

## **BT18NPA**

## **TECHNICAL DATA BULLETIN**

**GRADE:** BTNPA

NEMA GRADE: --

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**DESCRIPTION:** Grade BT18NPA is a red colored composite tube made from a heavy 24 oz/sq. yard canvas fabric saturated with a phenolic resin system modified with alumina. BT18NPA is designed for highly loaded bearing applications, where the lubrication is provided by oil, water or a mixture.

TUBE TESTED: ID = 2.00", OD = 2.50"

## **TYPICAL PROPERTIES**

GENERAL PHYSICAL PROPERTIES		UNITS	
Specific Gravity		-	1.33
Rockwell Hardness		M Scale	74
Moisture Absorption		%	1.1
Tensile Strength		psi	4,100
Compressive Strength	(axial)	psi	22,000
Compressive Modulus	(axial)	kpsi	360

THERMAL & ELECTRICAL PROPERTIES	UNITS	VALUE <sup>1</sup>
Temperature Index <sup>2</sup> Electrical / Mechanical	°C	- / 140
Flammability Rating - U. L. 94	Class	HB

<sup>1</sup> All testing per ASTM D-348 unless otherwise noted.

<sup>2</sup> NEMA LI-6: This temperature is a recommendation only, and based upon experience in various applications. The maximum operating temperature is dependent upon the application and should be investigated prior to use.

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