



THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR LABORATORY ACCREDITATION

ACCREDITED PROFICIENCY TESTING PROVIDER

A2LA has accredited

NEWAGE TESTING INSTRUMENTS, INC.
Feasterville, PA

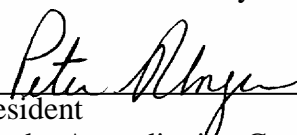
for technical competence as a

Proficiency Testing Provider

This accreditation covers the specific proficiency testing samples listed on the agreed upon Scope of Accreditation. This provider meets the ILAC G-13:2007 Guidelines for the Requirements for the Competence of Providers of Proficiency Testing (comprising ISO Guide 43-1:1997, as well as relevant elements of ISO/IEC 17025:2005 applicable to characterization, homogeneity and stability testing of proficiency testing materials), and the management system requirements of ISO/IEC 17025:2005, which includes the principles of ISO 9001:2000.



Presented this 30th day of October 2008.



President
For the Accreditation Council
Certificate Number 1734.02
Valid to August 31, 2012

For the proficiency testing schemes to which this accreditation applies, please refer to the provider's Scope of Accreditation.

SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION TO ILAC G13 : 2007

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This Proficiency Testing Provider has been found to meet the requirements of ILAC G13:2007 "Guidelines for the Requirements for the Competence of Providers of Proficiency Testing Schemes" (based on ISO/IEC Guide 43-1:1997, relevant elements of ISO/IEC 17025:2005, and relevant ISO 9000-2005 requirements). Therefore, in recognition of the successful completion of the A2LA evaluation process, accreditation is granted to this provider to offer the following proficiency testing programs:

I. Rockwell

The Rockwell Hardness proficiency is intended to evaluate the ability of the laboratory to measure Rockwell Hardness within the stated uncertainty. The artifacts are highly consistent Rockwell Tests Blocks with traceability to NIST or to industry standards. The program is offered in the scales listed in ASTM E-18.

II. Brinell

The Brinell Hardness proficiency is intended to evaluate the ability of the laboratory to measure Brinell Hardness within the stated uncertainty. The artifacts are highly consistent Brinell Test Blocks with traceability to NIST or to industry standards. The program is offered in the scales listed in ASTM E-10.

III. Vickers

The Vickers hardness proficiency is intended to evaluate the ability of the laboratory to measure Vickers Hardness within the stated uncertainty. The artifacts are highly consistent Vickers Test Blocks with traceability to NIST or industry standards. The program is offered in the Scales listed in ASTM E-92.

IV. Microindentation Hardness

The Microhardness Hardness proficiency is intended to evaluate the ability of the laboratory to measure Microhardness Hardness within the stated uncertainty. The artifacts are highly consistent Micro Vickers or Knoop Test Blocks with traceability to NIST or to industry standards. The program is offered in the scales listed in the ASTM E-384.

V. Durometer

The Durometer Hardness proficiency is intended to evaluate the ability of the laboratory to measure Durometer Hardness within the stated uncertainty. The artifacts are highly consistent Durometer Test Blocks with traceability to NIST or to industry standards. The program is offered in the scales listed in ASTM D-1415 and D-2240.

VI. Leeb Hardness

The Leeb Hardness proficiency is intended to evaluate the ability of the laboratory to measure Leeb Hardness within the stated uncertainty. The artifacts are highly consistent Leeb Test Blocks with traceability to NIST or industry standards. The program is offered in the Scales listed in ASTM A-956.