



Pre-Testing Helmet Information Form

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Please supply the following information with all helmet submissions to insure expedient and accurate information for completion of your testing. Please complete, (in Ink) one form per manufactured size.

Snell License Holder (Helmet Owner):

Contact: e-mail:

Address 1:

Address 2:

City: State/Province: Postal Code:

Country: Phone: Fax:

Production Information:

Model Name: Manufactured Size(s):

Size(s) in centimeters:
(## - ##)cm *required for 2010 standards

Marketing Information: (Marketing Brands and Models)

Sold as Brand(s):

Sold as Model(s): Sold As Size(s):

Table with 8 columns for helmet standards: M2010, SA2010, SAH2010, SA2005, K2010, RS-98, S-98, N-94, B-90A, B-90C, B-95A, B-95C, B-90TT, B-95TT, E2001, H2000, CMR2007, CMS2007, Other.

Type of Test: (Check all appropriate items)

Cetification Prototype Modification Evaluation Other

Total Number of Samples Submitted: (See instructions)

Helmet Positioning Index: mm. (Distance from headform basic plane to front edge of helmet.)

HPI Headform to Use: ISO - A C E J M O DOT - S M L

Shell and Liner Material(s):

Helmet Disposition: Return all helmets Return fail helmets Destroy all helmets

Return Instructions:

Other Instructions:

Submitted By: Date:
(Signature of Manufacturer Representative)

Please Contact us with any questions.

1 These Items are subject to the inspection and approval of the Snell Memorial Foundation testing facility.



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Instructions

The Snell Memorial Foundation laboratory requires that the following information is supplied with each helmet submission. Please complete the attached information sheet and **enclose a copy with the test samples**. This information is vital to help us respond to your testing needs in a timely, efficient manner. The following are brief descriptions of the information required for testing. If you have any additional inquiries regarding this form or any other test procedures, please contact the Foundation.

Please utilize this form when submitting helmets for testing. Failure to provide accurate information with this request may result in the incorrect information being utilized for your tests, and may cause delays.

Helmet Owner, Snell License Holder, Address and Contact Information: Enter the name and address of the organization that is, or will be the party named on an executed Snell Memorial Foundation certification licensing agreement, or is the legal owner of the helmet. A legal owner is an individual or organization that has specific rights to designs, and/or manufacturing and distribution processes of the submitted helmet model. The licensee is responsible for all compliance issues associated with licensing. Please include all contact information.

Production Information:

Model Name: The internal name that this model helmet is produced, or is to be certified under.

Manufactured Size: Refers to a production, or internal size designation for this helmet. (Some helmets are given a size based on its design criteria which is not the size it will be sold as.)

Size(s) in Centimeters: The Snell 2010 standards, as well as the CMS and CMR standards demand that helmets are marked with ranges in centimeters (cm). The cm size range must be provided with each set of helmets submitted in the format ##-## cm. The cm size range for each tested structure will determine which size headform(s) that the helmet will be tested on. For example, a single certified structure may be manufactured to encompass cm size ranges 54-58 cm. The structure would be tested on the ISO E and the ISO J headforms. Please see applicable standard for additional details.

Marketing Information:

Sold As Brand: For OEM's where the certified helmet will be marketed under other brand names, please provide all alternate brand designations.

Sold As Model Names: Please provide any model names that this helmet will be sold, distributed or marketed under. All certified helmet model/sizes are published on our lists of certified helmets which we make available to the general public on our internet WEB site. Licensees are required to keep the Foundation informed of the discontinuation of market names and brands, and the addition of new names that certified helmets will be marketed under. Please be mindful of spelling, capitalization and special characters. The name will appear as provided.

Sold As Size(s): The size designation(s) this helmet will be distributed and sold as to the consumer market.

Type of Test:

Certification - Samples of each shell/liner configuration tested to a particular Snell standard to receive certification testing to that standard.

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Prototype - One or more samples to the manufacturer's specifications to see if the helmet may meet the requirements of the designated standard. (This test is for information purposes only. Passing prototype tests do not indicate that a helmet meets any of the certification requirements).

Modification - A predetermined number of helmet samples sent to view and/or test, to determine the acceptability of a structural, or physical modification of a previously Snell certified helmet.

Evaluation - A general term for visual inspections, or non-destructive tests, that are performed to determine whether certain aspects or designs are acceptable, or if more destructive testing is necessary.

Other - Any testing not categorized above.

Standards:

B-90A or C, B-95A or C -	Cycling (Meets all CPSC criteria)
B-90TT or B-95TT -	Competitive Track Cycling – Not for road use.
N-94A -	Non-Motorized Vehicular Activities
K2010 -	For Use in Karting
SA2005 -	Special Applications (Competitive Automotive Racing)* As of March 1, 2012 for helmets meeting FIA 8860-2010 only.
SA2010 -	Special Applications (Competitive Automotive Racing)
SAH2010 -	Special Applications (Competitive Automotive Racing) with FHR
M2010 -	Motorcycling, and other Motorized Vehicles
H2000 -	Harness Racing.
S-98 -	Competitive Skiing, Snowboarding and Other Winter Sports
RS-98 -	Recreational Skiing, Snowboarding and Other Winter Sports
E2001 -	Equestrian, Horse Riding
L-98 (draft)-	Low Powered Vehicles, Moped (50cc or less)
CMR2007 -	Snell/FIA Children's Motorsports Helmet Standard (automotive)
CMS2007 -	Snell/FIA Children's Motorsports Helmet Standard (motorcycle/motorsport)

{ "A" or "C" indicates that you are requesting Certification with supplemental tests, to demonstrate compliance to the Consumer Product Safety Commission's standard for adult or child cycling helmets. A-Adult >5 yrs., C-Child 1-5 yrs.

* indicates that these are proposed draft standards.

Other Standards:

FIA 8858-2010	FIA standard for Frontal Head Restraints used in competitive auto racing.
FIA 8860-2010	FIA Advanced Helmet standard used in competitive auto racing.

Number of Samples submitted:

Total number of helmets in ready, or near to ready for sale condition, for each manufactured model/size sent for testing. ** **Please see standard for details**

Six (6) or eight (8) samples depending on sizes included in certification group;

B-90A, B-90C, B-95A, B-95C, N-94, K2010, SA2010, SAH2010 (add 2 helmets) and E2001

Five (5) or seven (7) samples depending on sizes included in certification group.

S-98, RS-98, H2000, and L-98 M2010, CMR2007, CMS2007



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Shell and liner Material(s):

Indicate the material(s) the outer shell and the shock absorbing liner are constructed of. In cases of non-shelled, or soft shelled helmets, the liner and shell are the same.

(Bead type and color refer to the materials that are being used in the Shell/liner, ex. grey expanded polystyrene, black polypropylene, etc. . .)

Helmet Positioning Index or HPI:

The HPI is used to determine the correct positioning of the helmet on a particular headform. The manufacturer may provide this information to the Foundation, but will be reviewed to determine suitability. If an HPI is not supplied, the test technician will determine one which is suitable for that helmet, based on the headform used and appropriate fit. The designated HPI will be used for the certification, and all concurrent testing performed on that model and size helmet. Helmets may have more than one HPI if it is designed to fit more than one head size, or if the size is between two headform sizes.

HPI Definition:

The HPI is the distance on an appropriately selected headform as described in the designated standard, from the basic plane, at the intersection of the basic and longitudinal planes, in the front, to the front edge of the helmet. (See relevant standard for plane descriptions). The front helmet edge shall not extend so low that it impinges into an upward field of vision, nor can any part of the helmet interfere with any downward visual field requirements unless specifically allowed by the standard. This field is designated by the standard being tested to and is unique to each headform.

HPI Headform to Use:

This indicates the proper headform that helmet manufacturer designates to determine the helmets HPI. If a headform is not specified, the test technician will use their best judgment as to which headform the helmet best fits. The HPI headform is NOT necessarily the test headform that will be used to conduct testing. It is the headform on which the HPI will be designated for that helmet.

Note: As stated, if a manufacturer chooses an HPI and/or test headform, these specifications are subject to the approval of the Snell Memorial Foundation's technical staff.

Helmet Disposition:

Please indicate how tested helmet samples will be handled after testing is completed. If helmets are to be returned, please indicate preferred method of shipping, (The Foundation uses UPS, but will try to accommodate alternate methods.) All transport costs are the responsibility of the helmet owner. Please add any special instructions, or any other special shipping needs you have.

Other Instructions:

In this field, record any comments or instructions you may wish to convey to us such as prototype instructions or questions regarding the testing.

Signature of Authorized Manufacturer Representative:

Please sign each form submitted to signify that the indicated testing services, or applications for certification have been requested. This signature indicates that the manufacturer accepts responsibility for all charges associate with the services requested and performed. Regardless of test results, certification is only granted by official notification by The Snell Memorial Foundation, Inc.