

PRODUCT BULLETIN

NOVITANE® • SHEETING • CONVEYOR BELTING • CUSTOM PRODUCTS

NOVITANE BELT SCRAPERS/WIPERS

NOVITANE is a polyester based polyurethane specifically formulated to provide superior abrasion resistance when compared to other elastomeric materials.

NOVITANE is ideally suited for conveyor belt scraper and wiper service applications where **severe sliding abrasion** is prevalent.

The following elastomeric materials were subjected to a Taber Abrasion Test according to ASTM D 3389, utilizing H-18 wheels, a 1000 gram load at 1000 cycles. The resulting weight loss in milligrams per revolution were as follows:

| ELASTOMERS: | mg wt. loss | Wear Factor |
|---------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| NOVITANE CU-85 | .027 | — |
| RMA Grade II SBR Rubber 80 Duro | .356 | 13.2 |
| RMA Grade II SBR Rubber 70 Duro | .369 | 13.7 |
| LINATEX 60 Durometer | .388 | 14.4 |

In comparing the NOVITANE Wear Factor to other elastomeric materials commonly used as belt scrapers or wipers, you can readily see that **CU-85 NOVITANE** has **13.2 times** more wear resistance than 80 Durometer SBR Rubber. The Taber test results do not imply that the CU-85 NOVITANE will provide 13.2 times more service life than the 80 Durometer SBR Rubber compound, since many factors other than abrasion influence the scraper / wiper's ultimate service life.

