



SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION TO ISO/IEC 17025:2017

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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 at the location above *as well as the two satellite laboratory locations listed below* to perform the following tests:

Mechanical Tests: Tensile/Elongation; Hardness (Durometer and Rockwell); Compression; Impact (Izod, Charpy, and GM9300P); Strength at Room and High Temperatures; Shear Strength; Physical Properties Following Fluid Exposure; Hoses and Tubing; Tear Strength Using Tongue, and Trapezoid Methods; Filler, Glass, Carbon Black Content; Volume Change; Specific Gravity and Density; Cleanability; Dimensional Stability; Water Absorption; Melt Flow/Index; Migration and Contact Staining; Flammability; Compression Set; Low-Temperature Brittleness; Deflection Temperature; On Plastics, Rubber, Elastomer, Composite, Paper/Paperboard, Construction Elements, and Textile Products.

Environmental Simulation Tests: Weatherometer (Xenon); Sunlamp and QUV Exposure; Fadometer; Ozone Resistance; Fogging; Salt Spray; CASS; Humidity; Condensing; Crocking; Water Immersion; Taber Abrasion; Gravelometer; Specular Gloss; Luminous Transmittance; Chromaticity; Color Reading; Corrodokote; Oil/Gas Immersion Solvent and Detergent Resistance; Thermal Shock; Paint Adhesion; Spot Test Acid/Water and Soap; Cleanability; Coating Thickness; Flexibility; Perspiration; Scrub Resistance; Dime Scrape; Cure Test; Thumbnail Hardness; Oven Aging; Scab Corrosion; Environmental Cycling; Accelerated Corrosion; Filiform Corrosion.

Environmental Chambers Testing: Temperature, Dust and Humidity Exposures are Performed during Durability Cycling Simulating Actual Environment; Microprocessors Control Chambers allowing Automatic Cycling and Tracking of Desired Time, Temperature and Humidity; Sizes up to 4m x 10m x 5m; Flow Measurement (Liquid and/or Gas): Hydraulic Pump Performance; Fan and Blower Delivery Capabilities, Radiator Heat Exchange Capacity, Heater Output; Stress Measurements; Pressure Testing; Durability Testing Mechanical/Electrical Cycling; Marine Products (Pumps/Motors/Electronics); Hydrostatic Leak Testing (up to 40,000 psi); Electrodynamics Vibration Systems: Generate Controlled Sine or Random Vibration, Sine-on Random Vibration Control, Transient Vibration Control, Mechanical Shock in Sawtooth, Half-sine and Squared Wave Forms, Field Data Replication, Operating or Non-Operating Mode Environments, High or Low Temperature and Humidity Conditions Can be Applied; Servohydraulic Test Systems: Control of Displacement, Force or Acceleration; Thermal Shock, Liquid and Air; Light Intensity; Sound; MAST, Pressure Cycling; Pressure-Vacuum Cycling; Temperature Cycling; Component Performance Testing; Performance Testing including Electrical Evaluation; Hydrostatic Burst Testing

Using the following capabilities:

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<u>Test Technology</u>	<u>Range</u>	<u>Reference Standard</u>
Combined Environments:	(-77 to 177) °C; (20 to 95) % RH	MIL-STD-810 (Method 514 Procedure I)
Dimensional	(0.00015 to 36.000) in	WSS-M15P4
Force	(0.01 to 22,000) lbf	GMW3172
Humidity	(5 to 98) % RH	MIL-STD-810
Liquid Flow	0.01 cc/min to 35 gpm	GM10004C
MAST: Multi Axial Simulation Table ²	(1 to 50) Hz 6 Degrees of Freedom +/- Three Axis in all Axis Linear Displacement 2.95 (+/-) Angular Displacement roll 6.8° Pitch and Yaw 8.5° Linear Acceleration at max payload Vertical: 5 g's, Lateral 3 g's, Longitudinal: 2.4 g's Max Payload 1000 lbs 4'x 6' to 6'x 8' Table Size	MAST USC.13324.200X 433132 (Per Customer Specification)
Pressure	(0.008 to 45,000) psi	ESDS7H-19B591-AA
Pulse Pressure	Up to 1000 PSIG, Up to 20 Hz	GMW14139
Servohydraulic Frequencies	Up to 50 Hz	MIL-STD-810 (Method 514 Procedure I)
Servohydraulic Load Capacity	Up to 150,000 lbf	MIL-STD-810 (Method 514 Procedure I)
Servohydraulic Stroke	Up to 50 inches	MIL-STD-810 (Method 514 Procedure I)
Temperature	(-100 to 650) °C	WSS-M2D496-A1
Torque	1 in·oz to 80,000 in·lbf	GMW15607
Vacuum	(0.008 to 29.98) in Hg	DVM-0001-AS
Vibration:		
Displacement	2 in Peak to Peak	MIL-STD-810 (Method 514 Procedure I)
Load/Impact Velocity	1/2 SINE up to 1 ms to 35 m/s at Terminal Peak	MIL-STD-810 (Method 514 Procedure I)
Mechanical Shock Capacity	Up to 3,500 g	MIL-STD-810 (Method 514 Procedure I)
Vibration Acceleration	Up to 100 g	MIL-STD-810 (Method 514 Procedure I)
Vibration Frequencies	(3 to 2,700) Hz	MIL-STD-810 (Method 514 Procedure I)
Vibration Load Capacity	Up to 22,000 lbf	MIL-STD-810 (Method 514 Procedure I)

Also using customer specific test methods utilizing any combination of test equipment parameters listed above and the following tests and standards:

Test Method

ASTM D870
GMW15201
GMW14325

Abrasion

ASTM D4157
GMW15487
NES M0136 Method 1
SAE J948

Martindale Abrasion

ASTM D4966
ASTM D4970

GMW3405
ISO 12945-2
ISO 12947-1
ISO 12947-2
ISO 12947-3
ISO 12947-4

Taber Abrasion

ASTM C501
ASTM D3389
ASTM D3884
ASTM D4060
FLTM BN 108-02
FLTM BN 108-04
SAE J1530
SAE J1847
SAE J365

Adhesion

ASTM B571 (Sections 3.8
and 13)
ASTM D3359
ASTM D952
GMW14829
GMW14892 (Section 3.1.5)

Test Technology

Testing Water Resistance of Coatings Using Water Immersion
Double-Coated Foam Tape for Exterior Attachments
HVAC Air Ducts

Abrasion Resistance of Textiles, Wyzenbeek
Resistance to Abrasion of Organic Coating
Abrasion Resistance
Resistance to Abrasion

Abrasion Resistance of Textile Fabrics
Pilling Resistance and Other Related Surface Changes of Textile
Fabrics: Martindale Tester
Seam Fatigue for Automobile Textiles
Determination of Fabric Propensity to Surface Fuzzing and to Pilling,
Modified Martindale Method
Abrasion Resistance of Fabrics by the Martindale Method
Abrasion Resistance of Fabrics by the Martindale Method – Specimen
Breakdown
Abrasion Resistance of Fabrics by the Martindale Method – Mass
Loss
Abrasion Resistance of Fabrics by the Martindale Method –
Assessment of Appearance Change

Relative Resistance to Wear of Unglazed Ceramic Tile by the Taber
Abraser
Coated Fabrics Abrasion Resistance (Rotary Platform, Double-Head
Abrader)
Abrasion Resistance of Textiles, Taber
Taber Abrasion, Organic Coatings
Abrasion-Taber
Scuffing
Resistance to Abrasion, Bearding, and Fiber Loss of Carpet, Taber
Taber Abrasion
Scuffing Resistance, Taber

Qualitative Adhesion Testing of Metallic Coatings
Adhesion Tape Test
Bond of Cohesive Strength of Sheet Plastics and Electrical Insulation
Tape Adhesion Test for Paint Finishes
Adhesion

Test Method

Test Technology

Charpy

ISO 179-1

Determination of Charpy Impact Properties, Non-Instrumented Impact Test

Chemical Resistance

AATCC TM 104

Spot Test Water

AATCC TM 15

Perspiration

AATCC TM 6

Spot Test Acid

ASTM D1308

Effect of Household Chemicals on Clear and Pigmented Organic Finishes

ASTM D4752

Measuring MEK Resistance of Ethyl Silicate (Inorganic) Zinc-Rich Primers by Solvent Rub

ASTM D1693

Environmental Stress Cracking

ASTM D471

Rubber Property-Effect of Liquids

ASTM D543

Resistance of Plastics to Chemical Reagents

ASTM D925 Method A

Staining of Surfaces (Contact/Migration/Diffusion)

ASTM F146

Fluid Resistance of Gasket Materials

Chrysler LP-463PB-31-01

Chrysler LP-463PB-57-03

FLTM AN 101-01

Resistance of Textiles to Bleeding, Perspiration and Water Spotting

FLTM BI 113-01

Spot Test Water and Soap

FLTM BI 113-02

Spot Test Acid

FLTM BI 113-05

Resistance to Acid Spotting of Painted Test Panels or Actual Finished Parts

FLTM BI 113-07

Resistance to Synthetic Perspiration Staining

FLTM BI 152-01

Resistance of Paint Films to Solvents

FLTM BN 103-01

Resistance of Coated Fabrics and Plastic Film to Migration Staining And Blocking

FLTM BN 112-08

Soiling & Cleanability Test for Interior Trim Materials

GMW14102

Determination of Water Spotting Test

GMW14141

Dye Migration

GMW14333

Fuel Resistance of Automotive Exterior Materials and Components

GMW14334

Chemical Resistance to Fluids

GMW14444

Material Related Interior Part Performance

GMW14445

Sunscreen and Insect Repellent Resistance

GMW14864

Procedure for Determining the Staining of Trim Materials Due to Sulfur Dioxide, SO₂, and Hydrogen Sulfide, H₂S

GMW14701

Resistance of Coatings to Chemical Etching and Distortion

GMW16625

Preparation of Acid Rain Solution

GMW3402

Soil and Cleaner Resistance of Automotive Materials

NES M0133 Method 2 & 3

Chemical Resistance Test Methods

Nissan 28401NDS01 [10]
Section CH/11

Resistance to Calcium Chloride

Test Method

Test Technology

Color

ASTM D1003
ASTM D2244

Haze and Luminous Transmittance
Calculation of Color Differences from Instrumentally Measured Color Coordinates
Delta-E Value (Color Measurement)

SAE J1545

Compression

ASTM D1056
ASTM D1229
ASTM D1621
ASTM D395
ASTM D575
ASTM D695
ASTM F36
ISO 3386-2

Compression Force
Compression Set at Low Temperatures
Compressive Properties of Rigid Cellular Plastics
Rubber Property-Compression Set (Method B)
Rubber Properties in Compression
Compressive Properties of Rigid Plastics
Compressibility and Recovery of Gasket Materials
Flexible Cellular Polymeric Materials – Determination of Stress-Strain Characteristics in Compression
Determination of Compression Set of Thermoplastic/Vulcanized Rubber at Ambient, Elevated, or Low Level Temperatures

ISO 815

Corrosion

GMW15282
GMW15288

Corrosion/Undercutting Scribe Creepback
Scab Corrosion Creepback of Paint Systems for Metal Substrates

Salt Spray

ASTM B117
ASTM B368

ASTM G85
DIN 50021 (Withdrawn 06/88)¹
FLTM BQ 105-01
GM4298P (Inactive 12/10)¹
GM4476P (Inactive 12/10)¹
GMW3286
GMW14458
ISO 9227
RTCA DO-160 Section 14.0

Operating Salt Spray (Fog) Apparatus
Copper-Accelerated Acetic Acid-Salt Spray (Fog) Testing (CASS Test)
Corrosion Testing
Salt Spray

Corrosion Testing, CASS
Salt Spray Test
CASS Test Copper-Accelerated Acetic Acid Salt Spray Test (Fog)
Neutral Salt Spray
CASS Test Copper Accelerated Acetic Acid Salt Spray Test
Corrosion Testing, Salt Spray
Environmental Conditions/Test Procedures for Airborne Equipment: Salt Spray

Crocking

AATCC TM 8
FLTM BN 107-01
SAE J861
GMW14872

Crocking, Dry and Wet
Crocking, Dry and Wet
Crocking
Cyclic Corrosion
Chamber Humidity (20 to 100) %RH
Chamber Temperature Ambient to 70°C
Cycle Step Increments > 1 minute
Atomized Solution Collection: Adjustable



Test Method

Test Technology

Crocking (cont'd)

ASTM B380

Corrosion Testing of Decorative Electrodeposited Coatings by the Corrodkote Procedure

FLTM BI 123-01

Painted Sheet Metal Corrosion, Apg

SAE J2334

Cosmetic Corrosion

Density

ASTM D1622

Apparent Density of Rigid Cellular Plastics

ASTM D3776

Mass Per Unit Area (Weight) of Fabric

ASTM D792

Density Method A

GMW3182

Determination of Mass per Area

ISO 1183-1

Determining the Density of Non-Cellular Plastics Using Immersion Method

ISO 845

Cellular Plastics and Rubbers – Determination in Apparent Density (Bulk)

Dimensional

ASTM D1777

Thickness of Textile Materials

ASTM D5729

Standard Test Method for Thickness of Nonwoven Fabrics

ASTM D7091

Standard Practice for Nondestructive Measurement of Dry Film Thickness of Nonmagnetic Coatings Applied to Ferrous Metals and Nonmagnetic, Nonconductive Coatings Applied to Non-Ferrous Metals

FLTM BI 117-01

Coating Thickness

ISO 2808, Mtd 7C

Paints and Varnishes – Determination of Film Thickness

ISO 5084

Determination of Thickness of Textiles and Textile Products

SAE J882

Thickness of Textile Materials

SAE J883

Dimensional Stability of Automotive Textiles

Dynamic Mechanical Properties

ASTM D4065

Dynamic Mechanical Properties of Plastics

ASTM D4440

Rheological Measurements of Polymer Melts Using Dynamic Mechanical Procedures

ASTM D5279

Dynamic Mechanical Properties of Plastics Using Torsion

ISO 6721-1

Dynamic Mechanical Properties General Principles

ISO 6721-10

Dynamic Mechanical Properties Viscosity, Non-Resonance

ISO 6721-7

Dynamic Mechanical Properties Torsional, Non-Resonance

Environmental Exposure

Ford MA-0130

Humidity Aging

IEC 60068-2-78

Test Cab: Damp Heat, Steady State

ISO 22088-3

Determination of Resistance to Environmental Stress Cracking (ESC)

MIL-STD-810C/D/E/F/G
(Sections 500-503, 507, 512-514, 516, 520, 524, 528 only)

Environmental Test Methods and Engineering Guidelines

NES M0153

Moisture Resistance Test Method

Test Method**Test Technology****Environmental Exposure (cont'd)**

SAE J323 Cold Cracking of Flexible Plastic Materials

Fabric, Leather, and Other Textiles

ASTM D1117 Evaluating Non-woven Fabrics
ASTM D751 Coated Fabrics (except Bursting Strength, Hydrostatic Pressure, Adhesion Coating, Strength of Coating, Crack Resistance, and Crush Resistance)
FLTM BN 106-02 Seam Fatigue Testing
GMW3211 Resistance to Stretch and Set
ISO 13937-2 Tear Properties of Fabrics
SAE J913 Wicking
SAE J855 Stretch and Set

Fatigue

ASTM D6182 Flexibility and Adhesion of Finish on Leather
Chrysler LP-463KB-38-01 Fabric Lint Pickup and Lint Loss
FLTM BN 102-02 W Flex

Flexural

ASTM D747 Apparent Bending Modulus of Plastics by Means of a Cantilever Beam
ASTM D790 Flexural Properties of Unreinforced and Reinforced Plastics and Electrical Insulating Materials
ASTM F147 Flexibility of Non-metallic Gasket Materials
ISO 178 Determination of Flexural Properties
SAE J949 Stiffness (Modulus of Bending)

Foams and Flexible Cellular Materials

ASTM D1667 Flexible Cellular Materials-Vinyl Chloride Polymers and Copolymers
ASTM D3574 Test Methods for Flexible Cellular Materials (*except Test G, I4, Airflow, Test I2 Dynamic Fatigue Test by the Roller Shear at Constant Force, Test I4 Dynamic Fatigue Test for Carpet Cushion*)
ASTM D3575 Test Methods for Flexible Cellular Materials Made From Olefin (*except Sections 34-35, 45-46, 49-50, 66-67*)

Fogging

GMW3235 Fogging
SAE J1756 Determination of Fogging Characteristics of Interior Automotive Materials
Toyota TSM0503G Fogging Test Method for Non-Metallic Materials

Gloss

ASTM D523 Specular Gloss
FLTM BI 110-01 Specular Gloss
JIS Z 8741 Specular Glossiness Methods of Measurement

Hardness

ASTM D2240, Shore A and D Durometer Hardness

Test Method

Test Technology

Hardness (cont'd)

ASTM D3363
ASTM D785 R Scale
ISO 868

Film Hardness by Pencil Test
Rockwell Hardness of Plastics and Electrical Insulating Materials
Plastic and Ebonite – Determination of Indentation Hardness by Means of a Durometer (Shore Hardness)

Heat

ASTM D2584
ASTM D3012

Ignition Loss of Cured Reinforced Resins
Thermal-Oxidative Stability of Propylene Plastics Using a Specimen Rotator Within an Oven
Heat Sag

ASTM D3769

Heat (cont'd)

ASTM D518
ASTM D573
ISO 188

Rubber Deterioration-Surface Cracking
Rubber-Deterioration in an Air Oven
Rubber, Vulcanized Thermoplastic-Accelerated Aging and Heat Resistance Test
Determination of Ash
Blocking Resistance

ISO 3451-1

SAE J912

Hoses and Hard/Soft Lines

ASTM D380
GMW14319 Section 4.3.20
(pressure cycling) only
GMW14329 (Sections 4.3,
4.5, and 4.6)
GMW15724 (Section 4.3.8
(PDT) only)
PF 90080 (Sections 9.3.1
and 9.3.2 only)

Method for Rubber Hose (*except Sections 12-13*)
Air Conditioning Hose and Coupling Assemblies R134a and R1234yf
Performance Testing of Heater and Coolant Hoses
Transmission and Engine Oil Cooler Plumbing System
Coolant Hoses and Plumbing Assemblies

Humidity

ASTM D1735

Standard Practice for Testing Water Resistance of Coatings Using Water Fog Apparatus

SAE J1389

Corrosion Test for Insulation Materials

Impact

ASTM D2137
ASTM D5420
ASTM D746
GMW16746
SAE J400

Brittleness Point of Flexible Polymers and Coated Fabrics
Gardner Impact
Brittleness Temperature of Plastics Elastomers by Impact
Evaluating Brittleness of Painted Plastics
Chip Resistance of Surface Coatings

Instrumented Impact

ASTM D3763

Standard Test Method for High Speed Puncture Properties of Plastics Using Load and Displacement Sensors

Izod

ASTM D1822
ASTM D256
ASTM D4812

Tensile Impact
Izod Pendulum Impact Resistance of Plastics
Unnotched Cantilever Beam Impact Strength of Plastics

Test Method

Test Technology

Izod (cont'd)

ISO 180

Plastics – Determination of Izod Impact Strength

Melt Flow

ASTM D1238

Melt Index (Flow Rate)

ISO 1133-1

Plastics – Determination of the Melt Mass-Flow Rate (MFR) and the Melt Volume-Flow Rate (MVR)

Odor

FLTM BO 131-03

Interior Odor Test

GMW3205

Test Method for Determining the Resistance to Odor Propagation of Interior Materials

GMW3259

Determination of Resistance to Mildew Growth

SAE J1351

Hot Odor Test for Insulation Materials

Toyota TSM0505G

Smell Quality of Non-Metallic Materials

VDA 270

Determination of the Odor Characteristics

VW PV3900

Odor Test

Ozone

ASTM D1149

Rubber Deterioration Surface Ozone Cracking in a Chamber

ASTM D1171

Rubber Deterioration Surface Ozone Cracking Outdoors or Chamber (Triangular)

VW PV3305

Test of Ozone Resistance and Permanent Deformation

28400NDS26

Exposure Only

Peel

ASTM D1000

Unwind Pull (Method B only)

ASTM D3330

Peel Adhesion of Pressure Sensitive Tape

ASTM D413

Rubber Property-Adhesion to Flexible Substrate

ASTM D903

Peel or Stripping Strength of Adhesive Bonds

PSTC 101

Non-ASTM Peel

Permeability

ASTM D737

Air Permeability of Fabrics, Fraiser Method

ASTM E96

Water Vapor Transmissions

Protection against Dust, Sand, Water, or Foreign Object Ingress

DIN 40050-9 (Withdrawn 1993)¹

Protection Against Foreign Objects; Water and Contact; Electrical Equipment (IP5KX, IP6KX, IPX1 through IPX4, IPX4K, IPX5, IPX6, IPX6K, IPX7, IPX8, IPX9K only)

IEC 60068-2-68

Dust and Sand

(Except LA1 and LCI)

IEC 60529

Degrees of protection provided by enclosures (IP code) (IP5X, IP6X, IPX1 through IPX9 only)

ISO 20653

Road Vehicles – Degrees of Protection (IP-Code) – Protection Against Foreign Objects, Water and Access – Electrical Equipment (IP5KX, IP6KX, IPX1 through IPX4, IPX4K, IPX5, IPX6, IPX6K, IPX7, IPX8, IPX9K only)

JIS D 0203 (R2, S1, S2)

Moisture, Rain and Spray Test for Automobile Parts

JIS D 0207

Dust Test for Automobile Parts (F-Type Only)

Test Method**Test Technology****Scratch**

FLTM BN 108-13	Scratch Test
GMW14130	Scuff and Mar Resistance
GMW14688	Resistance to Scratching
GMW14698 Method B	Scratch Resistance of Organic Coatings and Self-Adhesive Foils
Chrysler LP-463DD-18-01	Scratch and Mar Resistance of Automotive Plastics

Tear

ASTM D1004	Initial Tear Resistance of Plastic Film and Sheeting
ASTM D2261	Tongue Tear
ASTM D5587	Tearing Strength of Fabrics by the Trapezoid Procedure
ASTM D5733	Tearing Strength of Nonwoven Fabrics by the Trapezoid Procedure
ASTM D624	Tear Strength of Conventional Vulcanized Rubber and Thermoplastic Elastomer
GMW3326	Tearing Strength of Textile Materials by Trapezoid Method
GMW3387	Fiber Degradation of Automotive Textiles
ISO 34-1	Determination of Tear Strength of Thermoplastic/Vulcanized Rubber Using Trouser, Angle and Crescent Pieces

Tensile

ASTM D1894	Static and Kinetic Coefficients of Friction of Plastic Film and Sheeting
ASTM D3163	Strength of Adhesive Bonded Rigid Lap Shear Joints
ASTM D412	Tensile Properties, Vulcanized Rubber and Thermoplastics Elastomers
ASTM D5034	Tensile Strength
ASTM D5035	Breaking Strength, Textile Fabrics, Strip Method
ASTM D638	Tensile Properties of Plastics (Including Poisson's Ratio)
ASTM D882	Tensile Properties Thin Plastic Sheeting
ASTM E132	Poisson's Ratio
ASTM F152	Tension Testing of Nonmetallic Gasket Materials
ISO 1798	Flexible Cellular Polymeric Materials- Determination of Tensile Strength and Elongation at Break
ISO 37	Determination of Tensile Stress/Strain Properties of Thermoplastic/Vulcanized Rubber
ISO 527-1	Tensile Properties Part 1 General Principles
ISO 527-2	Tensile Properties Part 2 Test Conditions for Molding and Extrusion Plastic
ISO 527-3	Tensile Properties Part 3 Film, Sheets
ISO 527-4	Tensile Properties Part 4 Isotropic and Orthotropic Fiber-Reinforced Plastics
ISO 527-5	Tensile Properties Part 5 Test Conditions for Unidirectional Fiber-Reinforced Plastics
ISO 8295	Coefficient of Friction
SAE J2044	Quick Connector Specification for Liquid Fuel and Vapor/Emissions Systems

Test Method

Test Technology

Thermal Cycle

GMW14124

Automotive Environmental Cycles

VW PV1200

Resistance to Environmental Cycle Test (80 to -40) °C

Ford CETP 00.00.E-412

Sections 5.3.1-5.3.7

FCA CS.00056

Section 6.4.5.1-6.4.5.8

Vibration

JIS D 1601

Vibration Testing Methods for Automobile Parts

Vicat

ASTM D1525

Vicat Softening Temperature of Plastic

ASTM D648

Deflection Temperature of Plastics Under Flexural Load in the Edgewise Position

ISO 306

Determination of Vicat Softening Temperature (VST) of Thermoplastic Materials

ISO 75-1

Plastics-Determination Temperature of Deflection Under Load Part 1 General Test Method

ISO 75-2

Plastics – Determination of Temperature of Deflection Under Load Part 2 Plastics and Ebonite

ISO 75-3

Plastics – Determination of Temperature of Deflection Under Load Part 3 High Strength Thermosetting

³This accreditation covers testing/calibration performed at the main laboratory listed above, and the following satellite laboratories listed below:

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Test Method

Ford IP-0105
Ford MA-0128
Ford MA-0130
Ford MA-0131
Ford OR-0329
GMW14124
NES M0132
Nissan 96030 NDS00
PF-11084
WSS-M15P32-C
WSS-M15P45-A (*except 3.12*)
WSS-M15P4-E
WSS-M15P4-F
WSS-M15P4-G (Sections 3.4.1,
3.4.2, 3.5.1.1)

Test Technology

Instrument Panel Sunload Resistance
Simulated Sunload Resistance – Exterior
Humidity Aging
Heat Age
Sunload Resistance – Exterior Ornamentation
Automotive Environmental Cycles
Thermal Cycle Test Methods for Plastic Parts
Air Spoiler Testing
Door Trim Panel Assembly and Components
Trim Assembly, Enclosed Luggage Compartment Covering
Performance, Instrument Panel Assembly, Flexible Cover Skin
Material
Interior Trim, Assembly Performance
Assembly Performance, Hard Mold-In-Color Interior
Components
Assembly Performance, Hard Mold-In-Color Interior
Components

ELEMENT MATERIALS TECHNOLOGY

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Warren, MI 48091-1385

<u>Test(s):</u>	<u>Test Method(s):</u>
Abrasion Resistance Abrex	Ford FLTM BN 155-01; GS 97024-1, -4, -5
Adhesion Testing	ASTM B571 (<i>except sections 6 and 11</i>), ASTM D3359; Ford BI 106-01, BI 106-02; GMW3368, GMW14829
Chip or Gravel Resistance	ASTM D3170; Ford BI 157-04, BI 157-06; GMW14700; Chrysler LP 463PB-52-01; SAE J400
Color Measurements Instrumental, sphere	ASTM D2244, ASTM E1331; SAE J1545, J1717 (Appendix E)
Visual (Light Booth)	SAE J1545; ASTM D1729; Ford BI 109-01; AATCC (EP1); ISO 105-A03
Corrosion Testing Spray (CASS) Testing	ASTM B368
Cyclic Corrosion Testing	Ford BQ 105-01, BI 123-01, BI 123-03, CETP 00.00-L-467; GMW14458, GMW14872, GMW15288; NES M0158-96 CCTI & CCTIV; SAE J2334
Dynamic Sled (Crash Simulation, Front Impact, Side Impact, Rear Impact, Acceleration, Whiplash)	14 CFR 23; APTA PR-CS-S-011-99; FMVSS 202a, FMVSS 206 (Doors and Latching Mechanisms), FMVSS 207, FMVSS 208, FMVSS 214 (Side Impact), FMVSS 301 (Rear Impact); IIHS; EuroNCAP Whiplash; CNCAP Whiplash; JNCAP Whiplash; KNCAP Whiplash; IIHS RCAR-IIWPG Seat/Head Restraint Evaluation Protocol; NTEA-AMD Standardized Test Methods; UN ECE-17
Environmental Conditioning & Cycling	
Brittleness Temperature/ Cold Cracking	Chrysler LP-463LB-11-01-B, LP-463DD-07-01
Cold Cycling	Chrysler LP-463DD-08-02
Humidity	ASTM D1735, ASTM D2247; GMW14729
Hot/ Cold/ Humidity Cycling	GM9310P; Chrysler LP-463DD-08-02
Hot/ Cold/ Humidity / IR	GMW15432

Test(s):

Test Method(s):

Environmental Conditioning &
Cycling (cont'd)

Accelerated Ageing/Automotive
Cycles

ASTM D5427; GMW14124

Environmental Cycles / Exposure /
Thermal Shock

Chrysler LP-463CB-10-01, LP-463LB-12-01,
LP-463PB-22-01, LP-463PB-52-01,
LP-463LB-13-01, LP-463PB-36-01;
BI 107-05, BQ 104-07; DVO-0001-IP;
GM9310, GMW14124, GMW14872, GMW15432;
MIL-STD 810G (Methods 501, 502, 503, 507, 521)

Evaluations

ASTM D610, D660, D661, D714, D1654;
Ford BI 160-01 (*except procedure A*);
GMW15282

Falling Sand Abrasion

ASTM D968

Filiform Corrosion

ASTM D2803; Ford BI 124-01

Film Thickness

ASTM D7091; Ford BI 117-01;

Flow Rates of Thermoplastics by
Extrusion Plastomer

ASTM D1238; ISO 1133

Fluorescent UV Condensation
Exposure

ASTM D4329, ASTM D4587, ASTM G151, ASTM G154;
TSH3130G;SAE J2020

Fogging

GMW3235; HES D6508 SAE J1756; VW PV 3015
Chrysler LP-463DB-12-1; NES M0161; DIN 75201

Gloss/Haze Measurements

ASTM D523, ASTM D4039; Ford BI 110-01;
SAE J1717 (Appendix E)

Hardness

Pencil

ASTM D3363;

Humidity Resistance

Water Fog

Condensing

Cleveland Condensing

ASTM D1735, ASTM D2247, ASTM D4585;
Ford BI 104-02, BI 106-03, BQ 104-02;
GMW14729

Impact

Gardner

ASTM D2794, ASTM D5420 (Geometry GC and GE);
Ford BI 108-01,
BO 151-01 (Method B [Impact Ball Shore A 72.5])

Odor

NES M0160; TSM 0505G;

Test(s):

Test Method(s):

PACCAR Paint Performance

PACCAR CMT-0033 (*except section 8.1*)

Salt Spray (Fog) Testing

ASTM B117, ASTM G85; ISO 9227; Ford BI 103-01; GMW3286; NES M0140-01; JIS Z2371

Solvent Wipe

ASTM D5402; GMW15891

Standard Atmosphere for Conditioning & Testing

ASTM D618; ISO 291

Three-Dimensional (3D) Image Blue-Light Scanning

Scan Volume 200 mm x 150 mm x 150 mm

ATOS V8 SR1 Manual Basic; Customer-Specified

Scan Volume 500 mm x 380 mm x 380 mm

Water Resistance

Water Immersion

ASTM D870

Water Chemistry

Ford BI 104-01, BI 104-04

Car Wash

GMW16745, GMW17103

Weathering (Artificial)

Weatherometer

ASTM D2565

Xenon-Arc Exposure of Plastics Intended for Outdoor Applications

ASTM D4459

Xenon-Arc Exposure of Plastics Intended for Indoor Applications

ASTM D7869

Xenon Arc Exposure Test with Enhanced Light and Water Exposure for Transportation Coatings

ASTM G155

Operating Xenon Arc Light Apparatus for Exposure of Non-Metallic Materials

Ford FLTM BO 116-01

Resistance to Interior Weathering

GMW14162

Colorfastness to Artificial Weathering

GMW3414

Colorfastness to Artificial Light

ISO 4892-2

Xenon Exposure Testing

SAE J1885 (Inactive 2008)¹

Accelerated Exposure of Automotive Interior Trim Components Using a Controlled Irradiance Water Cool

SAE J1960 (Inactive 2008)¹

Xenon Arc Accelerated Exposure (External)

SAE J2412

Accelerated Exposure of Automotive Interior Trim Components using a Controlled Irradiance Xenon-Arc

SAE J2527

Accelerated Exposure of Automotive Exterior Materials using a Controlled Irradiance Xenon-Arc

Xenon Weathering utilizing any combination of the following parameters²:

(0.2 to 1.38) W/m² at 340nm

Chamber Air Temperature (15 to 90) °C

(0.45 to 3.11) W/m² at 420 nm

Black Panel Temperature (25 to 125) °C

(26 to 166) W/m² at (300 to 400) nm

Chamber Humidity (10 to 95) %RH

Test(s):

Test Method(s):

Parameter(s):

Flexible Test Cells

Durability Testing

Mechanical Cycling

DVM 0019-ST;
GMW3067, GMW7699, GMW7000,
GMW9123 , GMW3172;
Chrysler PF 8502, PF 8401, PF 11029;
DC-10859, 10254;
Customer Specifications²

Axial & Bending Fatigue:
(50,000 lb max)
Ultimate Strength: (200,000 lb
max)
Torsion: (up to 4000 ft./lbs –
100° Rotation)
Pneumatic & Hydraulic
actuation with force and/or
position feedback

Slosh

PF.90083; PF.8950

Table travel length up to 1250
mm
Table weight capacity 1300 lbs
Table speed up to 300 mm /
second
Table acceleration up to 1.0 g
Table cycle rate up to 3 Hz

**Multi Axis Simulation
Table (MAST)**
(6 axis) up to 100 Hz

ST-0009; DC-10859
(Heidedauerlauf);
IP-0008 (Key Life Test); Customer
Specifications²

6 DOF, vertical, lateral,
longitudinal pitch, roll, and
yaw inputs
(-50 to 177) °C

Environmental Testing

Solar Loading/
Heating Testing

GM9310P;
Chrysler PF 11084, 11029;
Ford SDS IT 0005, 9014;
MES PA 5500 D;
NES MO 131;

Temperature:
(-100 to 374) °F / (-73 to 190) °C
(using various reach-in, walk-
in, and drive-in chambers)

High & Low
Temperature
Testing with Relative
Humidity
Thermal Shock

Customer Specifications²

Humidity: Up to 95% RH

Noise Analysis Testing

BSR Objective and
Jury Evaluator

GMW7293, GMW14011;
Customer Specifications²

Real Time 33 db ambient

Test(s):

Test Method(s):

Parameter(s):

***Flexible Test Cells
(cont'd)***

Vertical Pitch and Roll
+4D
Quiet Shaker System

GMW14011, GMW14144,
GMW14155, GMW14188,
GMW14240, GMW14264,
GMW15655;
Chrysler LP.7R027, LP.7R0774,
PF 90192, PF 90052, PF 90223,
PF 90232 (2015), PF 90243,
PF 90283;
Ford CETP 00.00-L-448,
CETP 01.10-L-419_2,
CETP 01.12-L-300,
CETP 18.03-L-400,
CETP 00.00-E-412,
CETP 01.10-L-413,
CETP 12.00-L-403,
CES_Seat Recliner Component Eng.,
CES_Seat Track Component Eng.,
DVM-0010-SM,
ES-6E5H-19980-AJ, Seat SDS v18 or
newer

The laboratory is accredited for the test methods listed above. The accredited test methods are used in determining compliance with the material specifications listed below; however, the inclusion of these material specifications on this Scope does not confer laboratory accreditation to the material specifications. Inclusion of these material specifications on this Scope also does not confer accreditation for every method embedded within the specification. Only the methods listed above on this Scope are accredited.

Test(s):

Test Method(s):

Chrysler:

CS-11982	Electrical/Electronic (E/E) Environmental Specification
MS JP 1-3	Color Durability of Interior Materials
MS-DC 40	Co-Extruded Polyethylene Film
PF-10952	Floor Console Assembly System Requirements
PF-11084	Door Trim Panel Assembly and Components
PF-11203	Material Durability Requirements for Interior Plastic Trim Components

Ford:

WSS-M1F27	Luxury Leather
WSS-M8P18	Fabric Performance
WSS-M15P32-C	Trim Assembly, Enclosed Luggage Compartment Covering
WSS-M15P45-A, except section 3.12	Performance, Instrument Panel Assembly, Flexible Cover Skin Material

Test(s):	Test Method(s):
<u>Ford (cont'd):</u>	
WSS-M15P4-E	Interior Trim, Assembly Performance
WSS-M15P4-F	Assembly Performance, Hard Mold-in-Color Interior Components
WSS-M15P4-G	Assembly Performance, Hard Mold-In-Color Interior Components
WSS-M1F28	Leather
FMVSS 571.106	Brake Hoses
<u>GM:</u>	
GMW14231	Automotive Fabrics
GMW14650	Performance Requirements for Exterior Plastic Parts
GMW16443	Peel Test Pressure Sensitive Adhesive
<u>Japan:</u>	
JIS L 1096	Woven Fabrics
<u>Hyundai:</u>	
MS 300-32	Woven, Knit
MS 320-05	Fabrics for Seats
<u>Nissan:</u>	
Nissan NES M0094	Flammability of Automotive Materials
<u>SAE:</u>	
SAE J1639	Test Methods for Nylon Materials
SAE J17	Latex Foam Rubbers
<u>Toyota:</u>	
Toyota TSH3130G	Paint Quality for Interior Parts
<u>Volkswagen:</u>	
VW PV3366	Elastomer Seals

¹ This laboratory's scope contains withdrawn or superseded methods. As a clarifier, this indicates that the applicable method itself has been withdrawn or is now considered "historical" and not that the laboratory's accreditation for the method has been withdrawn.

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Presented this 4th day of March 2021.

A blue ink signature of the Vice President of Accreditation Services.

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