



SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION TO ISO/IEC 17025:2017

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CALIBRATION

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In recognition of the successful completion of the A2LA evaluation process, (including an assessment of the organization's compliance with R205 – A2LA's Calibration Program Requirements) accreditation is granted to this laboratory to perform the following calibrations<sup>1, 8</sup>:

I. Dimensional

| Parameter/Equipment                            | Range                            | CMC <sup>2</sup> (±)       | Comments                                      |
|--|----------------------------------|----------------------------|---|
| Indicators <sup>3</sup> –<br>Analog<br>Digital | Up to 30 mm<br>Up to 50.8 mm     | 0.000 18 mm<br>0.000 18 mm | ASTM D3767 with<br>gage blocks                |
| Angle <sup>3</sup>                             | (0 to 60)°                       | 0.0065°                    | Rotary encoder<br>measuring device            |
| Outside Diameter <sup>3</sup>                  | (0.1 to 25) mm<br>(>25 to 40) mm | 0.000 61 mm<br>0.0092 mm   | ASTM D3767 with<br>micrometer                 |
| Thickness Gauge                                | Up to 3 mm<br>Up to 50 mm        | 0.000 31 mm<br>0.0015 mm   | Certified gage blocks<br>Indicator with stand |

## II. Mechanical

| Parameter/Equipment                                  | Range   | CMC <sup>2, 4, 5</sup> ( $\pm$ )   | Comments   |
|--|---|--|--|
| Torque –   |   |  |  |
| Static (clockwise, counter- clockwise)               | (7 to 20) lbf·in<br>(>20 to 40) lbf·in<br>(>40 to 100) lbf·in<br>(>100 to 130) lbf·in   | 0.0059 lbf·in<br>0.0071 lbf·in<br>0.010 lbf·in<br>0.063 lbf·in   | Dead weights & torque arm                                  |
| Dynamic <sup>3</sup> (clockwise, counter- clockwise) | (7 to 20) lbf·in<br>(>20 to 40) lbf·in<br>(>40 to 100) lbf·in<br>(>100 to 130) lbf·in   | 0.042 lbf·in<br>0.060 lbf·in<br>0.090 lbf·in<br>0.25 lbf·in  | Torque standard  |
| Torque Wrenches                                      | (Up to 80) lbf·in   | 0.69 lbf·in  | Torque wrench tester                                       |
| Mass   | (1 to 100) g<br>(>100 to 300) g<br>(>300 to 400) g<br>(>400 to 500) g<br>(>500 to 750) g<br>(>750 to 1000) g<br>(>1 to 10) kg | 0.000 12 g<br>0.0058 g<br>0.0076 g<br>0.0094 g<br>0.0094 g<br>0.07 g<br>0.07 g                               | Modified substitution                                      |
| Density  | (1.04 to 1.44) g/cm <sup>3</sup><br>(>1.44 to 1.8) g/cm <sup>3</sup>  | 0.0011 g/cm <sup>3</sup><br>0.000 81 g/cm <sup>3</sup>   | Precision balance in air & in water or ASTM D792, Method A |
| Specific Gravity                                     | (1.04 to 1.44)<br>(>1.44 to 1.8)  | 0.0012<br>0.000 81   | Calculated   |
| Density/Specific Gravity Testers <sup>3</sup>        | (1.04 to 1.44) g/cm <sup>3</sup><br>(>1.44 to 1.8) g/cm <sup>3</sup><br><br>(1.04 to 1.44)<br>(>1.44 to 1.8)                  | 0.0011 g/cm <sup>3</sup> + 0.6R<br>0.000 81 g/cm <sup>3</sup> + 0.6R<br><br>0.0012 + 0.6R<br>0.000 81 + 0.6R | ASTM D297, Hydrostatic method<br><br>Calculated            |
| Force & Materials Testing Machines <sup>3</sup> –    |   |  |  |
| Force – Tension & Compression Transducers            | (0 to 11) lbf<br>(>11 to 22) lbf  | 0.0025 lbf<br>0.0038 lbf   | ASTM E4 using deadweights                                  |

| Parameter/Equipment                                      | Range   | CMC <sup>2, 4, 5</sup> (±)                                  | Comments                          |
|--|---|---|-----------------------------------|
| Force & Materials Testing Machines <sup>3</sup> – (cont) |   |   |                                   |
| Force – Tension & Compression Transducers                | (0 to 25) lbf<br>(>25 to 50) lbf<br>(>50 to 100) lbf<br>(>100 to 500) lbf<br>(>500 to 5000) lbf | 0.029 lbf<br>0.054 lbf<br>0.055 lbf<br>0.64 lbf<br>0.11 %   | ASTM E4 using load cells          |
| Extensometer   | Up to 400 mm  | 0.31 mm   | ASTM E83, calibrated bar          |
| Gage Length  | Up to 50.8 mm<br>(>50.8 to 100) mm  | 0.37 mm<br>0.52 mm  | ASTM E83 using caliper            |
| Crosshead Distance                                       | Up to 500 mm  | 0.72 mm   | Digital position kit              |
| Crosshead Rate   | Up to 25 mm/min<br>(>25 to 1000) mm/min   | 0.38 mm/min<br>0.24 %                                       | Digital speed/position kit        |
| Closing Force  | Up to 11.1 kN<br>(11.1 to 16) kN  | 0.055 kN<br>0.11 kN   | Load cell & die                   |
| Closing Pressure   | Up to 1200 psi<br>(>1200 to 1732) psi   | 7.6 psi<br>0.23 %   | Calculated from force to pressure |
| Scales & Balances <sup>3</sup>                           | (1 to 10) g<br>(>10 to 220) g<br>(>220 to 500) g<br>(>500 to 1000) g<br>(>1 to 10) kg           | 0.000 066 g<br>0.0057 g<br>0.0093 g<br>0.016 g<br>0.0057 kg | Standard masses                   |

#### V. Rubber Industry-Specific Equipment

| Parameter/Equipment                 | Range         | CMC <sup>2, 5</sup> (±) | Comments                                      |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|-------------------------|---|
| Capillary Rheometers <sup>3</sup> – |               |                         | ASTM D5099, D1238, D3835 for parameters below |
| Cylinder Barrel Bore Diameter       | Up to 12.7 mm | 0.0030 mm               | Borescope & master ring                       |

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|---|---|---|---|
| Capillary Rheometers <sup>3</sup> –                   |   |   | ASTM D5099, D1238, D3835 for parameters below |
| Barrel Temperature                                    | (15 to 425) °C                                      | 0.081 °C  | Borescope & master ring                       |
| Piston Tip – Outside Diameter                         | (9.4742 to 19) mm                                   | 0.0024 mm   | PRT   |
| Linear Length   | 6.35 mm   | 0.034 mm  | Micrometers                                   |
| Capillary Die - Orifice Diameter                      | (1.048 to 2.095) mm                                 | 0.0012 mm   | Pin gage                                      |
| Length  | (Up to 22.5) mm<br>(>22.5 to 50.8) mm               | 0.0017 mm<br>0.0059 mm  | Micrometer                                    |
| Mooney Viscometers <sup>3</sup> , Stress Relaxation – |   |   | ISO 289-1, ASTM D1646 for parameters below    |
| Rotor rpm   | 0.02 rpm<br>0.2 rpm<br>2 rpm<br>15 rpm              | 2.6x10 <sup>-7</sup> rpm<br>1.2x10 <sup>-5</sup> rpm<br>0.0013 rpm<br>0.069 rpm | Benchtop timer                                |
| Die Temperature                                       | (0 to 250) °C                                       | 0.088 °C  | PRT   |
| Closing Force   | (0 to 11.1) kN<br>(11.1 to 16) kN                   | 0.055 kN<br>0.11 kN   | Load cell & die                               |
| Rotor Diameter  | Up to 40 mm   | 0.0092 mm   | Caliper                                       |
| Rotor Thickness                                       | 5.54 mm   | 0.000 61 mm   | Micrometer                                    |
| Time  | Up to 4 min<br>(4 to 15) min<br>>15 min to 24 hours | 0.059 %<br>0.019 %<br>0.011 %   | Digital stopwatch                             |
| Oscillating Disk Rheometers <sup>3</sup> –            |   |   | ASTM D2084, ISO 3417 for parameters below     |
| Torque  | (7 to 20) lbf·in                                    | 0.042 lbf·in  | Torque standard                               |

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|---|---|---|---|
| Oscillating Disk Rheometers <sup>3</sup> – (cont)                                     |   |   | ASTM D2084, ISO 3417 for parameters below   |
| Torque  | (>20 to 40) lbf·in<br>(>40 to 100) lbf·in<br>(>100 to 130) lbf·in                     | 0.060 lbf·in<br>0.090 lbf·in<br>0.25 lbf·in                 | Torque standard                             |
| Die Temperature   | (0 to 250) °C   | 0.088 °C  | PRT   |
| Die Closing Force   | (0 to 11.1) kN<br>(11.1 to 16) kN   | 0.055 kN<br>0.11 kN   | Load cell & die                             |
| Time  | Up to 4 min<br>(4 to 15) min<br>>15 min to 24 hours                                   | 0.059 %<br>0.019 %<br>0.011 %                               | Digital stopwatch                           |
| Rotorless Cure Meters, Moving Die Rheometers, Rubber Process Analyzers <sup>3</sup> – |   |   | ASTM D5289, ISO 6502-3 for parameters below |
| Torque  | (7 to 20) lbf·in<br>(>20 to 40) lbf·in<br>(>40 to 100) lbf·in<br>(>100 to 130) lbf·in | 0.042 lbf·in<br>0.060 lbf·in<br>0.090 lbf·in<br>0.25 lbf·in | Torque standard                             |
| Die Temperature   | (0 to 250) °C   | 0.088 °C  | PRT   |
| Die Closing Force   | (0 to 11.1) kN<br>(11.1 to 16) kN   | 0.055 kN<br>0.11 kN   | Load cell & die                             |
| Closing Pressure  | Up to 1200 psi<br>(>1200 to 1732) psi   | 7.6 psi<br>0.23 %   | Calculated from force to pressure           |
| Time  | Up to 4 min<br>(4 to 15) min<br>>15 min to 24 hours                                   | 0.059 %<br>0.019 %<br>0.011 %                               | Digital stopwatch                           |

#### IV. Thermodynamics

| Parameter/Equipment                                   | Range                          | CMC <sup>2, 7</sup> (±) | Comments   |
|---|--------------------------------|-------------------------|--|
| Temperature –<br><br>Temperature Measure <sup>3</sup> | (-55 to 0) °C<br>(0 to 250) °C | 0.28 °C<br>0.088 °C     | ASTM D1646, D2084,<br>D5289, D6204, D6601<br>with temperature probe &<br>meter |
| Temperature Meters                                    | (0 to 200) °C                  | 0.060 °C                | ITS 90, oil bath with<br>SPRT & digital readout                                |

#### V. Time & Frequency

| Parameter/Equipment | Range   | CMC <sup>2, 5</sup> (±)               | Comments  |
|---------------------|---|---------------------------------------|---|
| Dwell Time          | Up to 4 min<br><br>(4 to 15) min<br><br>>15 min to 24 hours | 0.059 %<br><br>0.019 %<br><br>0.011 % | ASTM D1646, D2084,<br>D5289, D6204, D6601<br>with digital stopwatch |

<sup>1</sup> This laboratory offers commercial calibration and dimensional testing services and field calibration and dimensional testing services where noted.

<sup>2</sup> Calibration and Measurement Capability Uncertainty (CMC) is the smallest uncertainty of measurement that a laboratory can achieve within its scope of accreditation when performing more or less routine calibrations of nearly ideal measurement standards or nearly ideal measuring equipment. CMCs represent expanded uncertainties expressed at approximately the 95 % level of confidence, usually using a coverage factor of  $k = 2$ . The actual measurement uncertainty of a specific calibration performed by the laboratory may be greater than the CMC due to the behavior of the customer's device and to influences from the circumstances of the specific calibration.

<sup>3</sup> Field calibration service is available for this calibration. Please note the actual measurement uncertainties achievable on a customer's site can normally be expected to be larger than the CMC found on the A2LA Scope. Allowance must be made for aspects such as the environment at the place of calibration and for other possible adverse effects such as those caused by transportation of the calibration equipment. The usual allowance for the actual uncertainty introduced by the item being calibrated, (e.g. resolution) must also be considered and this, on its own, could result in the actual measurement uncertainty achievable on a customer's site being larger than the CMC.

<sup>4</sup> In the statement of CMC,  $R$  is the numerical value of the resolution of the device.

<sup>5</sup> In the statement of CMC, percentages are percentages of reading, unless otherwise indicated.

<sup>6</sup> This test is not equivalent to a calibration.

<sup>7</sup> The type of instrument or material being calibrated is defined by the parameter. This indicates the laboratory is capable of calibrating instruments that measure or generate the values in the ranges indicated for the listed measurement parameter.

<sup>8</sup> This scope meets A2LA's *P112 Flexible Scope Policy*.



# Accredited Laboratory

A2LA has accredited

**ALPHA TECHNOLOGIES SERVICES, LLC**

*Hudson, OH*

for technical competence in the field of

**Calibration**

This laboratory is accredited in accordance with the recognized International Standard ISO/IEC 17025:2017 *General requirements for the competence of testing and calibration laboratories*. This laboratory also meets R205 – Specific Requirements: Calibration Laboratory Accreditation Program. 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 April 2017).



Presented this 9<sup>th</sup> day of June 2025.

A blue ink signature of Mr. Trace McInturff.

Mr. Trace McInturff, Vice President, Accreditation Services  
For the Accreditation Council  
Certificate Number 2017.01  
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*For the calibrations to which this accreditation applies, please refer to the laboratory's Calibration Scope of Accreditation.*