TDI terminated polyester



# **Product Description**

POLYCOAT PRE-POL® PC 51-60 is a TDI terminated polyester prepolymer that provides high performance in a variety of roll applications. It yields elastomers in the 57 – 60 Shore A range when cured with triols and triol blends. Some of its unique properties include:

- · Elastomers that machine easily
- · Excellent solvent resistance
- · Low compression set
- · Stable durometer from 20-60 Shore A

Lower durometers and special formulations can be achieved with additives such as plasticizers and fillers. Contact your Polycoat representative for a list of these modifiers.

Physical properties with two separate curatives are shown in Tables I & II.

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NCO%	4.0 – 4.4	
Viscosity, poise @ 212°F (100°C)	10-12	
Specific Gravity @ 212°F (100°C)	1.20	
Appearance @ 77°F (25°C)	Solid	
Color, Gardner	0–2	
Flash Point, Cleveland Open Cup	>380°F (193°C)	
Solubility	Soluble in aromatic or chlorinated hydrocarbons, ketones and esters	
Storage Stability	Excellent in the absence of moisture and heat	
Amine Equivalent	955 - 1050	

#### PROCESSING CONDITIONS - TABLE 1

**Pre-Pol® PC 51-60 (4.2%** 100 pts **NCO)** 

Curative Blend – TMP/TIPA 4.55 (3:1by weight) 4.55

4.59 pts (EW = 48.3)

### MIXING AND CURING - TABLE 1

Prepolymer temperature 176–200°F (80–93 °C)

TMP/TIPA temperature 130–212 °F (55–100 °C)

Mold temperature 250°F (121°C)

Cure, hours 1 at 212°F (100°C)

Working Life, minutes 45

#### **VULCANIZATE PROPERTIES - TABLE 1**

Test specimens conditioned one week at 75°F ( 24°C) and 50% RH before testing.

Hardness, durometer A	59A
100% Modulus, psi	480 ± 50 (3.31 ± 0.35 mPa)
300% Modulus, psi	1450 ± 200 (9.9 ± 1.37 mPa)
Tensile Strength, psi	4290 ± 300 (29.58 ± 2.1 mPa)
Elongation at Break, %	360 ± 50
Tear Strength (ASTM D-470) psi	19 ± 5 (0.13 ± 0.03 mPa)
Tear Strength (Die C) psi	210 ±20 (1.45 ± 0.14 mPa)
Resilience (Rebound), %	10

### PROCESSING CONDITIONS - TABLE 2

Pre-Pol® PC 51-60 (4.2% NCO)

100 pts

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**Curative PC 90-92** 8.73 (95% theory)

#### MIXING AND CURING - TABLE 2

Prepolymer temperature	176–200°F (80–93 °C)
TMP/TIPA temperature	130-212 °F (55-100 °C)
Mold temperature	250°F (121°C)
Cure, hours	16 at 250°F (121°C)
Working Life, minutes	60

#### **VULCANIZATE PROPERTIES - TABLE 2**

Test specimens conditioned one week at 75°F (24°C) and 50% RH before testing.

Hardness, durometer A	59A
100% Modulus, psi	480 ± 50 (3.31 ± 0.35 mPa)
300% Modulus, psi	1180 ± 200 (8.1 ± 1.37 mPa)
Tensile Strength, psi	3625 ± 300 (24.99 ± 2.1 mPa)
Elongation at Break, %	360 ± 50
Tear Strength (ASTM D-470) psi	14 ± 5 (0.09 ± 0.03 mPa)
Tear Strength (Die C) psi	270 ±20 (1.86 ± 0.14 mPa)

Resilience (Rebound), %

## **Storage and Handling**

Containers should be kept tightly closed to prevent moisture contamination. TDI will react with water to liberate  ${\rm CO_2}$  gas potentially causing containers to expand and rupture. Do not reseal if contamination is suspected.

Use of a dry nitrogen blanket for partial drums is recommended. Storage for PRE-POL® PC 51-60 should be maintained in a cool, dry place at ambient temperatures.

Exposure to temperatures over 350°F (177°C) can create excessive pressure potentially causing containers to rupture. Do not breathe aerosol or vapors and avoid contact with skin and eyes. Always use protective equipment including a respirator when handling heated prepolymers as exposure to vapors can be dangerous.

Devices such as melting ovens, thermostatically controlled warming blankets, or drum heaters can be used for pre-heating PRE-POL® PC 51-60.

Approximate preheat times at 158°F (70°C) are:

- 5 gallon pail (18.9 liters) 16 24 hours
- 55 gallon drum (208 liters) 36 48 hours

Containers should be rolled to ensure homogeneity prior to use.

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