



Natural Rubber 50° Shore Grade 231

Black Natural Rubber – 50 Shore (BS1154 Z50)

Property	Detail
Material Type	100% natural rubber compound
Colour	Black
Hardness	50° IRHD (nominal)
Standard	BS1154 Z50

Technical Data

Property	Test Method	Units	Typical Value
Specific Gravity	BS 903: Part A1		1.15
Hardness	BS 903: Part A26	IRHD	50 ±5
Tensile Strength	BS 903: Part A2	kg/cm ²	170
Elongation at Break (min)	BS 903: Part A2	%	500
Compression Set max (70°C/24hr/25% set)	BS 903: Part A6	%	30
Tear Resistance - Angular (min)	BS 903: Part A3	kg/cm	45
Abrasion Resistance		mm ³	115
Polymer Content (Natural Rubber)		%	100
Heat Ageing (168hr at 70°C)	BS 903: Part A19		



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Hardness change (max)	BS 903: Part A26	pts	+5 / -5
Tensile Strength change (max)	BS 903: Part A2		-10%
Elongation at Break change (max)	BS 903: Part A2		-15%
Chemical Resistance - Ozone	BS 903: Part A43		Good
Chemical Resistance - Dilute Acids & Bases	BS 903: Part A16		Fair
Chemical Resistance - Concentrated Acids & Bases			Not Recommended
Chemical Resistance - Oils			Not Recommended
Chemical Resistance - Solvents			Not Recommended
Temperature Range		°C	-20 to +70
Colour			Black

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