



SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION TO ISO/IEC 17025:2017

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Valid To: June 30, 2023

Certificate Number: 3413.01

In recognition of the successful completion of the A2LA evaluation process, accreditation is granted to this laboratory for:

CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS ENGINEERING

ASTM: C1077 (Standard Practice for Agencies Testing Concrete and Concrete Aggregates for Use in Construction and Criteria for Testing Agency Evaluation) Concrete and Coarse Aggregate;
 D3740 (Standard Practice for Minimum Requirements for Agencies Engaged in Testing and/or Inspection of Soil and Rock as Used in Engineering Design and Construction);
 E329 (Standard Specification for Agencies Engaged in Construction Inspection, Testing, or Special Inspection) Soils and Concrete Testing

CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS TESTING

<u>Test Method:</u>	<u>Test Description:</u>
<u>Aggregates:</u>	
ASTM C117	Materials Finer than 75- μ m (No. 200) Sieve in Mineral Aggregates by Washing
ASTM C127	Density, Relative Density (Specific Gravity), and Absorption of Coarse Aggregate
ASTM C128	Density, Relative Density (Specific Gravity), and Absorption of Fine Aggregate
ASTM C136/C136M	Sieve Analysis of Fine and Coarse Aggregate
ASTM C566	Total Evaporable Moisture Content of Aggregate by Drying
ASTM C702/C702M	Reducing Samples of Aggregate to Testing Size
ASTM D75/D75M ¹	Sampling Aggregates
<u>Concrete:</u>	
ASTM C31/C31M ¹	Making and Curing Concrete Specimens in the Field
ASTM C39/C39M	Compressive Strength of Cylindrical Concrete Specimens
ASTM C138/C138M ¹	Density (Unit Weight), Yield, and Air Content (Gravimetric) of Concrete
ASTM C143/C143M ¹	Slump of Hydraulic-Cement Concrete
ASTM C172/C172M ¹	Sampling Freshly Mixed Concrete
ASTM C173/C173M ¹	Air Content of Freshly Mixed Concrete by the Volumetric Method
ASTM C231/C231M ¹	Air Content of Freshly Mixed Concrete by the Pressure Method
ASTM C617/C617M	Capping Cylindrical Concrete Specimens

<u>Test Method:</u>	<u>Test Description:</u>
<u>Concrete: (cont.)</u>	
ASTM C1064/C1064M ¹	Temperature of Freshly Mixed Hydraulic-Cement Concrete
ASTM C1231/C1231M	Unbonded Caps in Determination of Compressive Strength of Hardened Concrete Cylinders
<u>Soils:</u>	
ASTM D421 (2016) ² (Withdrawn)	Dry Preparation of Soil Samples for Particle-Size Analysis and Determination of Soil Constants
ASTM D422 (2016) ² (Withdrawn)	Particle Size Analysis of Soils
ASTM D558/D558M	Moisture-Density (Unit Weight) Relations of Soil-Cement Mixtures
ASTM D698	Laboratory Compaction Characteristics of Soil Using Standard Effort
ASTM D854	Specific Gravity of Soil Solids by Water Pycnometer
ASTM D1140	Amount of Material in Soils Finer than No. 200 (75- μ m) Sieve
ASTM D1557	Laboratory Compaction Characteristics of Soil Using Modified Effort
ASTM D1883	CBR (California Bearing Ratio) of Laboratory-Compacted Soils
ASTM D2166/D2166M	Unconfined Compressive Strength of Cohesive Soil
ASTM D2216	Laboratory Determination of Water (Moisture) Content of Soil and Rock by Mass
ASTM D2435/D2435M	One-Dimensional Consolidation Properties of Soils Using Incremental Loading
ASTM D2487	Classification of Soils for Engineering Purposes (Unified Soil Classification System)
ASTM D2488 ¹	Description and Identification of Soils (Visual-Manual Procedure)
ASTM D2850	Unconsolidated-Undrained Triaxial Compression Test on Cohesive Soils
ASTM D4318	Liquid Limit, Plastic Limit, and Plasticity Index of Soils
ASTM D4546	One-Dimensional Swell or Collapse of Cohesive Soils
ASTM D4972	pH of Soils
ASTM D6938 ¹	In-Place Density and Water Content of Soil and Soil-Aggregate by Nuclear Methods (Shallow Depth)
ASTM D7928	Particle-Size Distribution (Gradation) of Fine-Grained Soils Using the Sedimentation (Hydrometer) Analysis

¹ This laboratory performs field testing activities for these tests.

² NOTE: 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

ALPHA TESTING, INC.

Houston, TX

for technical competence in the field of

Construction Materials Testing

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 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 5th day of April 2021.

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

Vice President, Accreditation Services
For the Accreditation Council
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For the tests to which this accreditation applies, please refer to the laboratory's Construction Materials Scope of Accreditation.