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Materials Engineering, Failure Analysis and Failure Prevention Services

Investigation Planning, Failure Analysis

Failure Prevention Planning: materials characterization, design philosophy, etc.

Failure Analysis Training: Custom programs

Contamination Troubleshooting

Characterization of Structural Components

Full Metallurgical / Metallographic Lab

Laboratory and Miscellaneous Services

Scanning Electron Microscopy and EDS Microchemical Analysis
Macro and Micro Fractography / Optical Microscopy
Identification of Unknowns and Contaminants
Semi-automated NIST Traceable Knoop Testing
Quality Audit Team Support/ P and DFMEA Team Support
Laboratory Personnel Training (failure analysis and metallography)

NEW: Leco AP200 METALLOGRAPHIC POLISHER-

FOR LARGE MOUNTS- 2 x 3 inches

NEW Zeiss Optical Metallograph: 25-1000x



JEOL JSM 5800LV

Scanning

Electron Microscope &

Oxford AZtec

low element

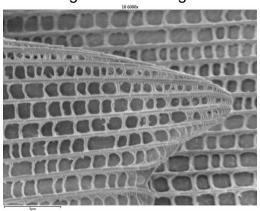
EDS

microchemical

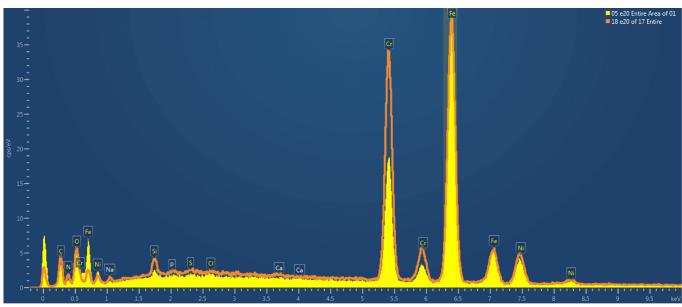
analyzer



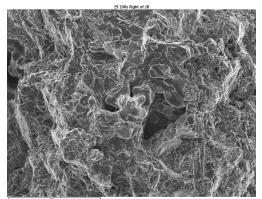
SEM Image of Moth Wing



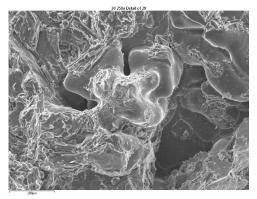




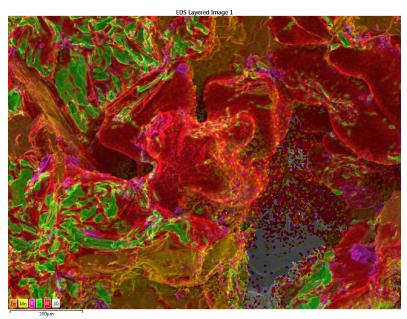
Side by side comparison of a heavy chromium area on some stainless steel. Semi-quantitative data available.



100x View of Shrinkage Void in aluminum casting. (SEM)



250x View of center of image at left.



Element map of same area shown above right. Note iron (Fe) sludge particle lower center. Silicon rich particles are shown in green. Oxford AZtec EDS map.