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#### Foreword

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The committee responsible for this document is ISO/TC 45, *Rubber and rubber products*, Subcommittee SC 3, *Raw materials (including latex) for use in the rubber industry*.

This sixth edition cancels and replaces the fifth edition (ISO 2322:2009), which has been technically revised. In particular:

- <u>5.3.1</u> states that the laboratory internal mixer procedure is the preferred method;
- Note 2 in <u>5.3.3</u> has been updated for more clarity.

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#### 1 Scope

This International Standard specifies:

- physical and chemical tests on raw rubbers;
- standard materials, standard test formulations, equipment, and processing methods for evaluating the vulcanization characteristics of emulsion- and solution-polymerized styrene-butadiene rubbers (SBR), including oil-extended rubbers.

It applies to those rubbers listed in <u>Table 1</u> which are normally used in vulcanized form.

Rubber	Styrene			
(oil-extended or non-oil-extended)	Type of copolymer	<b>Total content</b> % mass fraction	<b>Block content</b> % mass fraction	
Series A				
Emulsion SBR	Random	≤50	0	
Solution SBR	Random	≤50	0	
Solution SBR	Partial block	≤50	≤30	
Series B				
Emulsion SBR	Random	>50	0	
Solution SBR	Random	>50	0	
Solution SBR	Partial block	≤50	>30	

Table 1 — Types of raw styrene-butadiene rubber

#### 2 Normative references

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 37, Rubber, vulcanized or thermoplastic — Determination of tensile stress-strain properties

ISO 247:2006, Rubber — Determination of ash

ISO 248-1, Rubber, raw — Determination of volatile-matter content — Part 1: Hot-mill method and oven method

ISO 248-2, Rubber, raw — Determination of volatile-matter content — Part 2: Thermogravimetric methods using an automatic analyser with an infrared drying unit