

Specialty Materials Development

Materials Development Solutions

- ▶ State-of-the-art development capabilities for toll R&D of Specialty Materials
- ▶ Range of contract R&D services bringing together important aspects of Structure-Property-Processing relationship for materials development
- ▶ Assistance in technology transfer from R&D to scale-up



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**Barrier Film
Technology**

**Thermoplastic
Film Extrusion**

Textile Technology

Coated Fabrics

Laminated Goods

Adhesives Technology

Analytical Chemistry

Failure Analysis

MATERIALS PROCESSING

■ PROCESSING EQUIPMENT

Film Processing – Monolayer

- ▶ 1.25" Extruder with 12" wide Cast film die and 2.5" diameter Blown film die
- ▶ Process variety of thermoplastics such as Urethanes, Polyolefin's, Fluoropolymers etc.
- ▶ Capable of in-line polymer blending and fillers

Film Processing – Multi-Layer Blown Film Co-Extrusion

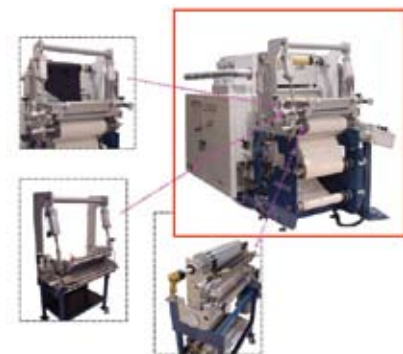
- ▶ 1.25" Extruders with 4" diameter die
- ▶ Process variety of thermoplastics such as Urethanes, Polyolefin's, Fluoropolymers, Nylon, EVOH and tie layers
- ▶ Capable of in-line polymer blending and fillers

Coating and Lamination

- ▶ Designed to be flexible with fast precise and accurate adjustments
- ▶ Drying oven with 1 or 2 independent temperature zones
- ▶ Capable of handling up to 30" wide goods
- ▶ Capable of Embossing, transfer film handling and laminations
- ▶ Multiple chemical application heads (thickness blade, air blade, coating bar, Meyer rod, syncro/reverse coating roll, hot melt coating cylinder, impregnation and squeezing)
- ▶ Slitting roll goods with widths from 3" to 60"

Polymer Design

- ▶ Specializing in synthesis of
 1. Novel urethane polymers
 2. Shape memory polymers
 3. Thermosetting resins with RT shelf lives greater than 3 months
 4. Resins tailored for both rigid and flexible composite applications
 5. Resin systems compatible with standard composite pre-preg manufacturing methods



ANALYTICAL AND TEST CAPABILITIES

■ PHYSICAL PROPERTY TESTING

- ▶ Complete range of Physical Property testing to ASTM standard for
 - Tensile, Tear, and Puncture Strength
 - Electrostatics (ASTM D257, BS7506)
- ▶ Conditioning and testing @ -125°F to 500°F temperatures
- ▶ Adhesion Strength Testing
- ▶ Seam Testing
- ▶ Creep Testing
- ▶ Accelerated Aging



■ THERMAL ANALYSIS

Differential Scanning Calorimetry, DSC (-90° to 500° C)

- ▶ Melt Point and Heat Flow
- ▶ Storage & Loss Modulus, Tan δ
- ▶ Glass Transition Temperature, T_g
- ▶ Degree of Cure
- ▶ Oxidative Stability

Thermogravimetric Analysis, TGA (25°C to 1000°C)

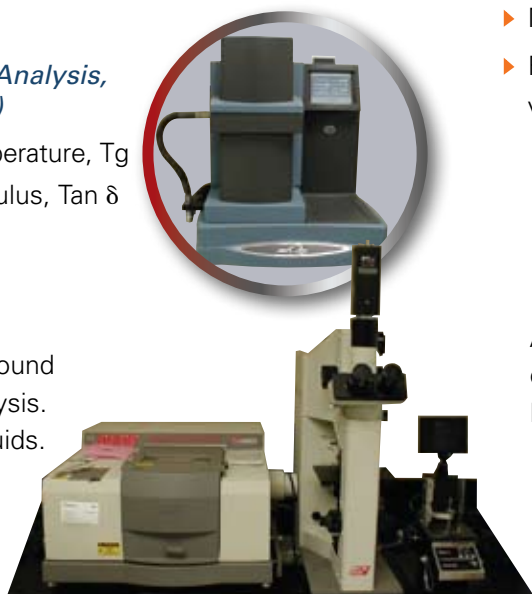
- ▶ Thermal Stability
- ▶ Out gassing
- ▶ Degradation Temperature
- ▶ Composition %

Dynamic Mechanical Analysis, DMA (-143°C to 600°C)

- ▶ Glass Transition Temperature, T_g
- ▶ Storage & Loss Modulus, Tan δ
- ▶ Stress-Strain
- ▶ Creep

FT-IR

Used for organic compound ID, composition & analysis.
Good for solids and liquids.



■ MICROSCOPY

Olympus BX51 Compound Research Microscope

- ▶ Brightfield/Darkfield
- ▶ Automated Stage
- ▶ 12.5, 50, 100, 200, 500, & 1000x Magnification
- ▶ Transmitted/Reflective Light
- ▶ Polarized Light
- ▶ DIC, Differential Interference Contrast
- ▶ Digital Camera
- ▶ SIS, Image Analysis Software

Nikon SMZ-U Stereo Microscope

- ▶ Continuous, 0.75 to 7.5x Magnification
- ▶ Reflected Light
- ▶ Digital Camera
- ▶ Image Editing Software

Olympus Inspection Scope

- ▶ Image Capture
- ▶ Fixed and Zoom Lenses to 500x

*Hitachi S-2600N Variable Pressure Scanning Electron Microscope (SEM)*

- ▶ Magnification: 25x-300,000x
- ▶ Resolution: 4nm (in high vacuum mode)



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