### About this organisation

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A. Schulman is a leading supplier of high-performance plastic compounds and raw materials with its headquarters in Akron, Ohio, USA and its most important European development and production site in Kerpen, North Rhine-Westphalia. Since 1928, A. Schulman's 4,800 employees at 54 locations have been providing innovative material solutions for the growing demands of the packaging, mobility, construction, electrical & electronics, agriculture, hygiene, sporting goods, leisure and home markets.

Targeted development of lightweight solutions by A. Schulman: Replacement of metal components: A.Schulman offers a broad portfolio of modified plastic materials that can replace metals as a material and thus save weight. In addition to material expertise, you also receive support with the design. Lighter plastics replace heavy plastics: Our developments can now replace many plastic materials with lighter compounds without any loss of mechanical properties. Intelligent component design and targeted material selection make components lighter with the same dimensions and application suitability. Use of new densityreduced compounds: New developments with innovative fillers enable compounds with significant density advantages (weight savings!) compared to known materials with a constant property profile. In addition, these compounds make it possible to produce thinner, and therefore lighter, components due to their improved flowability.

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Organisation type Large enterprises

Sector

Others: Kunststoff

**Employees** 500 and more

**Turnover** n/a

Funding

n/a

suc•cess [sək-'ses]

Our definition of success is helping you achieve yours.

### About this organisation

| Main areas<br>covered | Plastics production/distribution                  |
|-----------------------|---|
| Infrastructure        | Research & Development, Laboratory                |
| Certifications        | ISO 9001; ISO/TS 1649; ISO 14001                  |
| Keywords              | Plastic, Innovation, Compound, Material, Material |
| Memberships           |   |

## Overview of lightweighting expertise

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|  | Research | N<br>Development | Aanufacturing<br>& Supply |
|--|----------|------------------|---------------------------|
| Offer  |          |                  |                           |
| <b>Products</b><br>Materials, Others (Plastic compounds) |          | $\checkmark$     |                           |
| Services & consulting<br>Distribution                    |          |                  | $\checkmark$              |
| Field of technology                                      |          |                  |                           |
| Design & layout  |          |                  |                           |
| Functional integration                                   |          |                  |                           |
| Measuring and testing technology                         |          |                  |                           |
| Modelling and simulation                                 |          |                  |                           |
| Plant construction & automation                          |          |                  |                           |
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|   | Research                  | Development    | Manufacturiı<br>& Supply |
| Manufacturing process                     |                           |                |                          |
| Additive manufacturing                    |                           |                |                          |
| Coating (surface engineering)             |                           |                |                          |
| Fibre composite technology                |                           |                |                          |
| Forming                                   |                           |                |                          |
| Joining                                   |                           |                |                          |
| Material property alteration              |                           |                |                          |
| Primary forming                           |                           |                |                          |
| Processing and separating                 |                           |                |                          |

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|   | Research | Development | Manufacturin<br>& Supply |  |  |
| Material  |          |             |                          |  |  |
| <b>Biogenic materials</b><br>Bioplastics  |          |             | $\checkmark$             |  |  |
| Cellular materials (foam materials)   |          |             |                          |  |  |
| <b>Composites</b><br>Aramid fibre composites, Glass-fiber reinforced<br>plastics (GFRP), Carbon-fiber reinforced plastics<br>(CFRP), Natural fibre reinforced plastics (NFRP) |          |             | $\checkmark$             |  |  |
| Fibres  |          |             |                          |  |  |
| Functional materials  |          |             |                          |  |  |
| Metals  |          |             |                          |  |  |
| <b>Plastics</b><br>Thermoset plastics, Elastomers, Thermoplastics,<br>Others (Masterbatches & Powders)  |          |             | $\checkmark$             |  |  |
| Structural ceramics   |          |             |                          |  |  |

### Contacts

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