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Amber Composites and Arkema Collaborate on State of the Art Prepreg Systems New Prepreg To Utilize Graphistrength™ Multi-Wall Carbon Nanotubes

Amber Composites and Arkema have entered into a collaborative agreement to develop the next generation of high performance prepreg systems based on Arkema's Graphistrength™ multi-wall carbon nanotubes and Amber's proprietary resins.

Prepreg systems enhanced with carbon nanotubes exhibit extraordinary mechanical, electrical, and thermal properties. Lower weight, higher toughness and improved impact resistance are the focus of Amber and Arkema's development.

Multi-wall carbon nanotubes consist of graphitic sheets that have been rolled into a cylindrical shape. Arkema's Graphistrength™ nanotubes are approximately 10nm in diameter and are a few micrometers in length.

About Amber Composites

Amber Composites is a leading manufacturer of composite materials for the creation of high performance, lightweight structures. With over 20 years of experience, Amber provides materials and technical expertise to a diverse set of industries, including Motorsport, Automotive, Aerospace, Communications, Marine and Wind Energy.

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About Arkema

A world-class chemical concern, **Arkema** combines three strategically related, integrated businesses: Vinyl Products, Industrial Chemicals and Performance Products. With operations in more than 40 countries and 18,400 employees, the company reported revenue of €5.7 billion in 2005. Leveraging six research centers in France, the United States and Japan and internationally recognized brands, Arkema holds leadership positions in each of its principal markets.

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