

Difference between synthetic and natural rubber crepe

| | Synthetic rubber crepe | Natural rubber crepe |
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| Source | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> plastic molding plant Germany | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> processed natural product => vulcanized natural rubber Asia, South America |
| Applications | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Shoe soles Cleaning of suede leather | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Former: shoe soles Former: cleaning of suede leather Today: still preferred by some for the cleaning of suede |
| Effect | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> very efficient cleaning of suede thanks to high friction co-efficient of the material different inclination of the gills of the crepe rubber lead to more efficacy | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> very efficient cleaning of suede thanks to rough surface |
| Longevity | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> suitable for utilization over a long period of time may be washed | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> does dry out => once unpacked, can be used for up to approx. 6 months, material stiffens after that time |
| Appearance | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> crepe surface looks very clean and even | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> the surface has irregularities must be packaged in individual bags |
| Price | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> cheap | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> expensive |