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Dordan Manufacturing Introduces Two New Resins to its Bio Resin Show ‘N Tell at Pack Expo 2011

Pack Expo is produced by PMMI, which is a trade association with more than 560 members representing packaging material manufacturers, converters, machinery suppliers and service providers across the packaging supply chain.

Las Vegas—September 26, 2011—Dordan Manufacturing introduces two new resins to its Bio Resin Show ‘N Tell at Pack Expo 2011, booth #S-6007. First unveiled at Pack Expo 2010, the Show ‘N Tell consisted of four bio-based/biodegradable/compostable resins converted via thermoforming with associated specs, environmental profiles and cost comparative provided. This year, Dordan adds two new materials to the exhibit, Klöckner Pentaplast’s TerraPET® and Microgreen Polymers’ Aeris InCycle. The first allows customers to replace fossil fuel based material with up to 30% plant based material; the second is an expanded/foamed RPET with impressive sustainability implications due to lightweight.

Dordan began sampling non-traditional resins early 2010 in response to inquiries from clients and a desire to stay informed about contemporary packaging trends. From material specs to price point and resin feedstock to end of life certification, all pertinent information was collected to inform Dordan’s clients of the realities of these non-traditional resins.

Due to Dordan’s ethic of corporate transparency and commitment to elevating the dialogue about sustainable packaging, Dordan shared its R&D on bio-based/biodegradable/compostable resins at Pack Expo 2010 in its first Bio Resin Show ‘N Tell exhibit. By including thermoformed samples of each non-traditional resin alongside associated material properties, attendees were able to see, touch and play, allowing for a better understanding of the application to market. Dordan is excited to announce that the Bio Resin Show ‘N Tell is back by popular demand for Pack Expo 2011, this time with a total of six non-traditional resins.

Dordan CEO Daniel Slavin explains, “We have found a lot of interest in these ‘environmentally friendly’ materials and with more and more being developed, we feel it is important to provide our clients with all the information so they can make informed decisions that may help them achieve their definition of sustainable packaging.”

Dordan’s 2011 Bio Resin Show ‘N Tell includes: Cellulous Acetate, PHA, PLA, PLA & starch, TerraPET®, and Aeris InCycle. Visit Dordan in the Brand Zone at booth #S-6007 to experience

this interactive exhibit and learn more about the available bio-based/biodegradable/compostable resins on the market today!

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About Dordan Manufacturing Co. Inc.

Incorporated in 1962, Dordan is a Midwestern based, National supplier of custom design thermoformed packaging solutions for a variety of industries. 3rd generation family owned and operated, Dordan prides itself on it's commitment to thermoforming excellence and thought leadership status within the industry. For more information, visit www.Dordan.com.

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