

# AERONAUTICAL MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS

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### BOLTS AND SCREWS, STEEL, CORROSION RESISTANT Roll Threaded

1. ACKNOWLEDGMENT: A vendor shall mention this specification number and its revision letter in all quotations and when acknowledging purchase orders.
2. APPLICATION: High quality bolts and screws requiring corrosion resistance for use up to 700 F.
3. COMPOSITION:

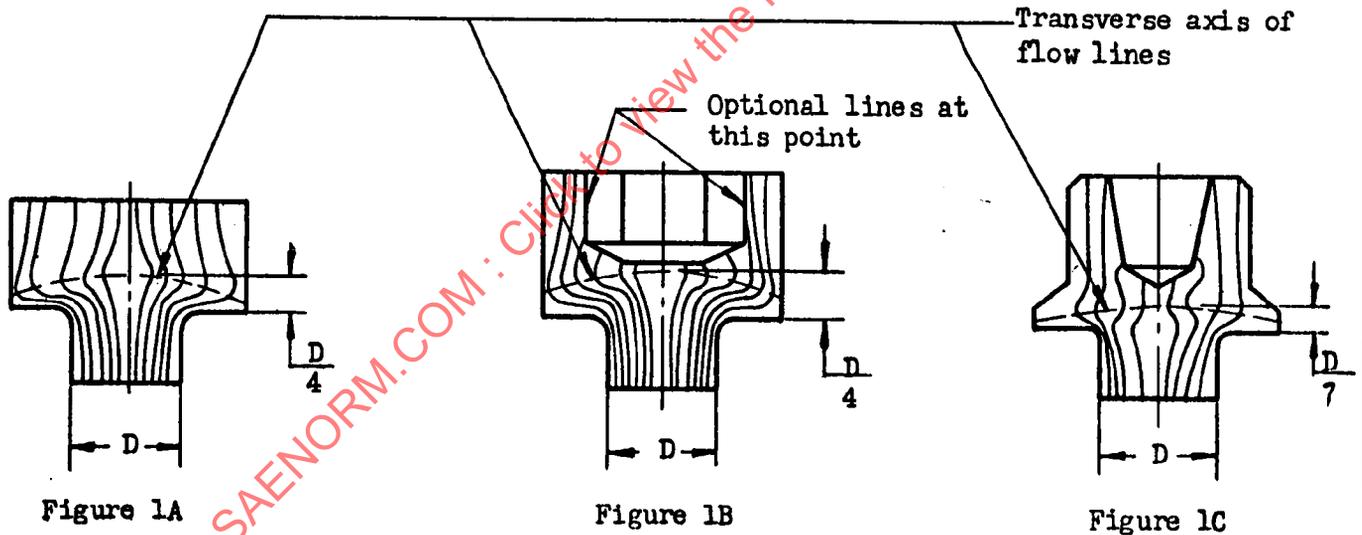
		Check Analysis	
		Under Min	or Over Max
Carbon	0.15 max	--	0.01
Manganese	2.00 max	--	0.04
Silicon	1.00 max	--	0.05
Phosphorus	0.040 max	--	0.005
Sulfur	0.030 max	--	0.005
Chromium	17.00 - 20.00	0.20	0.20
Nickel	7.00 - 11.00	0.10	0.10

4. FABRICATION: Heads may be formed by cold upsetting or machining. When heads are machined, AMS 5637 steel shall be used. Threads shall be formed on the finished blanks by a single rolling.
5. TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS:
  - 5.1 Flow Lines: Flow lines of upset heads shall conform to the general arrangement shown in Figure 1A, 1B, or 1C. The intersection of the longitudinal axis of the part and the approximate transverse axis of the flow lines shall be not less than D/4 in. from the bearing surface for hexagonal, round, and square head bolts and screws and not less than D/7 in. from the bearing surface for 12 point head bolts and screws where D is the nominal diameter of the shank after heading.
    - 5.1.1 Examination for Internal Defects: Visual examination of a longitudinal section of a head and 1/4 in. or more of the shank, after etching in approximately equal volumes of hydrochloric acid (sp gr 1.19) and water at 160 - 180 F for 10 - 15 min., shall reveal no cracks, laps, or porosity.
  - 5.2 Machining: The metal removed from the bearing surface of the head of upset-head parts shall be as little as practicable to obtain a clean, smooth surface.
  - 5.3 Threads:
    - 5.3.1 Flow lines at threads shall be continuous, shall follow the general thread contour, and shall be of maximum density at root of thread (see Figure 2).

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- 5.3.2 Threads shall have no multiple or single laps at the root or on the sides (see Figures 3, 4, and 5), except that slight laps are permissible at the crest, on non-pressure side inside the pitch diameter, and on the sides outside the pitch diameter (see Figures 6, 7, and 8). Slight deviation from thread contour is permissible at the crest of the thread as shown in Figure 9; the incomplete thread at each end of the threaded section may also deviate slightly from contour.
- 5.3.3 Parts having holes for locking devices are permitted to have slight ovalization of the hole and the countersink and slight flattening of the crest of the thread at the countersink, provided the diameter of the hole is within specified tolerances.
- 5.4 Parts, after thread rolling, shall be heated at  $700\text{ F} \pm 10$  for 3 hr, except that parts made from AMS 5637 steel need not be so heated.
- 5.5 Cleaning: Parts, after finishing, shall be degreased and then immersed for not less than 20 min. in a solution of 1 volume of nitric acid (sp gr 1.42) and 9 volumes of water at room temperature.
- 5.6 Tensile Strength: Parts shall be capable of meeting the following requirements when based on the area calculated from the mean of the nominal root and pitch diameters of the threads or from the shank diameter, whichever is smaller.
- 5.6.1 Proof Load: A load of 70,000 psi shall be applied between the full thread section and head for not less than 1 minute. After removing the load, the length shall not be increased more than 0.001 in. when stress area is based on the mean of the nominal root and pitch diameter, or not more than 0.002 in. when stress area is based on the shank diameter.
- 5.6.2 Ultimate: A load of not less than 125,000 psi shall be applied between the thread and head until failure. The reduction of area shall be not less than 20%.
- 5.7 Straightness, Concentricity, and Squareness: For purposes of these inspections,  $\emptyset$  shank and threads shall be included but shall be considered as separate elements of the bolt.
- 5.7.1 Straightness of Shank and Threads:  $\emptyset$  Shank and threads shall be straight within the limits specified on the drawing for the total length (L) of the bolt under the head (see Figure 10). Visibly abrupt changes in diameter or shape of the shank and threads which might cause stress concentrations are not permissible.
- 5.7.2 Concentricity of Thread Pitch Diameter:  $\emptyset$  The concentricity of thread pitch diameter in relation to shank diameter shall be within the limits specified on the drawing for a distance of not less than 1.5 times the nominal bolt diameter away from the last full thread along the shank (see Figure 11). For bolts having a shank length less than 1.5 times the nominal bolt diameter, the concentricity of the shank diameter over its full length in relation to the thread pitch diameter shall be within the limits specified on the drawing.
- 5.7.3 Concentricity of Head:  $\emptyset$  The concentricity of the head in relation to the shank diameter shall be within the limits specified on the drawing for a distance of not less than 1.5 times the nominal bolt diameter away from the washer face along the shank (see Figure 12). For bolts threaded to the head and for bolts having shank length less than 1.5 times the nominal bolt diameter, concentricity of head shall be measured in relation to thread pitch diameter in lieu of shank diameter.

- 5.7.4 Squareness of Washer Face: The squareness of the washer face with the shank diameter shall be within the limits specified on the drawing for a distance of not less than 1.5 times the nominal bolt diameter away from the washer face along the shank (see Figure 12). For bolts threaded to the head and for bolts having a shank length less than 1.5 times the nominal bolt diameter, squareness of washer face shall be measured in relation to thread pitch diameter in lieu of shank diameter.
6. QUALITY: Parts shall be uniform in quality and condition, clean, sound, smooth, and free from burrs and foreign materials and from internal and external imperfections detrimental to their performance.
- 6.1 Parts subject to fluorescent penetrant inspection shall not reveal indications of cracks, seams, pipes, or rolling laps as shown by Figures 3, 4, and 5, except that indications of slight laps as shown by Figures 6, 7, and 8 will be permitted.
7. REJECTIONS: Parts not conforming to this specification or to authorized modifications will be subject to rejection.



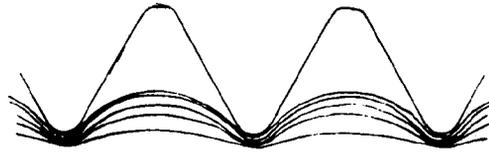


FIGURE 2  
NON PERMISSIBLE  
ROLLED THREAD

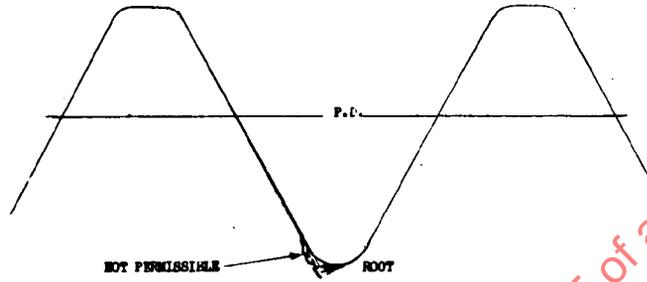


FIGURE 3  
ROLLED THREAD

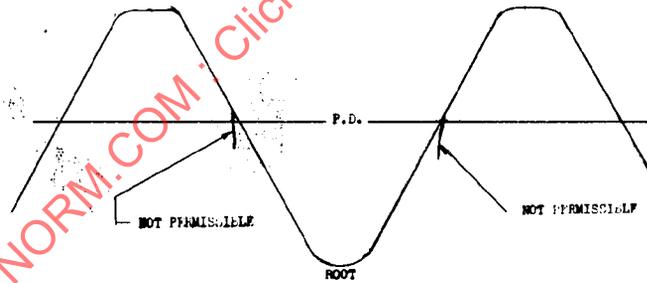


FIGURE 4  
ROLLED THREAD

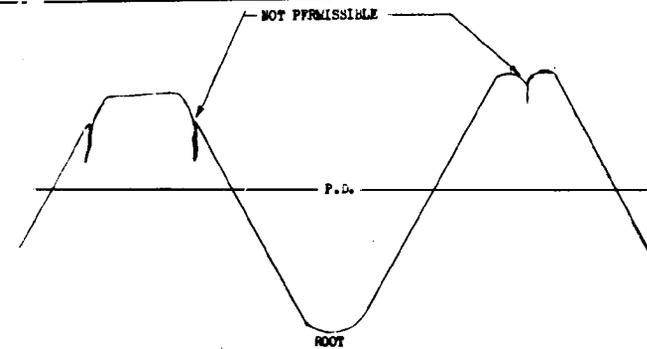


FIGURE 5  
ROLLED THREAD

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