

**Polymer Technology Industrial Consortium  
Membership Application**

Membership Fee      \$5,000.00/Year      From January 1, 20\_\_ to December 31, 20\_\_

Make Check Payable to:

Polymer Technology Center  
Texas A&M University  
College Station, TX 77843-3003

The Texas A&M Engineering Experiment Station (“TEES”), a member of The Texas A&M University System (“TAMUS”), an agency of the State of Texas, on behalf of its Polymer Technology Center (“PTC”) has established the Polymer Technology Industrial Consortium (PTIC) (“Consortium”).

The members of Consortium (“Members”) intend to join together with TEES and other Members in a cooperative effort to support the Consortium, develop a better understanding of Polymer Technology Industrial Consortium performance and reliability, promote innovative research in this field, foster interactions between industry and the TEES PTC, and facilitate further research cooperation.

**1. Consortium Activities**

- 1.1 “Consortium Activities” means an academic function conducted by PTC during the Term and supported by Consortium funds.
- 1.2 “Term” means from the date of execution by Member below until TEES terminates the Consortium or Member declines to pay the annual membership fee.

**2. Consortium Membership and Operation**

The PTIC, an activity of the Polymer Technology Center, presents an innovative and effective mechanism for interaction and collaboration between academia and industry in the area of polymer science and engineering. These types of interaction and collaboration enable faculty to be responsive to today's technological challenges and to jointly seek solutions with industry to the problems facing our nation and the world. They also serve to assure the university that its research programs being undertaken are current and relevant. These initial research interactions often result in more focused and specific research between industry and TEES.

Member companies will participate in the semi-annual technical meeting at College Station. PTC faculty members will take turn to present their cutting-edge research to the PTIC consortium members. All faculty members from TEES who are actively involved in polymer research activity will take turn to present at the semi-annual PTIC meeting. The consortium members will have direct website access to the PTC faculty presentations and publications. The consortium members will also enjoy discounted services, such as short courses, laboratory services, and consultation.

The annual fee for membership for each member company is \$5,000. Renewal of membership is on an annual basis at the option of each member company acting separately and individually.

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