



# Appendix A

# Global Supplier Manual Glossary & Acronyms





#### GLOSSARY OF TERMS AND ACRONYMS

Term / Acronym	Definition
Accredited Laboratory	Is one that has been reviewed and approved by a nationally recognized accreditation body or, as an alternative, a SMR recognized accreditation body, conforming to ISO.IEC Guide 58 for calibration, or test laboratory accreditation to ISO/IEC 17025 or national equivalent.
Active Part	Is a part currently being supplied for original equipment or service applications? The part remains active until tooling scrap authorization is given by SMP. For parts with no SMP-owned tooling or situations where multiple parts are made from the same tool, written confirmation from the SMP Purchasing activity is required to deactivate a part. <b>Note</b> : For bulk materials, "active part" refers to the bulk material contracted, not the parts that are subsequently produced from the material.
AIAG	Automotive Industry Action Group A North American automotive organization composed of component suppliers and OEM automotive manufacturers, which publishes standardize processes/ procedures.
AL	Assessment Level
APQP	Advanced Product Quality Planning A structure activity that plans, tracks and reports the development of a process to manufacture a component/material/assembly to meet customer requirements.
Appearance Item	Is a product that is visible once the end-item is assembled? Certain appearance items will be identified on engineering drawings. In these cases special approval is required for appearance (grain, gloss, texture, etc.).
ASN	Advance Shipping Notice An EDI transaction that contains various information regarding the shipment of parts/materials.
Bulk Material	Is a substance (ie; a non-dimensional solid, liquid, gas) such as adhesives, sealants, chemicals, coatings, fabrics, lubricants, etc. A bulk material may become a production material is issued a SMP production part number (see Production Material).
BIP	Business improvement process
B2B	Business to Business
ВОМ	Bill of Material



ccc	China Compulsory Certification
COP (carry over part)	Any material that is currently being used and that is planned to be used for the next model year also, a period of downtime between model years production required to make necessary facility and tooling changes as well as material relocations to facilitate the new model program.
Characteristics	Any distinctive property or attribute of a product, process or service that can be described or measured to determine conformance and nonconformance to specified requirements.
Conflict Minerals	Minerals that originate from the Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC) and Adjoining countries, as listed on http://www.conflictfreesmelter.org/
Cpk	Process Capability Index. The capability index for a stable process (in-process / long term).
CSL	Controlled Shipping Level
D-FMEA	Design Failure Mode and Effect Analysis A document generated during the design phase that identifies and establishes controls for potential failures in a component/material/assembly.
Disposition	An action to determine how a nonconformance is to be resolved
DMN	Defective Material Notice A product(s) non-fulfillment of a specified requirement.
DMR	Defective Material Report Supplier Rejection
DSAT	Documents with Special Archiving Time
DVP&R	Design Validation Plan & Report
DWI	Department Work Instructions
EDI	Electronic Data Interchange Method of communication information by using computers to transmit coded data.
ELV / IMDS	End-of-Vehicle-Life / International Materials Data System. ELV is a regulatory requirement to eliminate hazardous materials from current production components. IMDS is the data system used to collect and report on the materials that make up components and assemblies.
Error-Proofing	Error-Proofing is the use of techniques during the design phase of a product to ensure the product will function as intended for the useful life of the product and that the product can only be assembled or manufactured per design intent with the least risk for an error during processing.
EQ	Engineering Specification

ES Engineering Specification



Expendable Containers	All shipping devices such as drums, skids, pallets, reels, boxes, racks, bags, etc., not requested to be returned.
FIFO	First In First Out
FTT	First Time Through
GR&R	Gage R&R Gage Repeatability & Reproducibility
IATF	International Automotive Task Force
ILO	International Labour Organization
IQ Meeting	Incoming Quality Meeting
ISIR	Initial Sample Inspection Report
ISO	International Organization for Standardization
KAIZEN	The Japanese term for improvement. Continuous improvement involving everyone managers and workers. In manufacturing, Kaizen relates to finding and eliminating waste in Inventory, Waiting, Over-production, Inappropriate processes, defects, transportation and movement or production methods and processes.
LPA	Layered Process Audit
LEAN Manufacturing	It is a system of operation, which is appropriate for an organization, regardless of size in the manufacturing and service sectors. It concentrates on the concept that all activities carried out within the business should maximize the opportunity to Add-Value and that any Non-Added Value activities should be minimized, and ideally eliminated.
Mistake-Proofing	Mistake-Proofing is the use of 100% effective techniques, methods and devices that prevents mistakes (primary) or detects mistakes (secondary) at the source or as near the source as feasible, and prevents the movement of products with mistakes to the next steps in the process.
Nonconformance	deficiency in characteristics, documentation or procedure, which renders the quality of a product or service unacceptable or undetermined. Examples of non-conformances are: physical defects, test failures, inadequate documentation, and deviations from prescribed processing or from any other part of the program.



NDA	Non-Disclosure Agreement
NPI	New Product Introduction
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
OEM	Original Equipment Manufacturer Applies to automotive corporations, i.e., BMW, Ford, Daimler-Chrysler, GM, Volkswagen, Audi, etc.
PDT	Product Development Team A cross-functional team charged with bringing a new program/model from award of Business through to volume production. This team can also include sub-suppliers to assist in design, costs, innovation, VA/VE, and production, etc.
P-FMEA	Process Failure Mode and Effects Analysis A team process that identifies and controls potential failures before the product goes Into production.
РО	Purchase Order
PPAP	Production Part Approval Process A defined process for the validation of new materials and subsequent process changes.
Ppm	Parts per milion
Ppk	Process Capability Index The performance index of a process (short term). Normally used as part of the PPAP process.
Production material	Is a material which has been issued a production part number by Visiocorp and is Shipped directly to SMP.
PSCR	Product Safety & Conformity Representative
PSW	Part Submission Warrant
PV	Process Validation
QMS	Quality Management System
REACH	Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals
RGA	Reifegradabsicherung (Maturity level validation)
SC	Significant Characteristic
SMG	Samvardhana Motherson Group
SMP	Samvardhana Motherson Peguform



SPES	Supplier Perfomance Evaluation System
SPC	statistical process control
SQA	Supplier Quality Assurance
SRES	Supplier Risk Evaluation System
Shall	Use of the word "shall" indicates mandatory requirements
Shipping / Parts Identification Label	A label used to identify the contents of a shipped container (box, carton, pallet, etc.)
Should	Use of the word "should" indicates recommended requirements.
SPC	Statistical Process Control A group of analytical tools and methodologies that can be used to understand, improve, predict and control
Supplier	Organization supplying directly to SMP
Sub-Supplier	Organization supplying to SMP supplier
TISAX	Trusted Information Security Assessment Exchange
TGR	Things Gone Right
TGW	Things Gone Wrong
VDA	Verband der Automobilindustrie (International Standard)