

## ROGER TECHNOLOGIES LIMITED

### TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

# Halogen Free Low Smoke Flame Retardant Compound

(HFFR/ZHFR/LSZH)

**Product Description:** R-ZHFR-3506 is a thermoplastic RoHS Compliance, Halogen Free, Flame Retardant, UV resistance, Low Smoke, moisture resistance (HFFR/LSZH) cable compound. It combines low smoke density with very good flame retardancy. The compound is based on Non-toxic and Non corrosive elements and it has excellent mechanical & electrical properties.

**Specifications:** The cables manufactured with R-ZHFR-3506 is meets the following specifications;

\* IEC 332-1 / IEC 332-2 ,\* BS 7655: Section 6.1, \* VDE 0207 PART 24 HM2 & HM4,\* EN 50363-7:2005, \*3 $m^3$  smoke density chamber test to IEC 61034-2, BS EN 50290-2-27 for type HM2 and HD 604 for type HM4 & GR TEC 89010:2021

**Applications**: R-ZHFR-3506 is intended for Insulation and inner Sheathing for Power cables, data & communication Cables & Optical fibre cables. It can also be used in areas to low smoke/low corrosive and low toxic combustion products.

#### **Technical Parameters:**

| Sr. no. | Parameter                                 | Test Method   | Unit           | Typical Value        |
|---------|---|---------------|----------------|----------------------|
| 01      | Density                                   | ASTM D 792    | gm/cc          | 1.48                 |
| 02      | Melt Flow Index                           | ASTM D 1238   | gm/10 minute   | 6                    |
|         | $(160^{\circ}\text{C}/21.6 \text{ kg})$   |               |                |                      |
| 03      | Tensile Strength at Break                 | ASTM D 638    | Mpa(N/mm2)     | 12                   |
| 04      | Tear strength                             | BS 6469       | N/mm           | 8                    |
| 05      | Elongation at Break                       | ASTM D 638    | %              | 200                  |
| 06      | Tensile Strength after ageing for 7 days  | ASTM D 638    | %              | < 10                 |
|         | at 100°C                                  |               |                |                      |
| 07      | Elongation after ageing for 7 days at     | ASTM D 638    | %              | < 13                 |
|         | $100^{0}$ C                               |               |                |                      |
| 08      | Hardness                                  | ASTM D 2240   | Shore-D        | 51                   |
| 09      | Limiting Oxygen Index (LOI)               | ASTM D 2863   | %              | 35                   |
| 10      | Temperature Index                         | ASTM D 2863   | <sup>0</sup> C | >290                 |
| 11      | Smoke Density                             | ASTM D 2843   | %              | < 10                 |
| 12      | HCl & HBr gas generation                  | IEC 60754-1   | %              | NIL                  |
| 13      | Volume Resistivity                        | ASTM D 257    | Ohm-cm         | $1.1 \times 10^{14}$ |
| 14      | рН  | IEC 60754-2   | pН             | > 5                  |
| 15      | Conductivity                              | IEC 60754-2   | Micro s/mm     | < 6                  |
| 16      | Water ageing for 7 days @ 70°C            | BS 6469       |                |                      |
|         | Variation in tensile strength /Elongation |               | %              | - 18 / -23           |
| 17      | UV Resistance passed                      | IEC 60068-2-5 | Hours          | 720                  |
| 18      | Hot Pressure test @90°C for 4 hrs         | IEC 60811-3-1 | %              | 24                   |

<sup>\*</sup>Mechanical properties are tested on 1 mm extruded tape.



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### **Colorability**:

R-ZHFR-3506 is available in natural color, but it is a colorable compound with EVA/PE base color master batch.

### **Shipment**:

R-ZHFR-3506 is supplied in the form of free-flowing granules in 25 kg moisture proof poly bags or 860 kg in octagon.

### **Processing Guidelines:**

- R-ZHFR-3506 can be processed using low C/R screw instead of regular PE screw extruder.
   The actual temperature profile for extrusion will depend on the machine characteristics but the following can be taken as a guideline; Temperature Profile: 135-145-155-150-160-165°C
- To obtain smooth and glossy cable surface, it is recommended for pre-drying at 70°C for 2 to 4 hours.

### **Storage and Handling:**

- The material should be stored to prevent a direct exposure to sunlight and/or heat.
- The storage area should also be dry and preferably don't exceed 50°C. RTL would not give warranty to bad storage conditions which may lead to quality deterioration such as color change, bad smell and inadequate product performance.
- It is advisable to process goods within 1 year from date of manufacturing.