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Typical Transparent Armor Testing

- Allowable Defects, Marking
- Tolerance
- Low Temperature Storage
- High Temperature Storage
- Humidity
- De-Icing
- Cleaning Spray
- Chemicals (Inner and Outer Surfaces)
- Thermal Shock
- Sun Exposure Weathering
- Surface Abrasion
- Rock Strike
- Scratch Resistance
- Optical Testing: Luminous Transmittance, NVG, Haze, Distortion and Angular Deviation

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First Article Testing of Transparent Armor, IAW ATPD 2352P

A Typical First Article Test Program will Consist of the Following Tests:

Allowable Defects, Marking, 3.2.7, 3.2.8
Tolerance, 3.2.9
Pre-Optical Tests Consisting of 4.4.1, 4.4.1.1, 4.4.2, 4.4.3, 4.4.4
Low Temperature, 4.3.1.1, Method 502.4 Storage Procedure I, -54°C, Stabilized + 24 Hours
Post-Optical Tests Consisting of 4.4.1, 4.4.1.1, 4.4.2, 4.4.3, 4.4.4
High Temperature, 4.3.1.2, Method 501.4, Storage Procedure I, 63°C, Three (3) Cycles, 24 Hours/Cycle
Humidity, 4.3.2, Five (5) 48-Hour Cycles
Post-Optical Tests Consisting of 4.4.1, 4.4.1.1, 4.4.2, 4.4.3, 4.4.4
De-Icing, 4.2.6
Post-Optical Tests Consisting of 4.4.1, 4.4.1.1, 4.4.2, 4.4.3, 4.4.4
Cleaning Spray, 4.3.7.1
Post-Optical Tests Consisting of 4.4.1, 4.4.1.1, 4.4.2, 4.4.3, 4.4.4
Chemicals, 4.3.7.2, Inner Surface, Per Table I, Five (5) Chemicals One (1) Temperature, Test Unit One (1) Temperature
Post-Optical Tests Consisting of 4.4.1, 4.4.1.1, 4.4.2, 4.4.3, 4.4.4
Chemicals, 4.3.7.2, Outer Surface to Table II, Five (5) Chemicals Ten (10) Days
Post-Optical Tests Consisting of 4.4.1, 4.4.1.1, 4.4.2, 4.4.3, 4.4.4
Thermal Shock, 4.3.4, Method 503.4, Procedure I, Five (5) Cycles, 36 Hours/Cycle, -31°C to +63°C
Post-Optical Tests Consisting of 4.4.1, 4.4.1.1, 4.4.2, 4.4.3, 4.4.4
Sun Exposure Weathering, 4.3.5
Post-Optical Tests Consisting of 4.4.1, 4.4.1.1, 4.4.2, 4.4.3, 4.4.4
Abrasion Test Exterior, 4.3.6.1, Three (3) Coupons
Abrasion Test Interior, 4.3.6.2, Three(3) Coupons
Rock Strike, 4.6
Scratch Resistance 4.6.2
Test Report

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