KER® 9000
High-Styrene Rubber - HSR

CHARACTERISTICS
KER® 9000 is a high styrene resin containing about 83% of styrene bonded in polymer. It is obtained via emulsion copolymerization of butadiene and styrene and coagulated with the use of aluminum sulphate. It is stabilized with non-staining antioxidant.

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS
HSR KER® 9000 is packed into polyethylene bags 25.0 ± 0.5 kg. Presence of any mechanical impurities is not permitted.

TECHNICAL PARAMETERS

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<th>Units</th>
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<td>Vicat softening point (50 N, 50±5°C/h)</td>
<td>°C</td>
<td>35,0 ÷ 45,0</td>
<td>ASTM D1525</td>
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<td>Volatile matters</td>
<td>% wt.</td>
<td>max. 1,0</td>
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<td>Hardness</td>
<td>°Sh D</td>
<td>65,0 ÷ 75,0</td>
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Guaranteed values of relevant technical parameters of the product are each time agreed upon in the sales contract.

To each shipping lot/delivery a quality certificate including data on properties of the product determined during release control is issued. Scope of the testing which is covered by the quality certificate is each time agreed upon in the sales contract.

PACKAGING
KER® 9000 has a form of granules and is packed into polyethylene bags 25.0 ± 0.5 kg each, then laid onto 1.2 t wooden pallets.

TRANSPORTATION
KER® is typically transported in covered road trucks, in covered railway carriages and in standard shipping containers. KER® 9000 is not a dangerous material to transport.

STORAGE
Product should be stored in sheltered conditions away from direct sunlight, at least 2 meters away from radiant heating elements and the temperature should not exceed 30°C. The guaranteed shelf life for KER® under the above-mentioned conditions is twelve (12) months from the date of production.

APPLICATION
KER® 9000 is used as an additive for rubber compounds in footwear industry as well as for production of cables and floor finishes. Addition of this product decreases the rubber compounds plasticity and increases the hardness of vulcanizates.

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