

# **TECHNICAL DATA SHEET**

## KI – 73 FR: Flame retardant PVC cable compound for transparent application

# **Description:** KI– 73FR is flame retardant sheathing compound for transparent applications in a wide variety of cables. KI–73FR is formulated with high quality resin, plasticizers, stabilizers and other additives.

### **Typical Properties:**

Cable manufactured with **KI – 73FR** according to standard manufacturing process meets IS: 5831/2001.

Property		Unit	Test Method	Typical Value
Compound Type				FR ST1
Sp. Gravity @27ºC			ASTM - D – 792	1.32 ± 0.03
Hardness @27°C		Shore A	ASTM - D 2240	88 ± 2
Thermal Stability@200°C		Minutes	IS : 10810 (60)	≥ 45
Tensile Strength (TS) @27ºC		MPa	IS : 10810 (7)	≥ 16.0
Elongation at Break (E.B) @27°C		%	IS : 10810 (7)	≥ 275
Ageing Test	Temperature	°C		80
	Duration	Hr		168
Variation of T.S		%	IS : 10810 (11)	≤ ± 20.0
Variation of E.B		%	IS : 10810 (11)	≤ ± 20.0
Mass Loss on Ageing		mg/cm <sup>2</sup>	IS : 10810 (10)	≤ 1.5
Limiting Oxygen Index		%	IS : 10810 (58)	≥ 29
Temperature Index		0 <b>C</b>	IS : 10810 (64)	≥ 250

\* Test specimen made after milling the granules and then in compression mould at 160°C for 10 min with 200kg/cm<sup>2</sup> hydraulic pressure

#### **Processing:**

**KI** – **73FR** can be processed on any good extruder designed for PVC cable extrusion at temperature in the range of  $130^{\circ}$ C-  $170^{\circ}$ C. This is the guideline temperature range, actual temperature should be optimized by the user depending upon the other processing variables. The screw must have a good homogenizing capacity. Preheating of granules at  $70+/-5^{\circ}$ C is always advisable for better processing.

#### **Packaging:**

**KI** – **73FR** is available in the form of free flowing pellets and supplied in bags with sealed double layer PE liner to prevent moisture. The finished bag weight is either 25 kg woven sacks bag or in 1000kg jumbo bags.

#### Storage and Shelf Life:

Material should be store in moisture free cool & dry place and should be consume within three months from the date of manufacture.

### Safety:

KI – 73FR is not classified as a dangerous product group.

The information and recommendations contained in this bulletin are, to the best of our knowledge, accurate and reliable but no guarantee of their accuracy is made. These are all the typical values only and subject to change without prior intimation. The product is sold upon condition that purchaser should make their own tests to determine the suitability of such product of their particular purpose and purchasers assume all risks and liability for the results of the use of the product.

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