# **LUVOCOM® 20-8368**

## Polyphthalamide

### **LEHVOSS Group**

#### Message:

LUVOCOM® 20-8368 is a polyxylylamide (PPA) material, and the filler is carbon fiber reinforced material. This product is available in North America, Africa and the Middle East, Latin America, Europe or Asia Pacific.

LUVOCOM®The main features of 20-8368 are:

Antistatic

Good stiffness

moisture resistance

Wear-resistant

Lubrication

Typical application areas include:

engineering/industrial accessories

Electrical/electronic applications

textile/fiber

**Automotive Industry** 

business/office supplies

General Information					
Filler / Reinforcement	Carbon fiber reinforced material				
Additive	PTFE lubricant				
	Antistatic property				
Features	Low friction coefficient				
	Moisture resistance				
	Rigid, good				
	Antistatic property				
	Good strength				
	Good wear resistance				
	Lubrication				
Uses	Gear				
	Textile applications				
	Engineering accessories				
	Switch				
	Application in Automobile Field				
	Business equipment				
	Bearing				
Appearance	Black				
Physical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method		
Density	1.48	g/cm³	ISO 1183		
Molding Shrinkage	0.10 - 0.40	%	DIN 16901		

Water Absorption (23°C, 24 hr)	< 0.30	%	
Mechanical	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Tensile Modulus	19000	MPa	ISO 527-2
Tensile Stress (Break)	115	MPa	ISO 527-2
Tensile Strain (Yield)	0.70	%	ISO 527-2
Flexural Modulus	16000	MPa	ISO 178
Flexural Stress	155	MPa	ISO 178
Flexural Strain at Flexural Strength	1.0	%	ISO 178
Maximum operating temperature-Short Term	195	°C	
Insulation Resistance	> 1.0E+7	ohms	IEC 60167
Impact	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Charpy Unnotched Impact Strength (23°C)	11	kJ/m²	ISO 179/1eU
Thermal	Nominal Value	Unit	Test Method
Continuous Use Temperature	165	°C	UL 746B
Injection	Nominal Value	Unit	
Drying Temperature			
Hot air dryer, A	80	°С	
Vacuum dryer, B	105	°C	
Drying Time			
Hot air dryer, A			
	16	hr	
Vacuum dryer, B	16 4.0 - 5.0	hr hr	
Vacuum dryer, B  Rear Temperature			
•	4.0 - 5.0	hr	
Rear Temperature	4.0 - 5.0 320 - 340	hr °C	
Rear Temperature Middle Temperature	4.0 - 5.0 320 - 340 320 - 345	hr °C °C	
Rear Temperature  Middle Temperature  Front Temperature	4.0 - 5.0 320 - 340 320 - 345 325 - 350	hr °C °C	

#### General

In general LUVOCOM® can be processed on conventional injection moulding machines while observing the usual technical guidelines.

Any added fibrous materials or fillers may have an abrasive effect. In this case the cylinder and screw should be protected against wear as is usual in the processing of reinforced thermoplastic materials.

Lengthy dwell times for the melts in the cylinder should be avoided.

Lower the temperatures during interruptions!

Predrying (optional)

It is advisable to predry the granulate with a suitable dryer immediately before processing.

The granulate may absorb moisture from the air.

Delivery Form & Storage

Unless indicated otherwise, the material is delivered as 3mm-long pellets in sealed bags on pallets.

Preferably storage should be effected in dry and normally temperatured rooms

Additional Information

During processing the moisture level should not exceed 0.05%, otherwise molecular degradation and surface defects (e.g. smearing) may occur. As the material absorbs water rapidly, originally sealed containers should only be opened immediately before processing. Processing temperatures above 340°C may very rapidly cause thermal damage and should therefore be avoided.

The processing notes provided merely represent a recommendation for general use. Due to the large variety of machines, geometries and volumes of parts, etc., it may be necessary to employ different settings according to the specific application.

High-temperature polymers place increased demands on the tool steels employed.

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