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# Positive Material Identification (PMI)

With over 30 years of metallurgical testing experience and an extensive metallurgical laboratory, Partek can provide Positive Material Identification (PMI) and Grade Identification at our laboratory or customer job site.



### PMI

Partek's spectrometer detects wave lengths of carbon to provide full characteristics of:

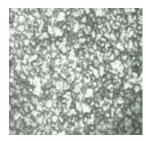
- Carbon & Alloy Steels
- Nickel Base Alloys
- Stainless Steels

Tool Steel

Aluminum Alloys

### Grade Identification

Partek performs hardness and chemical analyses to identify any specific ASTM/API grade material.



### Field Metallographic Replication

Partek uses a nondestructive sampling procedure that records and preserves the topography of a metallographic specimen to determine the stress

limits of metals. Our field metallographic replication services are especially useful to the fabrication industry for rolling metals.



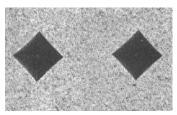
Partek's portable equipment allows the company to conduct ASTM Grade Identification and Grade Analysis at your job site.

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## POSITIVE MATERIAL DENTIFICATION (PMI)



Vickers, 400x magnification



Knoop, 400x magnification

### **Microhardness Testing**

- Vickers
- Knoop

### **Macrohardness Testing**

- Rockwell
- Brinell

### **Metallographic Examination**

#### **Photographic Archival Equipment**



Rockwell



Brinell



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