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# TECHNICAL DATA SHEET Polyurethane D44, 80 +-5 Shore A, brown

### **Properties**

Hardness Shore A DIN 53505 75 - 85 SHA Color brown g/cm<sup>3</sup> Density 1 24 °C Temperature range -10 - +60 Tear resistance DIN 53504 MPa 49 Elongation at break DIN 53504 570 Tear propagation resistance DIN 53507 35 N/mm Abrasion loss DIN 53516 29 mm<sup>3</sup> Oil resistance very good Resistance to gasoline good Resistance to acids limited

Alkali resistance limited

Comments IMDS data available

Compression set  $24h, 70 \,^{\circ}\text{C} = 20 \,^{\circ}\text{M}$ 

Polyurethane D44 is an inexpensive alternative to Vulkollan, however with reduced properties.

Trials recommended.

## Hydrolysis resistance:

This material is manufactured with the addition of hydrolysis protection agents.

Hydrolysis is regarded as the time-related drop of typical technical parameters such as e.g. tensile strength, elongation at break and tear propagation resistance, which is initiated above all by water or moisture in combination with heat. The extent of the change is thereby dependent on the duration and intensity of the influence.

Polyurethane D44 is basically equipped so that an improved hydrolysis protection is provided in comparison to polyurethanes that are not especially protected. Nevertheless a drop in the technical characteristic values can be determined, however this change is slowed considerably.

An unambiguous statement about the hydrolysis resistance (as for instance with statements about the resistance to certain chemicals) is not possible, since the limit values vary greatly depending on the respective case of application.

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#### Resistances

	During the influence at room temperature	After short-term influence at room temperature
Acids and alkaline solutions: - concentrated - diluted (< 3 %)	- destroyed - Volume swelling <20%, - low loss in strength	<ul><li>destroyed</li><li>original volume;</li><li>original strength</li></ul>
Saturated hydrocarbons - Crude oil - Diesel fuel - Gasoline	- Volume swelling <20%, - low loss in strength	<ul> <li>original volume;</li> <li>original strength</li> </ul>
Aromatic hydrocarbons: - Super fuel - Benzene - Toluene - Xylene	Volume swelling <20%, significant loss in strength	<ul><li>original volume;</li><li>original strength</li></ul>
Lubricating oils and greases: - ASTM-test oil 1, 2, 3 - Diesel fuel - Gasoline	<ul><li>Volume swelling</li><li>&lt;20%,</li><li>low loss in strength</li></ul>	- original volume; - original strength
Alcohols: - Methanol - Ethanol	<ul><li>Volume swelling</li><li>&lt;20%,</li><li>low loss in strength</li></ul>	<ul><li>original volume;</li><li>original strength</li></ul>

In contrast to other plastics, polyurethane D44 is resistant to ozone and UV-radiation. Evidence for this are the ship- and harbor bumpers. Even after many years exposed to weathering in the ocean climate, no drop in the usage properties was determined with this material.

The resistance to chemicals depends to a great extent on the duration of the contact, the predominant temperature as well as on the quantity and concentration of the respective chemical. Insofar only general information can be provided in the table.

For other chemicals not listed here or for deviating conditions of the contamination, if needed tests can be carried out. That also applies for the chemicals and fuels specified here, if these should come into contact with polyurethane D44 not in pure form, rather mixed with additives.

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