

R group	
ABR	Acrylate-butadiene rubbers
BR	Butadiene rubbers (Buna CB, Taktene, A8)
CR	Chloroprene rubbers (Baypren, A2)
IIR	Isobutylene-isoprene rubbers (Bayer Butyl, A9)
BIIR	Bromobutyl rubbers (Bayer Bromobutyl, A9)
CIIR	Chlorobutyl rubbers (Bayer Chlorobutyl, A9)
IR	Isoprene rubbers, synthetic
NBR	Acrylonitrile-butadiene rubbers (Perbunan, Krynac, A3)
HNBR	Hydrogenated acrylonitrile-butadiene rubbers (Therban, A4)
NCR	Acrylonitrile-chloroprene rubbers
NIR	Acrylonitrile-isoprene rubbers
NR	Isoprene rubber (natural rubber)
PBR	Vinyl pyridine-butadiene rubbers
PSBR	Vinyl pyridine-butadiene-styrene rubbers
SBR	Styrene-butadiene rubbers (Buna SL/VSL, Polysar S, Krylene, Krynol, A11)
SCR	Styrene-chloroprene rubbers
SIR	Styrene-isoprene rubbers
M group	
ACM	Copolymers of ethyl acrylate or other acrylates with a small amount of a monomer which facilitates vulcanization
ANM	Copolymers of ethyl acrylate or other acrylates and acrylonitrile
CM	Chlorinated polyethylene
CFM	Polytrifluorochloroethylene (according to ISO 1043:PTFE)
CSM	Chlorosulfonated polyethylene
EAM	Copolymers of ethylene and acrylate with a small amount of a monomer which facilitates vulcanization (products of the "Vamac" type)
EPDM	Terpolymers of ethylene, propylene and a diene with the residual unsaturated portion of the diene in the side chain (Buna EP, A10)
EPM	Copolymers of ethylene and propylene (Buna EP, A10)
EVM	Copolymers of ethylene and vinyl acetate (Levapren, A5)
FPM	Rubbers with fluoro, fluoroalkyl or fluoralkoxy groups on the polymer main chain (also FKM)
IM	Polyisobutene, polyisobutylene
N group	
N	Polyether amides (products of the "Pebax" type)
O group	
CO	Polychloromethyl oxirane; epichlorohydrin rubbers
ECO	Copolymers of ethylene oxide (oxirane) and chloromethyl oxirane (epichlorohydrin)
GPO	Copolymer of propylene oxide and alkylglycidyl ether (also PO)

Q group	
FMQ	Silicone rubber with methyl and fluoro groups on the polymer chain
FVMQ	Silicone rubber with methyl, vinyl and fluoro groups on the polymer chain
MQ	Silicone rubber with exclusively methyl groups on the polymer chain, e.g. polydimethylsiloxane
PMQ	Silicone rubber with methyl and phenyl groups on the polymer chain
PVMQ	Silicone rubber with methyl, phenyl and vinyl groups on the polymer chain
VMQ	Silicone rubber with methyl and vinyl groups on the polymer chain. Silopren rubbers (Silopren, A6) are often simply designated Q
T group	
	Polysulfide rubbers (products of the "Thiakol" type)
U group	
AFMU	Terpolymers of tetrafluoroethylene trifluoronitrosomethane and nitrosoperfluorobutyric acid
AU	Polyester urethane rubbers (Urepan, A7)
EU	Polyether urethane rubbers (Urepan, A7)
Modifications	
X-	carboxylated rubbers
S-	solution rubbers
EM-	emulsion rubbers
OE	oil-extended rubbers
B-	brominated rubbers
C-	chlorinated rubbers
Y	thermoplastic rubbers