CLAIMS

1. A molded food comprising:

a first food portion;

a second food portion which includes a first main surface and a second main surface which is a back surface of the first main surface, the first main surface including a first zone and a second zone adjacent to each other, and which supports the first food portion at a position of the first zone; and

an intermediate layer which is interposed between the first food portion and the second food portion and includes a mixture of an ingredient of the first food portion and an ingredient of the second food portion.

2. A molded food comprising:

a first food portion; and

a second food portion which includes a first main surface and a second main surface which is a back surface of the first main surface, the first main surface including a first zone and a second zone adjacent to each other, and which supports the first food portion at a position of the first zone,

wherein a difference between a hardness of the first food portion and a hardness of the second food portion is in a range of 1×10^3 N/m^2 or more and 4.9×10^4 N/m^2 or less; and

wherein the first main surface includes a recess at the position of the first zone, and at least a part of the first food portion fills the recess and is separated from a side wall of the recess, and a groove is formed at a position of the side wall.

3. A molded food comprising:

a first food portion; and

a second food portion which includes a first main surface and a second main surface which is a back surface of the first main surface, the first main surface including a first zone and a second zone adjacent to each other, and which supports the first food portion at a position of the first zone,

wherein each of a hardness of the first food portion and a hardness of the second food portion is in a range of 1×10^3 N/m^2 or more and 5×10^4 N/m^2 or less, and

wherein the first main surface includes a recess at the position of the first zone, and at least a part of the first food portion fills the recess and is separated from a side wall of the recess, and a groove is formed at a position of the side wall.

4. The molded food according to any one of claims 1 to 3, wherein at least a part of the first food portion protrudes from the first main surface.

5. The molded food according to any one of claims 1 to 3, wherein a distance from the second main surface to the first food portion is smaller at a position where a distance from a boundary between the first zone and the second zone is larger than at a position where the distance from the boundary is smaller.

6. A method for manufacturing a molded food comprising:

preparing a molding die which includes a first recess and a second recess each opened upward, an opening of the first recess being provided on a bottom surface of the second recess or between an opening of the second recess and the bottom surface of the second recess;

filling the first recess with a first liquid material to a height equal to or less than the opening of the first recess; and

filling the second recess with a second liquid material which is different from the first liquid material and covering an upper surface of a layer including the first liquid material with the second liquid material,

wherein at least one of the first liquid material and the second liquid material contains a thickener that dissolves at a temperature in a range of 10°C or more and 30°C or less.

7. A method for manufacturing a molded food comprising:

preparing a molding die which includes a first recess and a second recess each opened upward, an opening of the first recess being provided on a bottom surface of the second recess or between an opening of the second recess and the bottom surface of the second recess;

filling the first recess with a first liquid material to a height equal to or less than the opening of the first recess; and

filling the second recess with a second liquid material which is different from the first liquid material and covering an upper surface of a layer including the first liquid material with the second liquid material,

wherein at least one of the first liquid material and the second liquid material contains a thickener having pseudoplasticity.

8. The method for manufacturing a molded food according to claim 6 or 7, wherein the molding die includes a partition that partitions a bottom portion into a plurality of recesses including the first recess and the second recess.

9. The method for manufacturing a molded food according to claim 6 or 7, wherein the second recess includes a first region which is a region above the first recess and a second region which is a region other than the first region, the second liquid material is supplied to the second region to fill the second region with the second liquid material, and a flow of the second liquid material from the second region to the first region is generated to cover the upper surface of the layer including the first liquid material with the second liquid material flowing out of the second region.

10. The method for manufacturing a molded food according to claim 8, wherein the height of the partition is 3 mm or more and 50% or less of a depth of the molding die.

11. The method for manufacturing a molded food according to claim 6 or 7, wherein the opening of the first recess is provided on the bottom surface of the second recess.

12. The method for manufacturing a molded food according to claim 6 or 7, further comprising solidifying the layer including the first liquid material and a layer including the second liquid material,

wherein filling of the second recess with the second liquid material and covering of the upper surface of the layer including the first liquid material are performed without solidifying the layer including the first liquid material.

13. A container-packed molded food comprising: a container; and the molded food according to any one of claims 1 to 3 stored in the container.

14. The container-packed molded food according to claim 13, further comprising a seasoning liquid stored in the container.