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### **FOREWORD**

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# Rubber, styrene-butadiene (SBR) — Masterbatches with carbon black or carbon black and oil — Test recipe and evaluation of vulcanization characteristics

### 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 667, Compounded rubber — Determination of rate of cure using the shearing disc viscometer.

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 FORMULA

The standard test formula is given in the following table.

The materials shall be NBS<sup>1)</sup> standard reference materials as indicated in the table, or shall be in accordance with equivalent national standards.

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
<i>N-tert-</i> butyl-2- benzothiazole sulphenamide (TBBS)	384	1,25
Total	•	107,50 + x + y

 $<sup>^{*}</sup>$   $_{\chi}$  is the number of parts of carbon black to 100 parts of polymer in the masterbatch.

NOTE — 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.

# 4 PROCEDURE

# 4.1 Equipment and procedure

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

<sup>\*\*</sup> y is the number of parts of oil to 100 parts of polymer in the masterbatch.

<sup>1)</sup> National Bureau of Standards of the U.S.A.