



SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION TO ISO/IEC 17025:2005

ELEMENT MATERIALS TECHNOLOGY HOUSTON – REGAL ROW

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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 metals, plastics, and rubbers:

Test

Test Methods

Drop Weight Testing

ASTM E208

Ductility/Bend

ASTM A370; ASME Section IX; AWS D1.1/D1.1M;
API 1104 5L; ABS Rules; DNV Rules; EN 910 (withdrawn,
replaced by EN ISO 5173)¹

Fillet Weld Break Test

ASME Section IX; AWS D1.1/D1.1M; EN 287-1
(withdrawn, replaced by EN ISO 9606-1)¹

Fracture Mechanics (CTOD)

ASTM E399, E1290; BS 7448; ISO 15653, 12135

Fracture Mechanics (SENT) and DCPD SENT BS 7448, BS 8571; DNV RP-F108

Fracture Mechanics (JR Test)

ASTM E1820; BS 7448; ISO 12135

Compression

ASTM E9

Hardness

Rockwell (A, B, C)

ASTM E18; BS EN ISO 6508

Vickers (HV0.2, HV0.3, HV0.5, HV1,
HV5, HV10)

ASTM E384; BS EN ISO 6507

Knoop (HK25, HK100, HK200,
HK300, HK500)

ASTM E384

Brinell (500kg, 1500kg, 3000kg)

ASTM E10; BS EN ISO 6506

Impact (Charpy V-notch)
(-320, -150 to 100) °F

ASTM A370, E23; BS EN ISO 148

Metallography (Macro)

ASTM E340, E381; ASME Section IX;
AWS D1.1/D1.1M; API 1104; EN 287, 288, 1321

Test**Test Methods**

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| Metallography (Micro) Preparation | ASTM E3; BS EN 3114-001 |
| Volume Fraction Ferrite | ASTM E562 |
| Inclusion Content | ASTM E45 (Method A) |
| Alpha Case | GEAE P3TF19 |
| Grain Size (Comparison) | ASTM E112 |
| Nick-Break Testing | API 1104; EN 287; BS EN ISO 9606-1 |
| Ring Flattening | ASTM A53/A53M, A530/A530M, A999/A999M; API 5L; ASME SA530 |
| Tensile Test | ASTM A370, A770/A770M, E8/E8M; ABS Rules; ASME Section IX; AWS D1.1; API 1104 5CT and 5L; BS 4515; DNV Rules; EN 10002-1 (withdrawn, replaced by EN ISO 6892-1) ¹ |
| Scanning Electron Microscopy / EDS | Exova FAIL 01; ASTM E1508 |
| Failure Analysis | Using the methods listed above and below in accordance with the ASM Metals Handbook, Volume 11 |

Chemical

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| Combustion (C, N, O, S) | ASTM E1019 |
| Inert Gas Fusion (Hydrogen) | ASTM E1447 |
| Optical Emission Spectroscopy Carbon/Low Alloy Steels (Al, B, C, Co, Cr, Cu, Mn, Mo, Nb, Ni, P, S, Si, Sn, Ti, V, W, Zr) | ASTM A751, E415 |
| Stainless Steels (Al, B, C, Co, Cu, Mo, Mn, Nb, Ni, P, S, Si, Sn, Ti, V, W) | ASTM E1086 |
| Ni Alloy (Al, B, C, Co, Cr, Cu, Fe, Mn, Mo, Nb, Ni, P, S, Si, Ti, W, Zr) | Exova CHEM 01 |
| XRF (Al, As, Co, Cr, Cu, Fe, Mg, Mn, Mo, Nb, P, Pb, Si, Sn, Ti, W, Zn) | ASTM E322, E522, E1245 |

Coatings

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| Cathodic Disbonding of Pipeline Coatings (Elevated Temperature) | NACE TM0104, TM0304 |
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Test**Test Methods****Coatings (cont'd)**

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| Cathodic Disbondment Test of Pipeline Coatings (Attached Cell Method) | AFNOR NF-A 49.711, NF-A 49-716; ASTM G95; API RP 5L7; CSA Z245.20 Section 12.8; EN 10329; NF-A 49-710; ISO 21809-3; NACE RP0394, App F (withdrawn, replaced by NACE SP0394) ¹ |
| Impact Flexibility of Organic Coatings | ASTM D6905, ASTM G14, D2794; CSA Z245.20 section 12.12; NACE RP0394: App I (withdrawn, replaced by NACE SP0394) ¹ |
| Mandrel Bend Test of Attached Organic Coatings | ASTM D522/D522M; CSA Z245.20 section 12.11; NACE RP0394 App H (withdrawn, replaced by NACE SP0394) ¹ ; NACE TM0304 section 12 |
| Pull-Off Strength of Coatings – Adhesion | ASTM D4541 (Type IV); ISO 4624 |
| Rubber Property – Durometer Hardness | ASTM D2240 (Shore A) |
| Taber Abraser Testing | ASTM D4060 |
| UV Exposure of Nonmetallic Materials | ASTM G154; ISO 2340 |
| Water Absorption of Plastics | ASTM D570 |
| DSC | Nace RP 0394; CSA Z245.20; ISO 11357-2 |

Corrosion

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| Hydrogen Induced Cracking | NACE TM0284 |
| Intergranular Corrosion in Stainless Steels | ASTM A262 (Method A, B, C, E), A923 (Methods A and C), G28, G48 |
| Salt Spray | ASTM B117; BS EN ISO 9227 |
| Slow Strain Rate Test Method for Screening Corrosion-Resistant Alloys (CRAs) for Stress Corrosion Cracking in Sour Oilfield Service | NACE TM0198 |
| Sulfide Stress Cracking in H ₂ S | NACE TM0177 |

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.



Accredited Laboratory

A2LA has accredited

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Houston, TX

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 April 2017).



Presented this 22nd day of February 2018.

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President and CEO
For the Accreditation Council
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For the tests to which this accreditation applies, please refer to the laboratory's Mechanical Scope of Accreditation.