

# APPENDIX A PARTICLE SIZE MEASUREMENTS<sup>a</sup> ON ZINC OXIDE PIGMENTS BY VARIOUS METHODS

	F-1601	K-1602	G-1603	KH-1604
$d_1$ by direct microscopic measurement <sup>b,f</sup> .....	0.28	0.34	0.79	1.86
$d_2$ by adsorption of methyl stearate <sup>c</sup> .....	0.19	0.24	0.55	4.5
$d_3$ by liquid permeability measurement <sup>d,f</sup> .....	0.12	0.15	0.25	1.25
$d_4$ by nitrogen adsorption <sup>e</sup>				
Using area (L) values .....	0.115	0.124	0.28	1.68
Using area (S) values .....	0.135	0.145	0.33	1.97
$D$ by direct microscopic measurement <sup>b,g</sup> .....	0.21	0.25	0.49	1.39
$D$ by ultramicroscopic count <sup>b,g</sup> .....	0.135	0.16	0.26	0.82 <sup>h</sup>

<sup>a</sup> All values given in microns.

<sup>b</sup> Values from New Jersey Zinc Co.

<sup>c</sup> Values from W. W. Ewing.

<sup>d</sup> Values from P. C. Carman.

<sup>e</sup> P. H. Emmett and T. DeWitt, "Determination of Surface Areas: Pigments, Carbon Blacks, Cement, and Miscellaneous Finely Divided or Porous Materials," *Industrial and Engineering Chemistry*, Analytical Edition, Vol. 13, p. 28 (1941).

<sup>f</sup> Carman uses  $X_m$  and  $d_m$  to differentiate between microscopic ( $X_m$ ) and permeability ( $d_m$ ) methods. For spherical particles,  $X_m$ ,  $d_m$ , and  $d_3$  all may be defined as the diameter of a particle having the same specific surface as the powder.

<sup>g</sup>  $\bar{D}$  = average particle diameter indicating average volume per particle.

<sup>h</sup> This pigment is beyond the size range of materials that should be measured in the ultramicroscope.