



**National Voluntary  
Laboratory Accreditation Program**



**SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION TO ISO/IEC 17025:1999**

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**CALIBRATION LABORATORIES**

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**NVLAP Code:** 20/A01                      ANSI/NCSL Z540-1-1994; Part 1      Compliant

**DIMENSIONAL**

**NVLAP Code:** 20/D05  
Length

<b>Range</b>	<b>Best Uncertainty (<math>\pm</math>)<sup>note 1</sup></b>	<b>Remarks</b>
Laboratory and Field Service Calibration of Extensometers Extensometer Linear Calibrator 0 in to 1.0 in (0 mm to 25.4 mm)	(0.000012 + 0.000036 L) in	ASTM E83
Extensometer Gage Length 0 in to 4.0 in	0.00137 in	ASTM E83
0 in to 12.0 in	0.00177 in	ASTM E83
Laboratory and Field Service Calibration Crosshead / Actuator Travel 0 in to 24.0 in (0 mm to 600.9 mm)	0.00206 in	Digital Linear Scale

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Crosshead Speed / Actuator Speed

0 in/min to 40 in/min

(0 mm/min to 1000 mm/min)

0.00206 in

Displacement component using  
digital linear scale

125 ms

Time component by comparison  
to digital stopwatch

## MECHANICAL

NVLAP Code: 20/M06

Force

Range in lbs	Best Uncertainty ( $\pm$ ) in % <sup>note 1</sup>	Remarks
0.1 to 112 404	0.025	ASTM E74 <sup>note 8</sup>
0.1 to 300 000	0.05	ASTM E74 <sup>note 8</sup>
0.1 to 1 000 000	0.25	ASTM E4

Field Service Calibration of:

Devices	Range in lbs	Best Uncertainty ( $\pm$ ) in % <sup>note 1</sup>	Remarks
Tensile Testing Machines	to 1 000 000	0.25	ASTM E4

Compression Testers	to 1 000 000	0.25	ASTM E4
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	Range in N·m	Best Uncertainty ( $\pm$ ) in % <sup>note 1</sup>	Remarks
Torque	0.1 to 5000	0.05	

Field Service Calibration:

	0.1 to 5000	0.25	
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Field Service and Laboratory Calibration of Rockwell Hardness Testers - Indirect Hardness,  
ASTM E18, ISO 6508-2

	Range in Rockwell Units	Best Uncertainty ( $\pm$ ) in Rockwell Units <sup>notes 1,2</sup>
HRA	20 to 60	0.22
	60 to 80	0.12

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	80 to 88	0.11
HRBS	20 to 50	1.01
	40 to 60	0.73
	60 to 70	0.46
HRC	20 to 40	0.39
	40 to 60	0.32
	60 to 70	0.31
HRC <i>note 3</i>	26.18	0.18
	45.43	0.17
	64.54	0.17
HRD	40 to 55	0.19
	55 to 65	0.21
	65 to 77	0.14
HRES	50 to 80	0.56
	80 to 90	0.56
	90 to 100	0.55
HRFS	60 to 70	0.46
	70 to 85	0.46
	85 to 100	0.45
HRGS	27 to 80	0.71
	80 to 94	0.24
HRHS	80 to 95	0.60
	95 to 100	0.39
HRKS	40 to 85	0.66
	85 to 100	0.63
HRLS	100 to 120	0.35
	120 to 130	0.35
HRMS	80 to 110	0.52
	110 to 130	0.48
HRPS	58 to 100	0.84
	100 to 112	0.51
HRRS	100 to 120	0.32
	120 to 127	0.20
HRSS	100 to 120	0.65

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	120 to 125	0.14
HRVS	100 to 110	0.48
	110 to 121	0.17
HR15N	70 to 80	0.41
	80 to 90	0.20
	90 to 94	0.20
HR30B	42 to 60	0.40
	60 to 77.5	0.27
	77.5 to 86	0.27
HR45N	20 to 45	0.45
	45 to 66.5	0.45
	66.5 to 77	0.16
HR15TS	67 to 75	0.35
	75 to 85	0.35
	85 to 93	0.29
HR30TS	25 to 50	0.57
	50 to 70	0.72
	70 to 82	0.32
HR45TS	1 to 30	0.54
	30 to 50	0.67
	50 to 72	0.42
HR15WS	70 to 90	0.44
	90 to 100	0.54
HR30WS	60 to 80	0.80
	80 to 95	0.58
HR45WS	25 to 60	0.80
	60 to 95	0.94
HR15XS	80 to 90	0.56
	90 to 100	0.24
HR30XS	65 to 85	0.94
	85 to 100	0.14
HR45XS	50 to 85	0.70
	85 to 95	0.25
HR15YS	85 to 91	0.97

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	91 to 96	0.96
	96 to 100	0.47
HR30YS	75 to 90	0.59
	90 to 100	0.32
HR45YS	65 to 85	0.68
	85 to 100	0.24
Tungsten Carbide Balls		
HRBW	20 to 50	0.96
	50 to 75	0.65
	75 to 105	0.55
HREW	50 to 80	0.45
	80 to 90	0.50
	90 to 100	0.70
HRFW	60 to 70	0.55
	70 to 85	0.54
	85 to 100	0.55
HRGW	27 to 80	0.68
	80 to 94	0.18
HRHW	80 to 95	0.52
	95 to 100	0.42
HRKW	40 to 85	0.54
	85 to 100	0.30
HRLW	100 to 120	0.17
	120 to 130	0.12
HRMW	80 to 110	0.53
	100 to 130	0.41
HRPW	58 to 100	0.56
	100 to 112	0.34
HRRW	100 to 120	0.28
	120 to 127	0.21
HRSW	100 to 120	0.78
	120 to 125	0.05
HRVW	100 to 110	0.25
	110 to 121	0.25

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HR15TW	67 to 75	0.36
	75 to 85	0.24
	85 to 93	0.24
HR30TW	25 to 50	0.80
	50 to 70	0.47
	70 to 82	0.19
HR45TW	1 to 30	0.60
	30 to 50	0.36
	50 to 72	0.31
HR15WW	70 to 90	0.33
	90 to 100	0.33
HR30WW	60 to 95	0.40
HR45WW	25 to 60	0.75
	60 to 95	0.40
HR15XW	80 to 90	0.38
	90 to 100	0.10
HR30XW	65 to 85	0.83
	85 to 100	0.12
HR45XW	50 to 85	0.54
	85 to 95	0.11
HR15YW	85 to 91	0.32
	91 to 96	0.15
	96 to 100	0.15
HR30YW	80 to 100	0.22
HR45YW	65 to 100	0.45

### Field Service and Laboratory Calibration of Rockwell Hardness Testers

	<b>Range</b>	<b>Best Uncertainty (<math>\pm</math>)<sup>note 1</sup></b>	<b>Remarks</b>
Force	3 kgf to 150 kgf	0.25 %	ASTM E4 Direct verification of Force is applicable to all Rockwell Testers.
Depth	0 mm to 12 mm	0.0002 mm	Direct verification of Depth is limited to United True Blue II model hardness testers.

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Field Service and Calibration of Macro Vickers Hardness Testers, ASTM E384, ISO 6507-2

<b>Load</b>	<b>Range in HV</b>	<b>Best Uncertainty (<math>\pm</math>) in HV</b> <sup>notes 1,5</sup>	<b>Remarks</b>
1 kgf	263	7.5	
1 kgf	457	15.8	
1 kgf	717	25.0	
5 kgf	263	6.3	
5 kgf	457	10.6	
5 kgf	717	11.2	
10 kgf	264	4.8	
10 kgf	443	5.5	
10 kgf	717	10.6	

Field Service and Calibration of Macro Hardness Testers - Indirect Method  
KNOOP SCALE ASTM E384, ISO 4545

<b>Load</b>	<b>Range in HK</b>	<b>Best Uncertainty (<math>\pm</math>) in HK</b> <sup>notes 1,6</sup>	<b>Remarks</b>
100 gf	193	10.5	
100 gf	600	21.5	
200 gf	95	5.3	
200 gf	523	16.0	
300 gf	95	4.7	
300 gf	538	11.0	
500 gf	95	3.2	
500 gf	536	9.1	
1000 gf	528	9.6	

VICKERS SCALE ASTM E384 ISO 6507-2

<b>Load</b>	<b>Range in HV</b>	<b>Best Uncertainty (<math>\pm</math>) in HV</b> <sup>notes 1,6</sup>	<b>Remarks</b>
25 gf	110	6.5	
50 gf	106	4.9	
100 gf	194	9.1	
100 gf	541	15.1	
200 gf	95	5.3	

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200 gf	523	9.9
300 gf	193	5.2
300 gf	510	13.3
500 gf	193	5.2
500 gf	507	13.3
1000 gf	194	4.0
1000 gf	514	11.2

Field Service and Laboratory Calibration of Brinell Hardness Testers, ASTM E10, ISO 6506-2

	<b>Range in HBW</b>	<b>Best Uncertainty (<math>\pm</math>) in HBW<sup>note 1</sup></b>	<b>Remarks</b>
Force	3 kgf to 150 kgf	0.25 %	ASTM E4
Indentation Measuring System	0 mm to 7 mm	0.0008 mm	
Ball Measuring System	10 mm	0.0005 mm	

Field Service and Laboratory Calibration of Brinell Hardness Testers, ASTM E10, ISO 6506-2

<b>Load</b>	<b>Range in HBW</b>	<b>Best Uncertainty (<math>\pm</math>) in HBW<sup>notes 1,7</sup></b>	<b>Remarks</b>
500 kgf	15.0 to 100.0	3.8	
500 kgf	100.0 to 158.0	4.1	
3000 kgf	100.0 to 200.0	3.8	
3000 kgf	200.0 to 400.0	5.3	
3000 kgf	400.0 to 600.0	5.3	

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1. Represents an expanded uncertainty using a coverage factor,  $k = 2$ , at an approximate level of confidence of 95 %.
2. The HRC standardized test blocks used for verification are calibrated at the David Ellis Company Inc. Hardness Calibration Laboratory in accordance with ASTM E18 section C using NIST Rockwell HRC Standard References Materials (SRM) 2810, 2811, and 2812. All other Rockwell Scales are traceable to David L. Ellis Co. Inc. hardness levels through laboratory standardizing machines. The standardizing machines are directly verified according to ASTM E18 using devices that are traceable to NIST.
3. Scale is Rockwell HRC SRM'S 2810, 2811, and 2812 purchased from NIST and maintained by UTS/DTS.
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5. The standardized test blocks used for verification are calibrated in accordance with ASTM E92 using indenter / load combinations that are traceable to D. L. Ellis Co. hardness levels, through laboratory standardizing machines. The standardizing machines are directly verified according to ASTM E92 using devices that are traceable to NIST.
6. The standardized test blocks used for verification are calibrated in accordance with ASTM E384 using indenter / load combinations that are traceable to D. L. Ellis Co. hardness levels, through laboratory standardizing machines. The standardizing machines are directly verified according to ASTM E384 using devices that are traceable to NIST.
7. The standardized test blocks used for verification are calibrated in accordance with ASTM E10 using indenter / load combinations that are traceable to D. L. Ellis Co. hardness levels, through laboratory standardizing machines. The standardizing machines are directly verified according to ASTM E10 using devices to that are traceable NIST.
8. Different uncertainties are available depending upon which standards are used. Please contact the laboratory for more information.

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