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Customer Washington State Department of Ecology

Test Report ID A24-1325-001

Customer Report ID Antioxidant/Antiozonant Sidewall Study

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Customer Request Summary

Mixing and testing of various antioxidants/antiozonants in sidewall formulation to study effects on ozone resistance

Sampling and Handling of Materials

Unless otherwise noted, all customer provided materials were stored at room temperature and treated as homogenous lots respectively. When called for, sampling from individual lots was performed at random.

Sample Reference Identification

| ACE Sample ID | Customer ID/Description | Notes |
|-----------------|--|---|
| A24-1325-001-08 | Control (No AO) | Test specimens cure 9 minutes at 170°C |
| A24-1325-001-09 | IPPD Test specimens cure 8 minutes at | |
| A24-1325-001-10 | Antioxidant 1076 | Test specimens cure 9 minutes at 170°C |
| A24-1325-001-11 | Rambutan Peel Extract Test specimens cure 8 minutes at 1 | |
| A24-1325-001-12 | Alpha-Tocopherol (Vitamin E) | Test specimens cure 9 minutes at 170°C |
| A24-1325-001-13 | Octyl Gallate | Test specimens cure 11 minutes at 170°C |
| A24-1325-001-14 | 6PPD | Test specimens cure 9 minutes at 170°C |

Narrative

IPPD and 6PPD performed the best out of the compounds with cracking starting at 22 hours but breakage not occurring until after the 96 hour mark. Antioxidant 1076 and Vitamin E did not perform any better than the control compound. Rambutan Peel and Octyl Gallate performed worse than the control.

These studies were done at equal part loading. Higher loadings of potential 6PPD alternatives may or may not narrow the gap in performance.

Formulations

| Material | A24-1325- 001-08 | A24-1325- 001-09 | A24-1325- 001-10 | A24-1325- 001-11 | A24-1325- 001-12 | A24-1325- 001-13 | A24-1325- 001-14 |
|-----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Masterbatch | | | | | | | |
| Buna CB 24 | 50.00 | 50.00 | 50.00 | 50.00 | 50.00 | 50.00 | 50.00 |
| Natural Rubber SIR 10 | 50.00 | 50.00 | 50.00 | 50.00 | 50.00 | 50.00 | 50.00 |
| Carbon Black N330 | 45.00 | 45.00 | 45.00 | 45.00 | 45.00 | 45.00 | 45.00 |
| Zinc Oxide | 3.00 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 3.00 | 3.00 |
| Extensoil 1996 | 5.00 | 5.00 | 5.00 | 5.00 | 5.00 | 5.00 | 5.00 |
| Resinall R-1000 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 |
| Pepton 44 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 | 0.25 |
| Akrowax 195 | 1.50 | 1.50 | 1.50 | 1.50 | 1.50 | 1.50 | 1.50 |
| Stearic Acid | 1.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 |
| Akrochem 5073 Beads | 1.50 | 1.50 | 1.50 | 1.50 | 1.50 | 1.50 | 1.50 |
| TMQ | 1.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 |
| IPPD | | 2.00 | | | | | |
| Antioxidant 1076 | | | 2.00 | | | | |
| Rambutan Peel Extract | | | | 2.00 | | | |
| Akpha-Tocopherol | | | | | 2.00 | | |
| Octyl Gallate | | | | | | 2.00 | |
| 6PPD | | | | | | | 2.00 |
| Final Pass | | | | | | | |
| Sulfur | 1.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 |
| TBBS | 1.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 |
| | | | | | | | |
| Total phr | 162.25 | 164.25 | 164.25 | 164.25 | 164.25 | 164.25 | 164.25 |

Mixing Detail Masterbatch (First Pass) Time 0:

Add Polymer and Peptizer Add Carbon Black and Oil Time 60 seconds:

Temperature 200F: Sweep and add remaining materials

Temperature 230F: Sweep Temperature 260F: Sweep Temperature 300F: Dump

| Sample ID | Mix Time (min) | Dump Temp (F) | Probe Temp (F) | Yield |
|-----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|-------|
| A24-1325-001-08 | 5.66 | 300 | 297 | 99.3 |
| A24-1325-001-09 | 5.91 | 300 | 298 | 99.6 |
| A24-1325-001-10 | 6.03 | 300 | 298 | 99.0 |
| A24-1325-001-11 | 6.30 | 300 | 293 | 99.5 |
| A24-1325-001-12 | 6.50 | 300 | 295 | 99.6 |
| A24-1325-001-13 | 6.40 | 300 | 303 | 98.6 |
| A24-1325-001-14 | 6.23 | 300 | 302 | 99.5 |

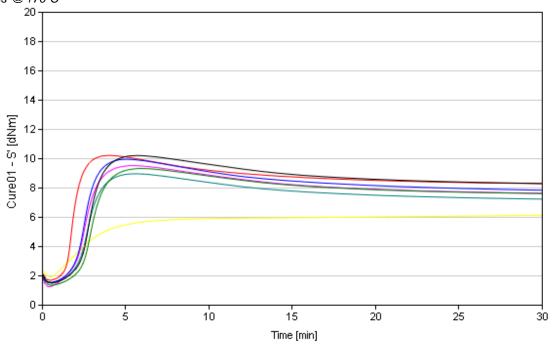
Final Pass

Time 0: Add ½ Polymer, Curatives, and ½ Polymer (Sandwich loading)

Temperature 180F: Sweep Temperature 215F: Dump

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|-----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|-------|
| Sample ID | Mix Time (min) | Dump Temp (F) | Probe Temp (F) | Yield |
| A24-1325-001-08 | 1.85 | 215 | 226 | 100.0 |
| A24-1325-001-09 | 2.32 | 215 | 233 | 100.0 |
| A24-1325-001-10 | 3.18 | 215 | 229 | 100.0 |
| A24-1325-001-11 | 2.13 | 215 | 228 | 99.9 |
| A24-1325-001-12 | 2.18 | 215 | 231 | 99.9 |
| A24-1325-001-13 | 1.75 | 215 | 235 | 100.0 |
| A24-1325-001-14 | 1.95 | 215 | 234 | 100.0 |

Testing Detail
ASTM D5289 - MDR
30 minutes @ 170°C



| Sample ID | Color | Max (dNm) | Min (dNm) | Ts2 (min) | Tc90 (min) |
|-----------------|---------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| A24-1325-001-08 | Black | 10.22 | 1.51 | 2.43 | 3.84 |
| A24-1325-001-09 | Blue | 9.96 | 1.55 | 2.15 | 3.45 |
| A24-1325-001-10 | Green | 9.34 | 1.36 | 2.59 | 4.03 |
| A24-1325-001-11 | Red | 10.22 | 1.70 | 1.60 | 2.60 |
| A24-1325-001-12 | Fuchsia | 9.53 | 1.26 | 2.12 | 3.57 |
| A24-1325-001-13 | Yellow | 6.15 | 1.94 | 2.41 | 6.36 |
| A24-1325-001-14 | Teal | 8.98 | 1.56 | 2.37 | 3.76 |

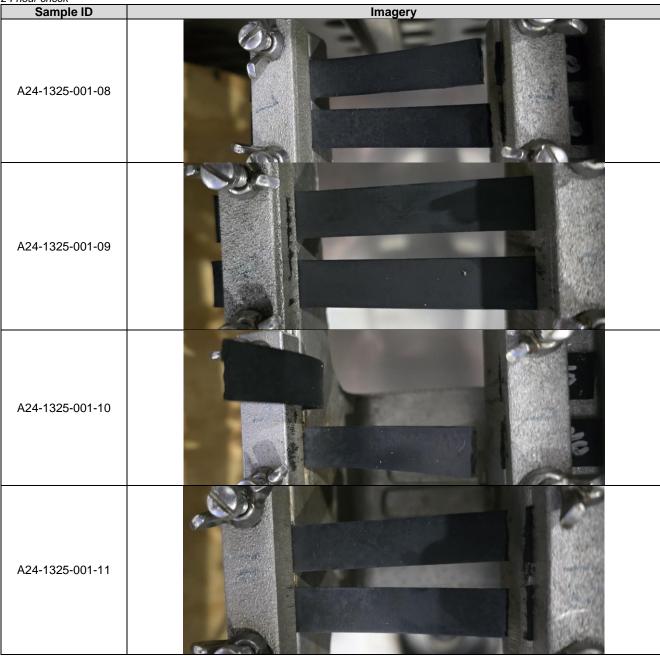
ASTM D1149 – Dynamic Ozone
Test slabs prepared utilizing tc90 + 8 minutes at 170°C
Specimens conditioned a minimum of 24 hours at standard laboratory conditions prior to testing

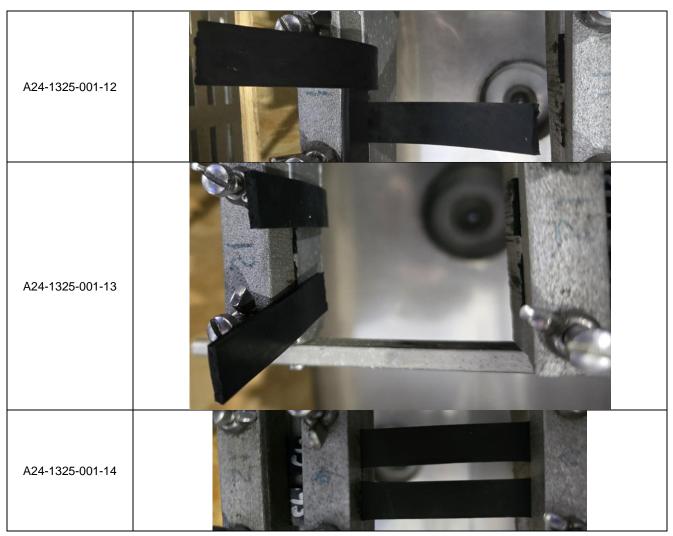
240 hours at 40°C/50pphm and 25% dynamic ozone at 30 cpm

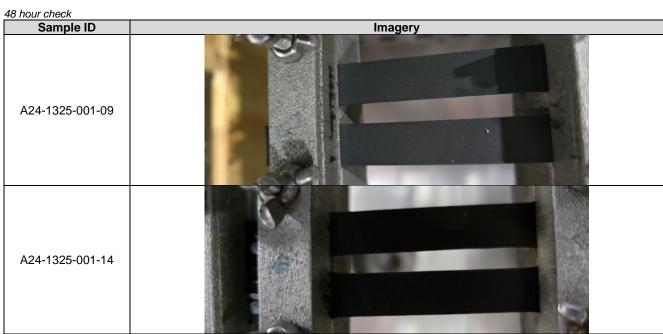
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| Sample ID | Notes and observations |
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| A24-1325-001-08 | Observed fully broken at 22 hours exposure |
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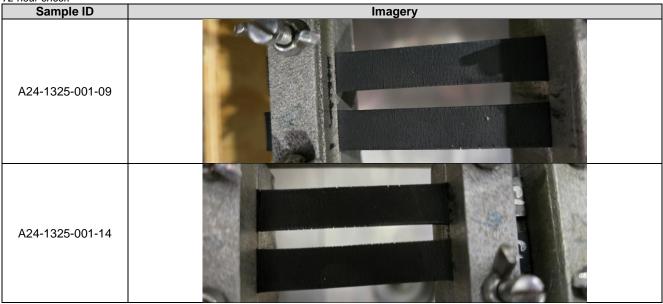
24 hour check







72 hour check



96 hour check

