

Did you know that

At GAMMA we are happy because we finished year 2008 not only beating the record sales of history but also opening markets with great potential?

Thanks to all our Clients and Suppliers for helping us to be better!

Be careful before buying polymeric insulators

We would respectfully suggest to you that before buying or allowing others to buy Polymeric Insulators review with attention the technical specifications of products being offered to you.

It is important to demand a copy of the results of tests carried out in internationally accepted laboratories and verify that they are not only delivering values of dry and wet tension, mechanical resistance, and flammability, but everything required by the IEC 61109 or equivalent standards of international recognition.

Do not forget to request ISO 9001 Certification from the manufacturer.

The certificate of conformity of product with standard IEC61109 or other equivalent is the only document that includes all necessary tests to make technical assessment of the product.

News from GAMMA

What 2008 has left us

- We made first sales to: Iran, China, Chile and Brazil.
- We reached highest company levels of sales in history.
- We started manufacturing POLYMERIC Insulators.
- We successfully concluded 3 projects of CORONA Kit.

- We were chosen as the best suppliers of Siemens.
- We improved our Web page.
- We improved the company portal.
- We started expansion of TPM to all company.
- We increased production capacity by 5%.

Results from Satisfaction Survey 2008

At GAMMA Corona Insulators, we make a satisfaction survey every year in order to identify, with the help of our customers, our strengths and weaknesses, both in service and product, with the purpose of helping us to improve everyday.

In 2008, and after a preliminary study, we identified series of attributes relevant (CTQ'S) to customers. Based on these attributes we modified the instrument being used and measured a set of really important variables for our customers.

Is with great pride that we inform you that, despite changes in methodology (this is more demanding) business image reached 88 per cent, index service 87% and product 89%, maintaining customer satisfaction in the upper quartile.

We appreciate the assessment that they give to our company. We appreciate the sincerity of their responses, we are satisfied knowing that their opinion is so positive and we hope to continue improving continuously.

Achieving excellence is our challenge.

Fulfilling 365 days without accidents

We are happy: "The Creative", one of the teams of the company applying TPM methodology, has served 365 days with zero accidents.

TPM, one of the tools making up the Corona kit, aims not only at optimizing productivity but also at team working in a clean and safe way.

News from CORONA

HOMECENTER opens new shops

As a Christmas gift for Medellín, SODIMAC HOMECENTER opened a new shop in the city of Medellín on December 23. So with this store we have already completed 4 stores of the chain in the city.

In addition, on January 6, 2009, Sodimac Colombia opened HOMECENTER and CONSTRUCTOR SHOPS in the city of Cúcuta. HOMECENTER Cúcuta becomes the eighth city where the chain arrives with its shop number 18, near 100 in Latin America. It is the first store that Sodimac Colombia opens in 2009 in the national territory.

Ratification of TPM prize to Plumbing & Complements plants & Coating

 <p>SMMT Industry Forum 2410 Regents Court, The Crescent, Birmingham, Business Park, Birmingham B37 7YE Tel: +44 (0)121 717 6600 Fax: +44 (0)121 717 6699 www.industryforum.co.uk</p>  <p>Estos últimos años han sido de lucha y trabajo constante, de tiempo extra en el trabajo y de arduos sacrificios. Hemos vivido momentos de tensión y de alegría, de altas y bajas, momentos que todos recordaremos siempre.</p> <p>Pero hoy nuestro esfuerzo se ve reflejado porque somos una Planta de categoría mundial, una Planta de excelencia y el JIPM nos lo está demostrando con la carta que les comparto a continuación.</p> <p>Felicitaciones a todos por este reconocimiento que demuestra el trabajo en equipo y la fortaleza de nuestro equipo de Planta Madrid.</p> <p>Asunto: Notificación de la Evaluación de Resultados de Premio TPM 2008</p> <p>El 27 de enero el Comité de Premios de PM del Instituto Japonés de Mantenimiento de Plantas (JIPM) se reunió para llevar a cabo una evaluación completa de los resultados de la evaluación hecha a su empresa y los resultados de sus deliberaciones se han transmitido a nosotros como su Agencia de Evaluación.</p> <p>Es un gran placer el informarle que el Comité del Premio JIPM PM ha aprobado su evaluación de los resultados y se le ha concedido el Premio TPM.</p> <p>El JIPM reconocerá este logro el 12 de marzo de 2009 en una Ceremonia de Premiación en el Japón a la que ustedes estarán invitados.</p> <p>Los detalles de la Ceremonia de entrega de Premios, serán notificados por separado por el JIPM, pero para su información, se incluye una breve reseña de este evento.</p> <p>Para obtener información adicional acerca de la ceremonia la puede encontrar en el sitio Web del JIPM.</p> <p>Le ofrezco nuestras más cálidas felicitaciones por el logro de este premio y espero poder felicitarlo en persona en Japón durante la ceremonia.</p> <p>Atentamente,</p>  <p>Arthur David Director - SMMT Foro de la Industria Agencia de Evaluación de los Premios a la Excelencia TPM</p>	 <p>SMMT Industry Forum 2410 Regents Court, The Crescent, Birmingham, Business Park, Birmingham B37 7YE Tel: +44 (0)121 717 6600 Fax: +44 (0)121 717 6699 www.industryforum.co.uk</p>  <p>Enero 27 de 2009</p> <p>Sr. Juan Carlos Guzmán Pulido Coordinador TPM ColCerámica S.A. Grifería & Complementos CORONA Planta Grifería Avenida 13 # 7-85 Funza Cundinamarca Colombia</p> <p>Apreciado Sr. Juan Carlos Guzmán Pulido</p> <p>Asunto: Notificación oficial de la obtención del "Premio a la Excelencia Nivel 1 TPM"</p> <p>El día 27 de enero se reunió el Comité de Premiación para TPM del Instituto Japonés de Mantenimiento de Plantas (JIPM) para desarrollar la evaluación sobre los resultados de la compañía. El resultado de tales debates ha sido presentado ante nosotros como su agencia evaluativa.</p> <p>Con gran orgullo le comunicamos que el comité JIPM ha evaluado y aprobado su resultado y por tanto ha sido merecedor del premio TPM.</p> <p>El comité JIPM le hace extensiva la invitación y lo estará esperando en la Ceremonia de Premiación que se llevará a cabo en Japón el día 12 de marzo de 2009. Los detalles de dicha ceremonia serán comunicados próximamente por el comité JIPM, pero para su consulta, hemos incluido un portafolio del evento. Podrá encontrar información adicional sobre el evento visitando la página web del comité JIPM y consultando la invitación adjunta.</p> <p>Permítame ofrecer más sinceras felicitaciones por el logro obtenido con este premio, y espero poder felicitarlo en persona durante la ceremonia en Japón.</p> <p>Atentamente,</p>  <p>Arthur David Director - SMMT Industry Forum Assessment Agency for TPM Excellence Awards</p>
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CORONA Organization is proud to share with you the ratification of the MPR prize that we achieved at Plumbing & Complements Funza and Coatings Madrid plants in 2008.

The ceremony to receive this award was in Tokyo, Japan, on March 12.

News from Our Customers and Suppliers

Turning years with us

Thank you for all these years of confidence and joint work. It has been a privilege to have had you as our customers. We look forward to working many more years together and have the pleasure of serving you the best way every one of you deserve.

Company	Starting year of Commercial Relationship	Total years
SOCOL	1999	10
MAGNETRÓN	1994	15

We were visited by

Colombia:

- Coldecon Ltda - Juan Mesa Martinez
- Fluoroplasticos Ltda - Luis Fernando Osorno
- Papyser - Norman Villada R
- Universidad de Antioquia

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