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## PRODUCT SPECIFICATION No. 18-008

## **SKI-3S CIS-ISOPRENE SYNTHETIC RUBBER**

SKI-3S cis-isoprene synthetic rubber is cis-1,4-polyisoprene obtained by polymerization of isoprene in solution using stereospecific catalyst based on titanium. The rubber is stabilized by mixture of two non-staining antioxidants. Content of cis-1,4-units, min: 96 %.

CAS #9003-31-0. The monomers are registered under EU REACH.

**APPLICATION:** for manufacture of auto tyres for lining of side-frames as well as coloured bicycle and motorcycle tyres, and also in manufacture of colored rubber goods, non-coloured industrial rubber goods used in manufacturing industry (rubber hoses, tubes, shoe soles).

Rubber should not contain any foreign impurities and must meet the following requirements:

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Appearance:	briquettes (bales)	
Weight:	30.0±1.0 kg	
Colour:	from white to light-milky	
Specific gravity:	0.91-0.92 g/cm <sup>3</sup>	
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Parameter	Standard	Test Method	Note					
Mooney viscosity ML 1+4 (100°C)	72-88	ASTM D 1646	$\checkmark$					
Viscosity spread within a batch, units, max	5		V					
Volatile matter content, %, max (1 hour)	0.8	ASTM D 5668	V					
Stearic acid content, %	0.5-1.5	Method used in the Russian Federation	V					
Ash content, %, max	0.35	ASTM D 5667	V					
Mixture of antioxidants: Agidol-1 (BHT) content, % Tris (2,4-di-tert-butylphenyl) phosphite content, %	0.15-0.40 0.04-0.20	Method used in the Russian Federation	V					
Rheometric Properties								
ML, dNm	1.0-2.0	ASTM D 5289	$\diamond$					
MH, dNm	11.0-15.0	ASTM D 5289	<b></b>					
tsl, min	2.3-3.5	ASTM D 5289	<b></b>					
t'50, min	3.9-5.2	ASTM D 5289	<b></b>					
t'90, min	6.8-8.4	ASTM D 5289	<b></b>					

 $\square$  - specified in the certificate of quality.

 $\diamond$  - non-rejectable.

Preparation of rubber mixes is carried out in accordance with ASTM D 3403-07, mixing - according to C method (on the roll mills). Roll mills are prepared according to ASTM D 3182-07. Vulcanization characteristics are determined according to ASTM D 5289 using an MDR 2000 rheometer (flow meter).

Wait time for rubber mix before testing is 2-6 hours.

Rubber mix recipe in parts	s by weight:	Rheometer MDR 2000, measurement conditions:						
Rubber		100,00	Temperature, °C	160				
Zinc oxide		5,00	Duration, min	30				
IRB 7 (N330) carbon black		35,00	Oscillation amplitude, deg.	$\pm 0,5$				
Sulphur		2,25	Oscillation frequency, Hz	1,7				
Stearic acid		2,00						
TBBS (	N-tert-Butyl-2-	0,70						
benzothiazolesulfenamide)								
PACKING:	Rubber briquettes (bales) are packaged in double-layer marked PE film (thickness of $0.05 \pm 0.01$ mm, melting temperature of 108-112°C), then – in plastic box pallets of 540kg or in plywood or metal containers of 1,260kg.							
TRANSPORTATION:	Rubber is transported by all types of transport in covered transporting means in accordance to all rules of cargo's transportation standing at transport of this form.							
STORAGE:	Under normal conditions of storage (at a temperature not exceeding $30^{0}$ C, in dry place free from direct sunlight)							
GUARANTEED SHELF LIFE:	· · · ·		After the expiration of the guaranteed shelf life, the rubber can be afirmation of its conformity to the requirements of this product					

