

# **Product Handling Information Sheet**

# **GEHR PSU®**

#### 1. Manufacturer

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### 2. Product Description

Article Engineering semi-finished product

Abbreviation PSU

Material characterization Thermoplastics

Main components Polysulfone

contains event. pigments, stabilizers and additives

Marking obligation

components

None

Classification according to

**REACh** 

**Product** 

## 3. Product Properties

Form / Condition Rods, Sheets / Solid

Colour natural, black, other colours on request

Odour odourless

Density 1,24 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

Melting temperature - °C

Thermal decomposition > 400 °C

Ignition temperature 475 °C

Solubility in water insoluble



Risks no special risks for humans or animals

Possible decomposition

products

polar solvents, aromatic hydrocarbons

#### 4. Handling and Storage

Machining The product can be machined with standard machinery and tools.

Before machining the product should be stored at room

temperature 24 h. Evacuate swarf to prevent slipping or tripping. Observe the maximum allowable concentration of dust levels on the working area which apply in your country. Wear safety

goggles during machining. General dust limit value: Respirable dust (6 mg/m3); Inhalable dust (10 mg/m3)

Storage The products shall be stored indoor to keep away from any

source of degradation such as sunlight, UV-jets, ionizing

radiation, chemicals, ...

Safety measures The general industrial safety measures should be considered.

A thermal damage during machining should be avoided.

#### 5. Fire-fighting Measures

Suitable extinguishing agents Water, foam, dry chemical, carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)

Potential combustion Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), carbon monoxide (CO),

Formation of further decomposition and

oxidation products depent upon the fire conditions. Under special fire conditions traces of other toxic substances are

possible.

Special protective equipment Wear a self-contained breathing equipment. If exposed to

combustion fumes bring the victim into fresh air.

Further information Dispose of fire debris and contaminated extinguishing water in

accordance with official regulations.

#### 6. Disposal Considerations

European waste catalogue According to the "European Waste Catalogue and Hazardous

Waste List" uncontaminated waste from the products is not

classified as hazardous.

Following code numbers can be used:

070213 waste plastic from manufacture, formulation, supply

and use of plastics,

120105 plastic shavings and turnings

160119 plastic, from end-of-life vehicles from different

means of transport and wastes from dismantling of

end-of-life vehicles and vehicle maintenance

170203 plastic construction and demolition wastes

200139 plastics from municipal wastes



Waste disposal If recycling is not possible, waste disposal by landfill or

incineration in compliance with state and local regulations. The product do not contain pigments or stabilizers based on cadmium. The product is not biologically degradable, but based on the present state of knowledge no negative effects

on the environment may be anticipated.

### 7. Marking and Guidelines

Marking in accordance

EEC guidelines

Not subject to labelling.

Other guidelines None

Transport regulations Not classified as hazardous good under transport regulations.

#### 8. Other Information

According EG directive 1907/2006/EG (REACh), our products are clearly defined as articles, exempt from registration. The European regulation (EV) about chemicals, which came into force June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2007, prescribes Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) only for dangerous substances and preparations. According REACh we are manufacturing articles and we are not required to issue MSDS.

All above mentioned information are based according to today's state of knowledge and supply no warranty of quality. Existing laws and regulations must be observed by the recipient of our products on his own authority.