



Rubber, raw styrene-butadiene (carbon black or carbon black and oil masterbatches) — Test recipe and method of evaluation

Caoutchouc butadiène-styrène brut (mélanges-maîtres avec du noir de carbone ou avec du noir de carbone et de l'huile) — Formule d'essai et méthode d'évaluation

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Foreword

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1 Scope and field of application

This International Standard specifies the standard materials, equipment and processing methods for evaluating the vulcanization characteristics of masterbatches of styrene-butadiene rubber (SBR) with carbon black or carbon black and oil.

2 References

ISO 37, *Rubber, vulcanized — Determination of tensile stress-strain properties.*

ISO 471, *Rubber — Standard temperatures, humidities and times for the conditioning and testing of test pieces.*

ISO 1795, *Raw rubber in bales — Sampling.*

ISO 1796, *Raw rubber — Sample preparation.*

ISO 2393, *Rubber test mixes — Preparation, mixing and vulcanization — Equipment and procedures.*

ISO 3417, *Rubber — Measurement of vulcanization characteristics with the oscillating disc curemeter.*

3 Standard test recipe

3.1 Standard test formula

The standard test formula is given in the table.

The materials shall be NBS¹⁾ standard reference materials as indicated in the table, or shall be in accordance with equivalent national standards.

Table

Material	NBS standard reference material number	Parts by mass
Masterbatch	—	$100 + x^* + y^{**}$
Zinc oxide	370	3,00
Sulphur	371	1,75
Stearic acid	372	1,50
TBBS***	384	1,25
Total		$107,50 + x + y$

* x is the number of parts of carbon black to 100 parts of polymer in the masterbatch.

** y is the number of parts of oil to 100 parts of polymer in the masterbatch.

*** TBBS : *N-tert-butyl-2-benzothiazole sulphenamide*. This shall be supplied in powder form having an initial ether- or ethanol-insoluble matter content of less than 0,3 %. The material shall be stored at room temperature in a closed container and the ether- or ethanol-insoluble matter shall be checked every 6 months. If this is found to exceed 0,75 %, the material shall be discarded or recrystallized.

3.2 Procedure

3.2.1 Equipment and procedure

Equipment and procedure for preparation, mixing and vulcanization shall be in accordance with ISO 2393.

1) National Bureau of Standards of the USA.