barium Sulfide	D
Amines	В	Benzaldehyde	В
Ammonia 10%	Α	Benzene	В
Ammonia Nitrate	С	Benzene Sulfonic Acid	D

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Chemical	72°F (22°C)	Chemical	72°F (22°C)
Benzoic Acid	В	Carbonic Acid	В
Benzol	В	Catsup	D
Benzyl Chloride	D	Chloric Acid	D
Borax (Sodium Borate)	В	Chlorine (dry)	С
Boric Acid	D	Chlorine Water	D
Bromine	D	Chlorine, Anhydrous Liquid	D
Butadiene	A	Chloroacetic Acid	D
Butane	Α	Chlorobenzene (Mono)	Α
Butanol (Butyl Alcohol)	В	Chloroform	В
Butter	Α	Chlorosulfonic Acid	С
Buttermilk	A	Chocolate Syrup	Α
Butyl Amine	Α	Chromic Acid 10%	D
Butyl Ether	Α	Chromic Acid 30%	D
Butyl Phthalate	В	Chromic Acid 5%	С
Butylacetate	Α	Chromic Acid 50%	D
Butylene	Α	Cider	В
Butyric Acid	В	Citric Acid	С
Calcium Bisulfide	С	Citric Oils	С
Calcium Bisulfite	D	Cloroxr (Bleach)	Α
Calcium Carbonate	D	Coffee	Α
Calcium Chloride	D	Copper Cyanide	D
Calcium Hydroxide	С	Copper Nitrate	D
Calcium Hypochlorite	D	Copper Sulfate 5%	D
Calcium Nitrate	В	Copper Sulfate>5%	D
Calcium Oxide	С	Cream	Α
Calcium Sulfate	С	Cresols	Α
Cane Juice	В	Cresylic Acid	В
Carbolic Acid (Phenol)	Α	Cupric Acid	D
Carbon Bisulfide	В	Cyclohexane	Α
Carbon Dioxide (dry)	В	Cyclohexanone	Α
Carbon Dioxide (wet)	Α	Detergents	В
Carbon Disulfide	Α	Diacetone Alcohol	Α
Carbon Monoxide	Α	Dichlorobenzene	В
Carbon Tetrachloride	D	Dichloroethane	В
Carbon Tetrachloride (dry)	D	Diesel Fuel	Ā
Carbon Tetrachloride (wet)	D	Diethyl Ether	В
Carbonated Water	A	Diethylamine	В

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Diethylene Glycol	В	Fuel Oils	С
Dimethyl Aniline	A	Furan Resin	Α
Dimethyl Formamide	A	Furfural	A
Diphenyl	В	Gallic Acid	D
Diphenyl Oxide	В	Gasoline (high-aromatic)	D
Dyes	В	Gasoline, leaded, ref.	Α
Epsom Salts (Magnesium Sulfate)	В	Gasoline, unleaded	A
Ethanol	В	Gelatin	A
Ethanolamine	В	Glucose	A
Ether	В	Glue, P.V.A.	A
Ethyl Acetate	A	Glycerin	A
Ethyl Chloride	В	Heptane	Α
Ethyl Ether	В	Hexane	Α
Ethylene Bromide	В	Honey	A
Ethylene Chloride	В	Hydraulic Oil (Petro)	Α
Ethylene Chlorohydrin	В	Hydraulic Oil (Synthetic)	Α
Ethylene Diamine	В	Hydrobromic Acid 100%	D
Ethylene Dichloride	A	Hydrobromic Acid 20%	D
Ethylene Glycol	A	Hydrochloric Acid 100%	D
Ethylene Oxide	D	Hydrochloric Acid 20%	D
Fatty Acids	A	Hydrochloric Acid 37%	D
Ferric Chloride	D	Hydrochloric Acid, Dry Gas	D
Ferric Nitrate	D	Hydrocyanic Acid	A
Ferric Sulfate	D	Hydrofluoric Acid 100%	D
Ferrous Chloride	D	Hydrofluoric Acid 20%	D
Ferrous Sulfate	В	Hydrofluoric Acid 50%	D
Fluoboric Acid	D	Hydrofluoric Acid 75%	D
Fluorine	A	Hydrofluosilicic Acid 100%	D
Fluosilicic Acid	D	Hydrofluosilicic Acid 20%	D
Formaldehyde 100%	A	Hydrogen Gas	A
Formaldehyde 40%	В	Hydrogen Peroxide 10%	Α
Formic Acid	A	Hydrogen Peroxide 100%	Α
Freon 11	D	Hydrogen Peroxide 30%	Α
Freon 12	В	Hydrogen Peroxide 50%	A
Freon 22	D	Hydrogen Sulfide (aqua)	В
Freon TF	D	Hydrogen Sulfide (dry)	В
Fruit Juice	Α	Hydroquinone	В

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lodine	A
lodine (in alcohol)	В
Isooctane	A
Isopropyl Acetate	D
lsopropyl Ether	A
Isotane	D
Jet Fuel (JP3, JP4, JP5)	A
Kerosene	A
Ketones	В
Lacquer Thinners	A
Lacquers	A
Lactic Acid	В
Lard	A
Latex	A
Lead Acetate	D
Lead Nitrate	D
Lead Sulfamate	С
Ligroin	D
Lime	A
Linoleic Acid	A
Lithium Chloride	D
Lithium Hydroxide	D
Lye: Ca(OH)2 Calcium Hydroxide	С
Lye: KOH Potassium Hydroxide	D
Lye: NaOH Sodium Hydroxide	D
Magnesium Bisulfate	D
Magnesium Carbonate	A
Magnesium Chloride	D
Magnesium Hydroxide	С
Magnesium Nitrate	В
Magnesium Oxide	В
Magnesium Sulfate (Epsom Salts)	В
Maleic Acid	В
Maleic Anhydride	A
Malic Acid	В
Manganese Sulfate	В
Mash	Α

Chemical	72°F (22°C)
Mayonnaise	A
Mercuric Chloride (dilute)	D
Mercuric Cyanide	D
Mercurous Nitrate	D
Mercury	D
Methane	A
Methanol (Methyl Alcohol)	
Methyl Acetate	A
Methyl Acetone	A
Methyl Alcohol 10%	A
Methyl Bromide	D
Methyl Cellosolve	В
Methyl Ethyl Ketone	В
Methyl Isobutyl Ketone	В
Methyl Isopropyl Ketone	A
Methylamine	A
Methylene Chloride	С
Milk	A
Mineral Spirits	A
Molasses	A
Monochloroacetic acid	D
Monoethanolamine	В
Morpholine	A
Motor oil	A
Mustard	В
Naphtha	A
Naphthalene	В
Natural Gas	A
Nickel Chloride	D
Nickel Nitrate	D
Nickel Sulfate	D
Nitrating Acid (<15% HNO3)	D
Nitrating Acid (>15% H2SO4)	D
Nitrating Acid (S1% Acid)	D
Nitrating Acid (S15% H2SO4)	D
Nitric Acid (20%)	D
Nitric Acid (5-10%)	A

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Nitric Acid (50%)	D	Pentane	В
Nitric Acid (Concentrated)	D	Perchloric Acid	D
Nitrobenzene	В	Perchloroethylene	С
Nitromethane	Α	Petroleum	D
Nitrous Acid	D	Phenol (10%)	Α
Nitrous Oxide	В	Phenol (Carbolic Acid)	Α
Oils: Aniline	D	Phosphoric Acid (>40%)	С
Oils: Castor	A	Phosphoric Acid (crude)	С
Oils: Citric	A	Phosphoric Acid (molten)	С
Oils: Clove	В	Phosphoric Acid (S40%)	С
Oils: Coconut	A	Phosphoric Acid Anhydride	С
Oils: Cod Liver	A	Phosphorus	В
Oils: Corn	A	Phosphorus Trichloride	D
Oils: Cottonseed	A	Phthalic Acid	В
Oils: Creosote	В	Phthalic Anhydride	Α
Oils: Fuel (1, 2, 3, 5A, 5B, 6)	С	Picric Acid	С
Oils: Hydraulic Oil (Petro)	A	Potash (Potassium Carbonate)	D
Oils: Hydraulic Oil (Synthetic)	A	Potassium Bicarbonate	D
Oils: Lemon	A	Potassium Bromide	С
Oils: Linseed	В	Potassium Chlorate	В
Oils: Mineral	A	Potassium Chloride	D
Oils: Olive	A	Potassium Chromate	В
Oils: Orange	A	Potassium Cyanide Solutions	D
Oils: Peanut	A	Potassium Dichromate	В
Oils: Peppermint	D	Potassium Ferricyanide	В
Oils: Pine	A	Potassium Ferrocyanide	В
Oils: Rosin	В	Potassium Hypochlorite	D
Oils: Silicone	A	Potassium Iodide	В
Oils: Soybean	A	Potassium Nitrate	В
Oils: Turbine	A	Potassium Oxalate	В
Oleic Acid	A	Potassium Permanganate	В
Oleum 100%	В	Potassium Sulfate	С
Oleum 25%	В	Potassium Sulfide	D
Oxalic Acid (cold)	A	Propane (liquefied)	А
Ozone	В	Propylene	Α
Palmitic Acid	В	Propylene Glycol	В
Paraffin	Α	Pyridine	В

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Pyrogallic Acid	В	Sodium Peroxide	C
Rosins	В	Sodium Polyphosphate	D
Salad Dressings	В	Sodium Silicate	Ā
Salicylic Acid	В	Sodium Sulfate	A
Salt Brine (NaCl saturated)	В	Sodium Sulfide	D
Sea Water	В	Sodium Sulfite	С
Shellac (Bleached)	A	Sodium Tetraborate	С
Shellac (Orange)	A	Sodium Thiosulfate (hypo)	Α
Silicone	A	Stannic Chloride	D
Silver Nitrate	D	Stannous Chloride	D
Soap Solutions	С	Starch	Α
Soda Ash (see Sodium Carbonate)	D	Stearic Acid	В
Sodium Acetate	В	Stoddard Solvent	Α
Sodium Benzoate	A	Styrene	Α
Sodium Bicarbonate	D	Sugar (Liquids)	Α
Sodium Bisulfate	D	Sulfate (Liquors)	D
Sodium Bisulfite	D	Sulfur Chloride	D
Sodium Borate (Borax)	С	Sulfur Dioxide	В
Sodium Bromide	D	Sulfur Dioxide (dry)	В
Sodium Carbonate	D	Sulfur Trioxide	Α
Sodium Chlorate	С	Sulfur Trioxide (dry)	Α
Sodium Chloride	С	Sulfuric Acid (<10%)	D
Sodium Chromate	В	Sulfuric Acid (10-75%)	D
Sodium Cyanide	D	Sulfuric Acid (75-100%)	D
Sodium Ferrocyanide	A	Sulfuric Acid (cold concentrated)	В
Sodium Fluoride	В	Sulfuric Acid (hot concentrated)	D
Sodium Hydrosulfite	A	Tannic Acid	C
Sodium Hydroxide (20%)	D	Tanning Liquors	A
Sodium Hydroxide (50%)	D	Tartaric Acid	В
Sodium Hydroxide (80%)	D	Tetrachloroethane	C
Sodium Hypochlorite (<20%)	D	Tin Salts	D
Sodium Hypochlorite (100%)	D	Toluene (Toluol)	A
Sodium Hyposulfate	D	Tomato Juice	A
Sodium Metaphosphate	С	Trichloroacetic Acid	D
Sodium Metasilicate	D	Trichloroethane	D
Sodium Nitrate	В	Trichloroethylene	D
Sodium Perborate	С	Trichloropropane	D

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Chemical	72°F (22°C)
Tricresylphosphate	D
Trisodium Phosphate	D
Turpentine	Α
Urea	В
Uric Acid	D
Urine	В
Varnish	Α
Vegetable Juice	D
Vinegar	D
Vinyl Acetate	Α
Vinyl Chloride	В
Water, Acid, Mine	D

Chemical	72°F (22°C)
Water, Deionized	Α
Water, Distilled	Α
Water, Fresh	В
Water, Salt	В
Weed Killers	D
Whey	В
Whiskey & Wines	С
White Liquor (Pulp Mill)	В
Xylene	Α
Zinc Chloride	D
Zinc Hydrosulfite	D
Zinc Sulfate	D

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