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# TECHNICAL DATA

## **STRUKTOL<sup>®</sup> A 60**

**PEPTIZER FOR NATURAL RUBBER**

**PROCESSING ADDITIVE FOR NATURAL AND SYNTHETIC RUBBER**

### **COMPOSITION**

Mixture of zinc soaps of high-molecular weight fatty acids.

### **PROPERTIES**

Appearance	beige pastilles
Ash Content (% , max.)	21.5
Dropping Point (°C)	85.5-95.5
Specific Gravity	1.15
Physiological Behavior	refer to safety data sheet
Storage Stability	at least 18 months under normal storage conditions.
Packaging	25 kg. PE bags

### **RECOMMENDATIONS FOR APPLICATION**

STRUKTOL<sup>®</sup> A 60 is a rubber soluble zinc soap leading to a faster physical peptization of natural rubber. It starts to be effective in the lower temperature range of compounding and can be used for mastication in a separate stage as well as for single stage mixing. STRUKTOL<sup>®</sup> A 60 can be used in all types of rubber.

STRUKTOL<sup>®</sup> A 60 affects the rapid incorporation of the fillers which leads to a shorter mixing cycle. The Shore hardness of the vulcanizates is not influenced.

Being rubber soluble, STRUKTOL<sup>®</sup> A 60 does not bloom from the vulcanizates. Reduction of high dosages of stearic acid or paraffins is possible.

### **DOSAGE**

1 - 5 phr

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