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Additives and Internal Lubricants for Rubber: New Guide to Assist Manufacturers, Now Available from Axel, USA

A new brochure to assist compression molding, compounding, calendaring, natural rubber, synthetic rubber, thermoplastic elastomers, injection and transfer molding in selecting mold releases and internal lubricants is now available from Axel Plastics Research Laboratories, Inc., Woodside New York, USA.

This brochure was designed to serve as an easy to use reference guide that matches the Axel internal lubricants, processing aid or dispersion aid in powder and pellet or liquid to the rubber material that is to be processed.

According to Ms. Nancy Teufel, Senior Marketing Technical Support, "Axel has developed a multitude of mold releases and process aid additives. We want customers to be able to refer to our easy to read horizontal format to select the product for their specific rubber application."

Axel manufactures more than 600 different products and also does custom mold release engineering for an application when requested. Approximately 30 of the most often used Axel mold releases and process aid additives are matched with a wide array of rubber materials.

On the cover, the brochure features some popular manufactured rubber products such as an automotive gearshift cover; automotive hose; industrial flashlight grips; a remote control keypad and car floor mats.

All of Axel's products are better formulated from raw materials, which comply with the chemical substance inventory list of TOSCA, DSL, MITI, EINECS, Australia and Korea.

Axel manufactures hundreds of process-specific external release agents and internal lubricants for thermosets, thermoplastics and elastomers. With a network of 32 stocking distributors and technical support in 25 countries around the globe, the company encourages request for evaluation samples by visiting the Axel web site at: <http://www.axelplastics.com>.

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