Manufacturer of High Precision Capsule Molds / PinBars





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# HALLMARK specializes in making of Precision Molds and Tools

We began in 1984, with making Tungsten Carbide Tools for the Automobile Industry for forging critical Bearing components such as

- Steel Balls
- Rollers
- Caging Rivet
- Miniature Fasteners



# HALLMARK regularly exports to world giants like -

Schaeffler Group (INA Bearings), Germany
SKF Bearings, USA
FAG Bearings, Hungary
AKS plants in Japan, Indonesia, Poland, UK & USA
Tsubaki Hoover, Italy
KGM, Germany
KRS, Germany
Valette and Gaurand Industrie plants in France &
Tunisia
NRB Bearings Ltd plants in India & Thailand
General Bearings, China



HALLMARK's latest achievement is it's highly successful

### Pinbar (Capsule Molds) for Empty Hard Capsule Shells.

- Special Hardened, Plated and Highly Polished Pins requiring minimal Lubricant for making cDPI, (capsules for Dry Powder Inhalation), CT (Clear & transparent) and Veg (HPMC) Capsules
- Separate Designs for GELATIN & HPMC / VEG Capsules
- Special high volume design for Low Density formulations, to avoid Pop-ups





### HALLMARK PINBARS

Sizes # 000, 00, 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and others
Bar Design: 5, 6, 7, 9 Bars and others as per your drawing

# HALLMARK Pinbars for automatic capsule machine are in two types:

High Precision Pinbars with Pins in SS304 & Base Bars in SS410

Special Hard Plated Precision Pinbars with Pins in Hardened SS420 & Plated.

Base Bars in SS410



### **HALLMARK Strengths**

HALLMARK core team consists of well qualified people holding Masters from IIT Mumbai, Bachelors of Technology, MBA's, Doctors, etc

### MANUFACTURING Experience

40+ years of experience in EXPORTING Super Precision Tools for Critical applications.

#### MAN Power

200+ work force

#### MANUFACTURING Area

60,000+ Square feet of manufacturing setup

### FACTORY

#### Locations

4 Locations in Mumbai, the centre of the Commercial Capital of INDIA



# Main Features of HALLMARK PINBARS



## THE HARDNESS OF Pin

Minimum 32 HRC. And 65+ HRC in Hard Plated Pinbars

### **OF Pin**

Ensured within +/- 5 microns

### THE MOLD BASE Bar

Vacuum heat treated to 28 +/- 2 HRC with special German technology to ensure uniform hardness

Special interference fit and lock groove design for an extremely strong yet easy slide-in fit of the cap & body during final locking

### FIRMNESS & Flexibility

The Bar undergoes rigorous "bend test" to ensure required firmness and flexibility. This is important to prevent fractures in face of accidents

#### ROLLING

The lock grooves on the Pins are made by 'Rolling' method, which imparts mirror finish to the groove and increase in hardness

#### **RIVETING**

Special riveting technique that prevents loosening of pins over years of use



### **ENSURING Precision**

- Development of CNC SPMs in-house, for higher Precision and Consistency.
- Surface finish values better than Ra0.10
- Continuous online inspection of all critical dimensions during manufacturing, ensuring 100% inspection and Six Sigma accuracy / precision.

 Parameter measured :
 Gauge Plan Diameter

 Operation:
 Final Dimension

 Acceptance Criteria :
  $C_P > 1$ ,  $\sigma < 0.002$ mm

 Type of measurement:
 100 percent inspection

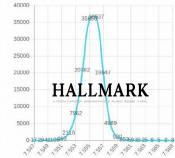
#### **Process Capability**

#### μ from Actual Reading

 $\begin{aligned} & \text{Readings:} 130207 \\ & \mu; \ 7.5554 \ (7.568 \ , 7.547) \\ & \sigma; \ 0.0013972 \\ & C_{pk}; \ \text{Min}(\ 1.097 \ , 1.288) \end{aligned}$ 

#### $\boldsymbol{\mu}$ from Specification

 $\begin{aligned} & \text{Readings:} 130207 \\ & \mu; \ 7.555 \\ & \sigma; \ 0.0013972 \\ & C_p; \ 1.193 \end{aligned}$ 



#### Select Parameters

Period:	⊙ All ○ On:	From:	To:	
USL:	7.560 LSL: 7.550	Work Order: HA817 V	Measure Type:	GPD v
Operatio	n: ROL V ALL V			

Remark : Pass Checked by: HKA



### **ENSURING Precision**

All critical dimensions are within Six Sigma for main parameters like

- Mean (μ)
- Standard Deviation ( $\sigma$ )
- Process Capability (Cpk)

Parameter measured: First Groove Diameter Operation: Final Dimension Acceptance Criteria: Cp > 1,  $\sigma < 0.003$ mm Type of measurement: **Production Sample Inspection** 350 **Process Capability** 300 μ from Actual Reading 250 Readings:1839 u: 7.0819 (7.092, 7.073) 200  $\sigma$ : 0.0025191 Cpk: Min( 1.072, 1.575) 150 HALLMARK 100 μ from Specification 50-Readings:1839 u: 7.08 101 1019 1887 1083 1885 1081  $\sigma$ : 0.0025191 Cp: 1.323 **Select Parameters** 100 Period: On: O From: To: 7.090 LSL: Work Order: HA818 V Measure Type: GROVE-1D V Operation: FIN V ALL V Remark : Pass Checked by: HKA





### **EXPERT DESIGN Team**

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### ADVANTAGES OF Special Hard Plated Precision pinbars

- Excellent wear resistance resulting in years of scratch free performance of the Pins. Highly useful feature for making Clear & Transparent capsules
- Minimal occurrence of lubricant related issues like oil bubbles, star end, etc
- Plating Adhesion quality is ensured through strict conformance to ASTM-B-571 Standard





### **CONTINUAL Improvement**

Dedicated R&D Division working continuously for improvement in all stages of manufacturing targeting,

**ZERO rejection** due to Pinbars defects

**ZERO case of Tight / Non-separation** or Loose Capsules in the entire lot

**ZERO Pop-up** issues

**ZERO** machine downtime

**ZERO customer rejections** due to Pinbar defects

100% alignment of Cap and Body parts, ensuring perfect sealing of the two parts after Capsule filling.

100% acceptance of the Capsules on High Speed Capsule Filling machines

100% Customer satisfaction





## **DESIGNING PINBARS for Special Capsules**

Dry powder inhalation (DPI) is turning out to be a major and most preferred drug delivery Technology for the treatment of respiratory diseases. Capsule based DPI provides a uniform dose in an effective, non-invasive and simple way to deliver medication via the pulmonary route.

Capsule inner wall surface largely depends on surface finish of the pinbars.

Capsules for cDPI have to meet stringent design requirements. Effective dose delivery depends on factors which are governed by close control of capsule dimensions and surface finish.

#### **Capsule Internal Surface:**

The capsule inner wall surface is never entirely flat and formulation powder occupies little surface pores on the inside of the capsule wall. This makes it more complicated for the drug to exit the capsule. Additionally, if the lubricant content is high, adhesion between the capsule and powder occurs, reducing the process efficiency. The nature and quantity of lubricant that remains in the capsule will modify the capsule inner surface properties and affect the capsule aerosolization performance.

Plating reduces the amount of lubrication used, it also effects the surface topography of the plated surface in a way that allows it to retain a microfilm of lubrication during Capsule formation. This gives a unique advantage when making Veg, HPMC and cDPI capsules.

### **LOCATION Works**

#### MUMBAI, INDIA

Works 1:

(Pin Bar Division) 4/9, M.I.D.C, Saravali, Kalyan Bhiwandi Indl. Area, Bhiwandi, Thane - 421311, INDIA

Works 2:

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Works 3:

(Assembly & Finishing Division) J-3, Ansa Industrial Estate, Saki Vihar Road, Mumbai-400072, INDIA

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