

**NEODYMIUM BUTADIENE RUBBER (BR)
GRADES BR-544NP, BR-555M**

Neodymium butadiene rubber (BR) grades BR-544NP, BR-555M is a product of 1,3-butadiene polymerization in aliphatic hydrocarbons medium over neodymium compounds based catalyst system; features low MWD, perfect processing properties and high dynamic characteristics.

Application: manufacture of tires and rubber goods (including conveyor belts, V-belts, shoe soles).

Chemical name: cis-1,4-polybutadiene

Empirical formula: $(-CH_2CH=CHCH_2-)_n$

Standard specification: TU 20.17.10-100-05766801-2021

Product Characteristics

Property	Values by grade		Test Methods
	BR-544NP	BR-555M	
1. Mooney Viscosity ML 1+4 (100 °C), MU, within	40-49	50-59	para 4.2 of TU or ASTM D 1646
2. Viscosity spread in a lot Mooney, MU, max	6	-	para 4.2 of TU
3. Loss on drying, wt %, max	0.50		para 4.3 of TU or ASTM D 5668
4. Non-staining antioxidant, wt %, min	0.20		para 4.4 of TU
5. Ash, wt %, max	0.50		para 4.5 of TU or ASTM D 5667
6. 1.4-cis units, wt %, min	96		para 4.6 of TU or para 4.7 of TU

Notes:

BR-544NP grade polydispersity value of no more than 2.6 is guaranteed by production technology and is determined as per GOST R 57268.3 and para. 4.11 of TU

Product form: 30 ± 1 kg bales

Packaging: Bales are wrapped in PE film or EVA film.

Wrapped briquettes are packed in box pallets:

- polymer container;

- metal containers of type MV-5 (or its analogs).

Pallet box internal surface is covered with PE film or PE bag (liner) to protect from contamination; after loading the box is closed and wrapped with belt. Two shipping labels are applied to each pallet box.

Transportation: All types of transport in accordance with the applicable shipping rules.

Storage: Rubber packed in:

- polymer containers are stored in stacks of no more than 3 deck in height;

- metal containers are stored in stacks up to 5 deck in height;

Packaged rubber is stored in the warehouse of the manufacturer or consumer in places protected from direct sunlight, atmospheric precipitation and pollution.

Guarantee shelf life - 2 year from the date of production.

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