

Tetramer is an advanced materials company located near Clemson, SC. Tetramer works with its partners to develop market-driven materials and transition those materials from the lab to the market or battlefield. With extensive R&D and manufacturing capabilities, Tetramer can serve as both a research partner and a vendor supplying developed materials. Additionally, Tetramer provides analytical services to support manufacturers in solving their materials-related challenges.







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DIFFERENTIATORS

Our team of scientists and engineers excel in materials **research and development** (TRL1-6), but we are differentiated by our ability to **scale up** (TRL 7-8) and **manufacture** (TRL 9) proprietary advanced materials.

TRL 1-2

TRL 3-4

TRL 5-6

TRL 7-

TRL9

From molecule to manufacturing, Tetramer supports our partners across every stage of the innovation process. We have developed materials products for diverse applications from low-calorie fat substitutes to coatings for fiber laser weapons.

We solve materials problems.

CORE COMPETENCIES

- Advanced Chemical Synthesis
- Design of Functional Materials
- Structure Property Relationships
- Formulation
- Process Research and Scale-up
- Regulatory
- Analytical Services

CAPABILITIES

20 years of advanced materials R&D and manufacturing experience.

24 scientists and engineers with backgrounds in organic, physical, polymer, and analytical chemistry, materials science, ceramic engineering, and chemical engineering.

- 18,000 ft² facility with >6,500 ft² wet lab
- Analytical Lab on site with full time staff providing chemical, electrical, optical, and thermomechanical characterization
- Access to Electron Microscopy Facility
- Environmental Chambers and Accelerated Lifetime Testing
- ISO 9001:2015 Certified QMS
- NIST SP 800-171 and CMMC Level 3 Cybersecurity Program
- DCAA Approved Accounting System
- Full-Time Facilities Security Officer

DUNS: 112087726 CAGE: 3H0U7 NAICS Codes:

541715 - Research & Development in the Engineering, and Life Sciences (except National Biotechnology)

541713 - Research & Development in N **325211** - Plastics Material, Resin Manuf **541380** – Testing Laboratories

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TETRAMER® ANALYTICAL SERVICES

Having a problem with a material? Whether you are trying to understand a failure mechanism in an adhesive, why a coating is blistering, or how to better characterize a material for patent protection, we can help.

We provide custom, investigative analytical support through root cause analyses, deformulation studies, process characterization, and quality evaluations. Our onsite analytical laboratory includes an in-house support network of PhD and MS Analytical and Organic Chemists and Material Scientists. Our background in Materials R&D and Process Research provides a unique capability for analysis of materials throughout the value chain.

INVESTIGATIVE ANALYSIS

We provide in-depth characterization of materials, products, and processing. In addition to a broad range of analytical instrumentation and characterization equipment, our team has a deep understanding of synthetic organic chemistry, ceramic and chemical engineering, optical materials, paints and coatings, adhesives, advanced membrane technologies, materials science, solid state physics, and more that enables the study of unique materials challenges.



WE BRING CLARITY TO YOUR COMPLEX MATERIALS AND PROCESSING CHALLENGES.

Root Cause Analysis

Deformulation Study

Process Characterization

Quality Evaluation



COOPERATIVE APPROACH

Our team works to form interactive relationships with customers to develop a complete understanding of their technical challenges. This cooperative approach enables a thorough identification of factors affecting customers' materials and helps us to develop effective strategies for improving the reliability and profitability of their products.

Materials often require innovative approaches to identify and characterize technical issues. Tetramer can develop outside-the-box analytical methods to provide more complete and meaningful data sets for problem solving.



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CUSTOMER FEEDBACK

"I have to say you [Tetramer] are more responsive than any other "lab"/research organization that I have dealt with; that is highly appreciated."

Senior Materials Engineer | Tier 1 DOD Supplier

"There are many companies that have technical test capabilities and expensive machines but can't follow through to help educate a customer through a transparent exchange of ideas. I think this really sets your team apart from other companies we've worked with. I've found the recent project interesting, engaging, and quite honestly, a fun learning experience."

John Earl | Director of Engineering | Techtronic Industries



FACILITIES & CAPABILITIES

Tetramer's facilities, located in Anderson County near Clemson, SC, include more than 7000 ft² of laboratory space furnished with 20 chemical hoods, fully-equipped reactors, a Class 1000 clean room, environmental test chambers, as well as established access to additional capabilities at nearby Clemson University.

Tetramer's comprehensive in-house analytical laboratory is staffed by full-time analytical chemists. Our depth of instrumentation enables high through-put of analytical testing. This results in quick turn-around times for analyses and the ability to provide customers with rapid feedback on time-sensitive projects.

CHEMICAL/PHYSICAL **CHARACTERIZATION**

- Chromatography (HPLC, GPC, GC)
- Rheology
- Universal Mechanical Testing (Instron)
- Particle Size Analysis (DLS)
- **Gas Permeation Testing**
- X-Ray Diffraction

THERMOMECHANICAL ANALYSIS

- Thermogravimetric Analysis
- Differential Scanning Calorimetry
- Thermomechanical Analysis
- Dynamic Mechanical Analysis

METHOD DEVELOPMENT

- Polymer Characterization
- **Accelerated Aging**
- Deformulation



OPTICAL CHARACTERIZATION

- Vibrational Spectroscopy (UV-Vis, FTIR)
- Fluorescence Spectroscopy
- Abbe Refractometry

MICROSCOPY

- Optical
- Cross-Polarized
- SEM / TEM / EDS / FIB / XPS