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# A method of obtaining flame-retardant cast polyurethanes

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Polyurethanes have very good durability, physical and chemical properties. For this reason, they are often used in various industries. Most polyurethanes belong to the group of highly flammable materials and those that release toxic gases and smoke when burned. Therefore, it is very important to choose the right flame retardants.

The subject of the invention is a method of obtaining flame-retardant cast polyurethanes. The invention is particularly applicable to the production of polyurethane materials which may be exposed to direct fire during use.







#### Fig. 2 FTIR spectra of polyurethanes containing







Fig. 4 DMA results of polyurethanes containing different amounts of phosphorus polyol (FPU-9.5, FPU-9.0, FPU-8.5) and reference material (REF).



#### Fig. 5 Tangens delta curves of polyurethanes

different amounts of phosphorus polyol (FPU-9.5, FPU-9.0, FPU-8.5) and reference material (REF).

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200

300

Time [s]

400

FPU-9.5

- FPU-9.0

- FPU-8.5

--- REF

500

600



### Fig. 6 Heat release rate and total heat release curves of flame-retarded cast polyurethanes.



Figure 7. Polyurethanes before cone calorimeter tests: (a) REF, (b) FPU-8.5, (c) FPU-9.0, (d) FPU-9.5.



## Figure 8. Polyurethanes after cone calorimeter tests: (a) REF, (b) FPU-8.5, (c) FPU-9.0, (d) FPU-9.5.

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