

CAPABILITY STATEMENT

CORE COMPETENCIES

- Kappler is a global leader in the development and manufacturing of protective fabrics and apparel
 for chemical, biological, radioactive and nuclear hazards (CBRN). Garments range from partial-body
 protection to NFPA-Certified total-encapsulating gas-tight suits.
- With more than 26 patents issued or pending, Kappler innovation extends to related accessory and specialty products such as AntiFog Visor technology, the 2N1° Glove System and ChemTape°.
- Kappler offers custom fabric development expertise based on a rich R&D heritage, specializing in unique solutions for a wide range of demanding customer applications.
- A knowledge-sharing philosophy is reflected in the company's slogan, "Know What You're Getting Into". Customer education resources include Kappler University product and technical training, and HazMatch®, Kappler's user-friendly suit selection tool (mobile app and online).



Protecting Workers, Protecting American Jobs.

DIFFERENTIATORS

- Third-party testing, extensive quality control systems and ISO 9001 registration ensure product performance to the highest levels.
- HazMatch® suit selection tool (mobile app or online) also supports OSHA Hazard Assessment requirements.
- Frontline® NFPA-Certified chemical flash-fire apparel is proven with Pyroman Manikin Thermal Protective Performance (TPP) testing.
- ChemScan® QR code garment labels allow quick access to complete chemical test data on each garment's protective fabric.
- Kappler offers a wide range of custom options such as air line, communications and fall protection pass-throughs, safety harness rings and glove options.
- Highly rated technical training through Kappler University (at corporate campus) and Road Show events.
- All Kappler products are made in the USA at our Guntersville, Alabama corporate headquarters.

PAST PERFORMANCE - SPECIAL PROJECTS

Minuteman III — Integrated fall protection garment designed for US Air Force missile silo program with potential exposure to dimethyl hydrazine and nitrogen tetroxide.

Chem/Bio Collective Protection — Manufactured, tested and provided chemical barrier fabric used in shelter liners for military Collective Protection Systems.

NASA Hood — Protective hood developed for International Space Station for protection against ammonia – project went from concept to flight in nine months.

Lunar Rover Parking Garage — Worked with NASA and Auburn University to design and construct a parking garage for the lunar rover, using a ballistic protective fabric.

Contaminated Human Remains Pouch (CHRP) — Teamed with Nanoscale Materials for US Army project managed out of Aberdeen Proving Grounds. Developed and produced remains pouches that incorporated reactive oxide nanoparticles to decontaminate remains during shipment and handling.

GATR Radome — Produced prototypes for portable satellite communications antenna for US Air Force program managed out of Wright Patterson AFB. Prototypes were deployed in the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina.

Deep Dive Suit — US Navy project via Naval Surface Warfare Center, produced garment to protect against jet fuels and other hydrocarbon liquids during saturation dives.

PAST PERFORMANCE - KEY CUSTOMERS

Kappler COTS products serve many government customers including: DoD (all branches), DEA, NIH, CDC, Philadelphia Fire Dept./HazMat, San Francisco Police Dept., Fairfax County (VA) Fire Dept./HazMat, Los Angeles Police Dept. Bomb Squad, and Maricopa County (AZ) Sheriff's Dept.

COMPANY BACKGROUND

Founded in 1976, Kappler, Inc. is a respected leader in protective apparel and fabrics for chemical and biohazards, serving military, hazmat, emergency response, industrial and healthcare markets worldwide. A family-owned company registered to ISO 9001 since 1996, Kappler is a leading innovator in chemical and other barrier fabrics, garment design, specialty products and user education and training. All Kappler products are made in the USA at our corporate headquarters and manufacturing campus located in Guntersville, Alabama. Visit *kappler.com* to learn more.

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