



Prepolymer HC-5540N

1. Characters: Low hardness solvent resistant products based on polyester polyols. The advantages of the product are solvent resistance and easy for processing.

2. Applications: It is mainly used to produce solvent resistant polyurethane elastomer products, such as printing and dyeing cots, scrapers, etc.

3. Product Index:

HC-5540N	Unit	Testing Data	Testing Standard
Appearance (20°C)	—	Waxy Solid	
NCO%	%	2.9±0.2	HG/T 2409
Viscosity (at 80°C)	mPa·s	1000±200	GB/T 12009.3

This prepolymer should be stored in a low temperature and dry place to avoid moisture, high temperature, etc.

The shelf life of unopened prepolymer is twelve months.

4. Casting Processing Way:

Item	Unit	HC-5540N
Pre-heating temp.	°C	70±5
Pre-heating time	Hour	4~6
Chain Extender	-	HK-0050
R value	Isocyanates/Chain Extenders	1.05~1.1
Mix prepolymers temp.	°C	75~85
Mix chain extender temp.	°C	60
Ratio	Prepolymer/Chain Extender	3.1~3.3
Casting mold temp.	°C	120
Oven temp.	°C	120
Pot life	Minute	60~90
Demold time	Hour	2~3
Post cure time (120°C)	Hour	16~24

The above test results are based on a 100g sample molded in a rectangular flat plate.

The demolding time depends on the size and shape of the casting parts. If the product is large or the mold shape is complex, the post cure time should be appropriately extended.



5. Properties of Finished Parts

Item	Unit	Testing Standard	HC-5540N/HK-0050
Appearance (25°C)	—	—	Light yellow elastomer
Hardness	Shore A	GB/T 531.1-2008	35~40
Density	g/cm ³ (25°C)	GB/T 533-2008	1.2
100%Modulus	MPa	GB/T 528-2009	0.8
300%Modulus	MPa	GB/T 528-2009	1.6
Strength at break	MPa	GB/T 528-2009	14
Elongation at break	%	GB/T 528-2009	780
Angle Tear Strength	kN/m	GB/T 529-2008	18
DIN Abrasion	mm ³	GB/T 9867-2008	-
Resilience (Impact rebound)	%	GB/T 1681-2009	44

6. Processing way:

- (1) Pre-heat the prepolymer at 70~75°C for 4~6 hours until it is completely melted. Put prepolymer in clean and dry container, heat it at temperature 85~90°C, and degas under the vacuum degree -0.1MPa until no bubbles can be seen from the surface of the materials;
- (2) Heat the chain extender to melt (the temperature is around 60 °C), shake it well for later use;
- (3) The temperature of the vacuumed prepolymer is controlled at 75~85 °C, and the melted chain extender is added. The proportion of the prepolymer is 100 parts, and 3.1~3.3 parts of HK-0050 are added, and the mixture is stirred evenly. Pay attention to the operating time; the pigment can be added together with the chain extender;
- (4) The second degassing under vacuum can be carried out during the pot life, and the degassing time can be controlled to be less than 3 minutes until there are no obvious bubble;
- (5) Pour the mixed material into the preheated mold coated with the special release agent for polyurethane. The temperature of the mold is controlled at 110~120 °C. Pay attention to avoid too many bubbles when pouring. After the bubbles float up, burn them with flames. The controlled gel point that needs to be molded with a vulcanizer is pressurized before the surface is not sticky but not completely hardened;
- (6) The demoulding time is 2~3 hours. Generally speaking, the larger the product, the longer the demoulding time. Please extend the demoulding time appropriately;
- (7) After demolding, the product should be placed in oven at 120 °C to continue post cured for 16 to 24 hours until the physical properties fully meet the requirements.



7. Notes:

1. Store the prepolymer to avoid moisture, high temperature and light protection; please use it up as soon as possible after opening the prepolymer, and seal it immediately after use; if possible, please fill it with N₂ and seal it;
2. The bonding of prepolymer and metal and other products requires surface treatment and primer coating, please consult the company's technical staff;
3. The prepolymer has a slight pungent odor, the environment should be ventilated as much as possible, and the operation should be protected to avoid spilling or pollution and avoid inhalation.

All technical data and using suggestions provided by our company, and typical values based on our company's experimental conditions and working environment, non- product guidelines. Since we don't well know the users' processing control and the application of finished parts, so it is responsibility and more necessary for users to test the processing way and properties of finished parts, so that to verify whether it is suitable for the user's own process and purpose.