

# Faserverbundwerkstoffe®

**Composite Technology** 

# Technical Data Sheet Divinycell® H

#### **Product characteristics**

- · Low water absorption
- Superior damage tolerance
- · Excellent thermal properties
- Fast and easy to process
- · Good chemical resistance
- Excellent fatigue properties
- Very low resin uptake
- Wide range of properties
- Provides excellent mechanical properties to a low weight
- Closed cells
- Good temperature resistance
- Compatible with most common glues and resin systems



# **High performance PVC Core material**

**Divinycell® H** provides excellent mechanical properties to low weight. The unique PVC chemical structure, yields impressive mechanical performance to a low weight. **Divinycell® H** has been widely used and has a proven track record in virtually every application area where sandwich composites are employed including the marine (leisure, military and commercial), land transportation, wind energy, civil engineering/infrastructure and general industrial markets.

**Divinycell®** H is ideal for applications subject to fatigue, slamming or impact loads. Other key features of **Divinycell®** H include consistent high quality, excellent adhesion/peel strength, excellent chemical resistance, low water absorption and good thermal/acoustic insulation. **Divinycell®** H is compatible with virtually all commonly used resin and manufacturing systems.

Divinycell® PVC foams also feature very low resin uptake, enabling weight and cost saving.

# Mechanical properties Divinycell® H

Property	Test procedure	Unit		H60	H80
Compressive strength <sup>1</sup>	ASTM D 1621	MPa	Nominal	0.9	1.4
			Minimum	0.7	1.15
Compressive modulus <sup>1</sup>	ASTM D1621-B-73	MPa	Nominal	70	90
			Minimum	60	80
Tensile strength <sup>1</sup>	ASTM D 1623	MPa	Nominal	1.8	2.5
			Minimum	1.5	2.2
Tensile modulus <sup>1</sup>	ASTM D 1623	MPa	Nominal	75	95
			Minimum	57	85
Shear strength	ASTM C 273	MPa	Nominal	0.76	1.15
			Minimum	0.63	0.95
Shear modulus	ASTM C 273	MPa	Nominal	20	27
			Minimum	16	23
Shear strain	ASTM C 273	%	Nominal	20	30
Density	ISO 845	kg/m³	Nominal	60	80

All values measured at +23°C

Nominal value is an average value of a mechanical property at a nominal density.

Minimum value is a minimum guaranteed mechanical property a material has independently of density.

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Properties measured perpendicular to the plane.



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Characteristics <sup>1</sup>	Unit	H60	H80
Density variation	%	+15/-10%	+9/-16%
Thermal conductivity <sup>2</sup>	W/(m-K)	0.029	0.031
Coeff, linear heat expansion	x10 <sup>-6</sup> /°C	40	40
Heat distortion temperature	°C	+125	+125
Continous temp range	°C	-200/+70	-200/+70
Max process temp	°C	+90	+90
Dissipation factor	-	0.0003	0.0005
Dielectric constant	-	1.06	1.09
Poissons ratiol <sup>3</sup>	-	0.4	0.4

- 1. Typiscal values
- 2. Thermal conductivity at +20°C
- 3. Standard deviation is 0.045

Continuous operating temperature is typically -200 °C to +70 °C. The foam can be used in sandwich structures, for outdoor exposure, with external skin temperatures up to +85 °C. For optimal design of applications used in high operating temperatures in combination with continuous load, please contact Technical Services of R&G for detailed design instructions.

Maximum processing temperature is dependent on time, pressure and process conditions. Therefore users are advised to contact Technical Services of R&G to confirm that **Divinycell® H** is compatible with their particular processing parameters.

### Other characteristics Divinycell® H

Format		Unit	H60	H80
Disir shorts	Length	mm	1220	1220
Plain sheets	Width	mm	610	610

#### **Storage**

The shelf life of Divinycell® is unlimited when it is stored in its original package on ambient indoor storage conditions and protected against UV exposure.

Divinycell® H is type approved by:

