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Accredited Laboratory

A2LA has accredited

DSM ENGINEERING PLASTICS, INC. - EVANSVILLE

Evansville, IN

for technical competence in the field of

Mechanical Testing

This laboratory is accredited in accordance with the recognized International Standard ISO/IEC 17025:2005 *General Requirements for the Competence of Testing and Calibration Laboratories*. This accreditation demonstrates technical competence for a defined scope and the operation of a laboratory quality management system (refer to joint ISO-ILAC-IAF Communiqué dated 8 January 2009).

Presented this 25th day of August 2009.





President & CEO

For the Accreditation Council
Certificate Number 0673.01
Valid to May 31, 2011

For the tests or types of tests to which this accreditation applies, please refer to the laboratory's Mechanical Scope of Accreditation.



SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION TO ISO/IEC 17025:2005

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MECHANICAL

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In recognition of the successful completion of the A2LA evaluation process, accreditation is granted to this laboratory to perform the following tests on plastics and polymers:

<u>Test Method(s):</u>	<u>Test Name:</u>
ASTM D256; ISO 180	Pendulum Impact Resistance (Notched Izod)
ASTM D257	DC Resistance or Conductance
ASTM D570; ISO 62	Water Absorption
ASTM D618	Conditioning Plastics for Testing
ASTM D638; ISO 527	Tensile Properties
ASTM D648 (Method B); ISO 75-1, -2	Deflection Temperature Under Flexural Load
ASTM D785	Rockwell Hardness (Scale R)
ASTM D789 (except Sec. 9.3)	Determination of Relative Viscosity of Polyamide (PA)
ASTM D790; ISO 178	Flexural Properties
ASTM D792 (Method A); ISO 1183-1 (Method A)	Density and Specific Gravity (Relative Density) by Displacement
ASTM D955; ISO 294-1, -2, -3, -4	Mold Shrinkage
ASTM D1238; ISO 1133	Melt Flow Rate by Extrusion Plastometer
ASTM D3418; ISO 11357-1, -3	Thermal Analysis (DSC)
ASTM D3835	Determination of Properties of Polymeric Materials by Means of a Capillary Rheometer
ASTM D5630 (Procedure B); ISO 3451-1, -4 (Method A)	Ash Content
ASTM D6980	Moisture Content
ASTM E1131	Thermal Analysis (TGA)
ISO 179-1	Charpy Impact
ISO 307	Determination of Viscosity Number
ISO 15512 (Method B)	Determination of Water Content
FMVSS 302; UL 94V; ISO 3795	Flammability (Horizontal and Vertical)
SAE J1885 (<i>withdrawn 1/2008</i>)	Accelerated Exposure of Automotive Interior Trim Components Using a Xenon-Arc Apparatus
SAE J1960 (<i>withdrawn 1/2008</i>)	Accelerated Exposure of Automotive Exterior Materials Using a Xenon-Arc Apparatus