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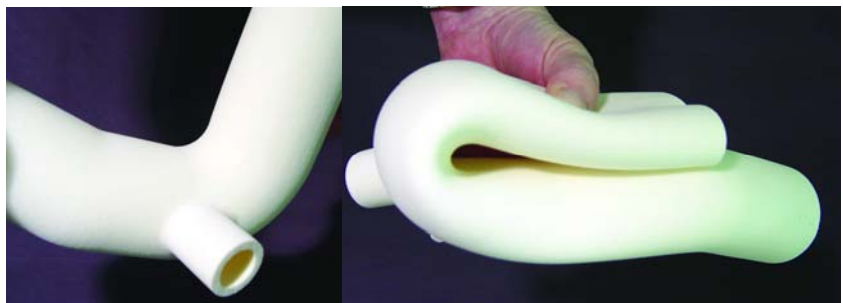
3D Systems Introduces DuraForm® Flex Plastic, a New Rubber-Like, Tear-Resistant, Flexible Plastic for Use in All Selective Laser Sintering (SLS®) systems

**VALENCIA, California, April 5, 2005:** 3D Systems Corporation (Nasdaq: TDSC), a leading provider of rapid 3-D printing, prototyping and manufacturing solutions, announced today at its annual Users Group Conference in Tucson, Arizona, the immediate availability of DuraForm® Flex plastic, a new rubber-like, tear-resistant, flexible plastic for the SLS® system product line.

DuraForm Flex plastic has superior tear resistance and enables customers to produce functional prototypes and end-use parts for which rubber-like flexible characteristics are required. Parts made from DuraForm Flex plastic can be substituted for urethane, silicone or rubber parts.

“This is yet another example of the close development collaboration between our key customers, suppliers and our own talented team,” said Abe Reichental, 3D Systems’ president and chief executive officer. “As a result of working closely with our customers to determine the best attributes and characteristics required in a flexible material, DuraForm Flex plastic is designed to handle harsh environmental conditions such as heat and chemicals, making it ideal for applications such as gaskets, hoses, seals, watertight parts, equipment and athletic shoes. To further enhance the

functionality of our new DuraForm Flex plastic, we are offering it in an array of colors, including red, yellow, blue, white and black. The tight integration between DuraForm Flex plastic and our family of SLS systems enables customers to produce usable parts



DuraForm® Flex Plastic, a new rubber-like, tear-resistant, flexible plastic for use in all 3D Systems' selective laser sintering systems

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quickly on our SLS systems without the expense of traditional manufacturing methods. By producing rubber-like parts directly, our customers reduce their product development time to market and can easily customize parts without incurring additional tooling expense,” concluded Reichental.

### **About 3D Systems Corporation**

Founded in 1986, 3D Systems is a leading provider of rapid 3-D printing, prototyping and manufacturing solutions. Its systems and materials reduce the time and cost of designing products and facilitate direct and indirect manufacturing by creating actual parts directly from digital input. These solutions are used for design communication and prototyping as well as for production of functional end-use parts: *Transform your products.*

More information on the company is available at [www.3dsystems.com](http://www.3dsystems.com), or by phoning 888/337-9786, ext. 2882 (or 661/295-5600, ext. 2882 from outside the United States), or via email at [moreinfo@3dsystems.com](mailto:moreinfo@3dsystems.com).