

## WHAT WE DO

Through networking, research, knowledge sharing and more, we help our members, other manufacturers and consumers make the most of the versatile, durable material that is cast polyurethane.



## WHY PMA?

Looking for return on your investment? By taking advantage of these valuable member benefits, you can actually make money by joining the PMA. Processor Membership is only \$825 annually. **Don't leave money on the table—join today!**

As if that weren't enough... there are **countless** intangible benefits that simply cannot be measured including:


- **Networking**
- **Self-Certification program**
- **Exposure to new and emerging technologies**
- **Sharing of best practices amongst Processor members**
- **Direct contact with customers, suppliers, and industry peers**
- **Essential updates and information**
  - **Chemical regulation updates**
  - **Environmental updates and industry specific analysis**
  - **Quarterly Polytopics newsletters**
  - **MOCA Use document**
  - **Virtual Technical Library access**
- **Exclusive access to over 300 Technical Papers**


## RETURN ON INVESTMENT

- \$1,300** Complimentary attendance for up to two staff attending Processing Technique Seminars. (in even numbered years)
- \$1,000** Discounted fees for exhibit space at Annual Meeting.
- \$500** Discount attendance to Annual Meeting.
- \$700** Industry Related Legal advice and Regulatory and Health & Safety Information from Donald Gallo of Axley Brynson LLP. (2 complimentary hours for each PMA member annually)


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Membership in the Polyurethane Manufacturers Association is hereby made for: (Full legal name of firm, corporation, partnership, individual or type of business enterprise applying for membership)

Company \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip/Country \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Company Web Site \_\_\_\_\_

Length of time company has been active in the polyurethane elastomers industry \_\_\_\_\_

Person in charge of your polyurethane operation (CEO, Product Manager, etc.):

Name/Title \_\_\_\_\_

Categories described in right panel, please check one.

Processor  Supplier  Service Supplier  Academic  Associate

Applicant certifies that the bylaws of the Polyurethane Manufacturers Association (PMA), (located at [www.pmahome.org](http://www.pmahome.org)) have been read, understood and accepted; and upon becoming a member of PMA, Applicant agrees to be bound by the provisions thereof applicable to it. Applicant further agrees upon becoming a PMA member, to pay all fees, association dues, and assessments when they are due.

Applicant understands that to be eligible for PMA, the membership requirements set out in PMA's bylaws must be met. Applicant certifies that the applicable bylaw membership requirements are met and submits the following information to demonstrate eligibility for membership.

**Members joining during the year pay a pro-rated share of the annual dues:**

**1st Quarter:** Full Dues • **2nd Quarter:** 75% Dues

**3rd Quarter:** 50% Dues • **4th Quarter:** 25% Dues

**The nature of your business is:**

- Processor (materials or equipment)
- Supplier (materials, additives or equipment)
- Service Supplier (services, research, consultant, etc.)
- Academic
- Associate (*only for individual persons, not employed full-time with a current or potential company that meets the criteria for membership*)
- Other - Please Explain \_\_\_\_\_

What is the primary end product manufactured, or service performed by your company?  
\_\_\_\_\_

What industries are served by your product? \_\_\_\_\_

Any past, present, or future uses of polyurethane? \_\_\_\_\_

**Applicant states that all data is true and correct, and understands that by authorizing/providing the information listed above, consent to its receipt of communications sent by or on behalf of PMA (and its subsidiaries and affiliates) and Svinicki Association Management, Inc. (and its subsidiaries and affiliates). This consent remains in effect until specifically terminated in writing by an authorized person.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

## Membership Categories & Dues Amounts

All amounts are listed in USD.

**NOTE:** Processor and Supplier Members shall have all the rights, privileges and responsibilities of membership.

### Processor Membership

Corporations, partnerships or other types of business enterprises are eligible for Processor Membership if they manufacture products from polyurethane elastomers, and a majority of their net sales from activities relating to polyurethane elastomers are derived from such manufacturing.

**Processor Membership Dues: \$825**

### Supplier Membership

Corporations, partnerships or other types of business enterprises are eligible for Supplier Membership if a majority their net sales from activities relating to polyurethane elastomers is derived from one of the following activities:

- Manufacture materials, additives or equipment used in the polyurethane elastomer industry; or
- Distribute or supply polyurethane products, or materials, additives or equipment used in the polyurethane elastomer industry.

**Supplier Membership Dues:**

Annual urethane related sales are under a half million: **\$1,100**

Annual urethane related sales between a half million and five million: **\$2,750**

Annual urethane related sales over five million: **\$5,500**

### Service Supplier Membership

Corporations, partnerships or other types of business enterprises are eligible for Service Supplier Membership if a majority of their net sales from activities relating to polyurethane elastomers is derived from rendering services such as consulting, publishing, laboratory or testing services, education or research services or other services to the polyurethane elastomers industry.

**Service Supplier Membership Dues:**

Annual urethane related sales are under \$300,000: **\$825**

Annual urethane related sales between \$300,000 and one million: **\$1,500**

Annual urethane related sales over one million: **\$2,750**

### Academic Membership

Persons currently within the academic community are eligible for Academic Membership upon approval by the Board of Directors. Academic Members shall have all the rights, privileges and responsibilities of membership except the right to hold office and vote.

**Academic Membership Dues: \$165**

### Associate Membership

Persons who desire to either remain or become active in the Association, who are in a position to assist the Association in achieving its goals and who are approved annually by the Board are eligible for Associate Membership, provided they are not employed, full-time, with a General Member at the time they become Associate Members and do not meet the requirements of any other membership category. Associate Members shall have all the rights, privileges and responsibilities of membership except the right to hold office and vote unless otherwise determined by the Board of Directors.

**Associate Membership Dues: \$55**