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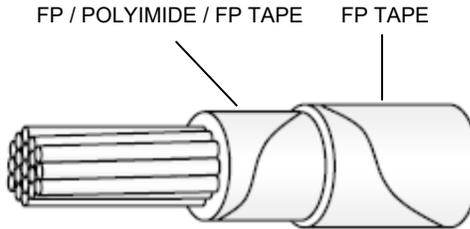
RATIONALE

TABLE 1 OF THE STANDARD NEEDS TO BE UPDATED TO SUPPORT CURRENT QUALIFICATION ACTIVITIES TO REFLECT THE SLIGHT WEIGHT INCREASE OF THE CONDUCTOR AS SPECIFIED IN AS29606 AND THE EFFECT THAT IT HAD ON THE FINISHED WIRE.

NOTICE

THE COMPLETE REQUIREMENTS FOR PROCURING THE PRODUCT DESCRIBED HEREIN SHALL CONSIST OF THIS DOCUMENT AND THE LATEST ISSUE OF AS22759.

THIS SPECIFICATION IS NOT INTENDED FOR USE IN NAVAL AIRCRAFT OR NAVAL AIR SYSTEMS APPLICATIONS.



FP - FLUOROCARBON POLYMER MODIFIED POLYTETRAFLUOROETHYLENE (PTFE)  
CONDUCTOR - STRANDED NICKEL COATED EXTRA HIGH STRENGTH COPPER ALLOY

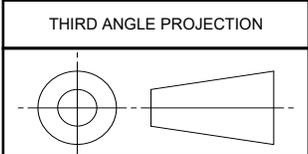
FIGURE 1 - AS22759/96 CONFIGURATION

TABLE 1 - CONSTRUCTION DETAILS FOR FINISHED WIRE

PART NO. 1/	WIRE SIZE	CONDUCTOR 3/				FINISHED WIRE				
		STRANDING (NUMBER OF STRANDS X SIZE GAUGE OF STRANDS)	DIAMETER (INCHES)		RESISTANCE AT 20 °C (68 °F) (OHMS/1000 FEET MAX)	DIAMETER (INCHES)		WEIGHT (LB/1000 FEET) 2/		
			MIN	MAX		MIN	MAX	MIN	TARGET	MAX
M22759/96-30-*	30	7 X 38	.0117	.0134	129.6	.026	.029	.75	.88	.96
M22759/96-28-*	28	7 X 36	.0147	.0164	79.0	.029	.033	.97	1.10	1.23
M22759/96-26-*	26	19 X 38	.0184	.0204	49.4	.033	.037	1.34	1.58	1.71
M22759/96-24-*	24	19 X 36	.0231	.0254	30.1	.038	.042	1.87	2.24	2.40
M22759/96-22-*	22	19 X 34	.0293	.0314	18.6	.043	.047	2.70	3.16	3.36
M22759/96-20-*	20	19 X 32	.0373	.0404	11.4	.051	.055	4.25	4.80	5.00

- 1/ PART NUMBER: THE ASTERISKS IN THE PART NUMBER COLUMN OF TABLE 1 SHALL BE REPLACED BY COLOR CODE DESIGNATORS IN ACCORDANCE WITH MIL-STD-681. EXAMPLES: M22759/96-20-93 IS A 20 AWG WHITE WITH ORANGE STRIPE.
- 2/ THE ACCEPTABLE VALUE FOR THE CPK FOR THE FINISHED WIRE WEIGHT LISTED SHALL BE 1.3, USING A NORMAL (GAUSSIAN) DISTRIBUTION TO OBTAIN THOSE CPK VALUES.
- 3/ CONDUCTOR SHALL CONFORM TO AS29606 TYPE NCS SMALL DIAMETER NICKEL COATED EXTRA HIGH STRENGTH COPPER ALLOY CONDUCTOR.

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AEROSPACE STANDARD

WIRE, ELECTRICAL, POLYTETRAFLUOROETHYLENE/  
POLYIMIDE INSULATED, NORMAL WEIGHT, NICKEL COATED,  
EXTRA HIGH STRENGTH COPPER ALLOY,  
260 °C, 600 VOLT, ROHS

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REQUIREMENT: ALL REQUIREMENTS SHALL CONSIST OF THIS DOCUMENT AND THE LATEST ISSUE OF AS22759.

1. WIRE CONSTRUCTION: WIRE CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH FIGURE 1 AND TABLES 1, 2, 3, AND 4.

**TABLE 2 - WIRE INSULATION MATERIALS**

TAPE CODE	THICKNESS (NOM)	MATERIAL
1	.0020	.0005 (FP)/.0010 (POLYIMIDE)/.0005 (FP)
2	.0020	FP (UNSINTERED)

**TABLE 3 - TAPE OVERLAP REQUIREMENTS 1/**

WIRE SIZE	WRAP 1				WRAP 2			NOMINAL WALL THICKNESS (MILS)
	TAPE CODE	PERCENT OVERLAP		TAPE CODE	PERCENT OVERLAP			
		MIN	MAX		MIN	MAX		
30	1	50.5	54.0	2	50.5	54.0	7.4	
28	1	50.5	54.0	2	50.5	54.0	7.4	
26	1	50.5	54.0	2	50.5	54.0	7.4	
24	1	50.5	54.0	2	50.5	54.0	7.4	
22	1	50.5	54.0	2	50.5	54.0	7.4	
20	1	50.5	54.0	2	50.5	54.0	7.4	

1/ WRAP 1 IS INNERMOST TAPE WHICH IS IN CONTACT WITH THE CONDUCTOR.

2. WIRE PERFORMANCE RATING:

TEMPERATURE RATING: 260 °C (500 °F) MAXIMUM CONDUCTOR CONTINUOUS TEMPERATURE.

VOLTAGE RATING: 600 VOLTS (RMS) AT SEA LEVEL. THIS INSULATION SYSTEM HAS BEEN USED IN AEROSPACE APPLICATIONS USING 115 VOLTS (PHASE TO NEUTRAL), 400 HERTZ AC, AND 28 VOLTS DC. VERIFICATION OF THE SUITABILITY OF THIS PRODUCT FOR USE IN OTHER ELECTRICAL SYSTEM CONFIGURATIONS IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE USER.

3. MATERIALS AND PHYSICAL PROPERTIES: REFER TO AS22759 FOR MATERIAL REQUIREMENT. MATERIALS USED IN THE MANUFACTURE OF THESE PRODUCTS SHALL COMPLY WITH THE RESTRICTION OF HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES DIRECTIVE 2002/95/EC.
4. FINISH WIRE INSULATION PROPERTIES: FINISH WIRE INSULATION PROPERTIES SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH TABLE 4.

**TABLE 4 - FINISHED WIRE INSULATION PROPERTIES REQUIREMENTS**

INSULATION PROPERTIES	
IMPULSE TEST VOLTAGE	8.0 KILOVOLTS (PEAK)
HIGH FREQUENCY TEST VOLTAGE	5.7 KILOVOLTS (RMS)
INSULATION STATE OF SINTER	3.0 JOULES PER GRAM MAXIMUM
TAPE OVERLAP	TABLE 3
LAMINATION SEALING	260 °C ± 2 °C (500 °F ± 3.6 °F), 6 HOURS
INSULATION BLOCKING	260 °C ± 2 °C (500 °F ± 3.6 °F)
SHRINKAGE	290 °C ± 2 °C (554 °F ± 3.6 °F)
	MAXIMUM CHANGE .091 INCH
ELECTRICAL RESISTANCE (IR)	5000 MEGOHMS (MIN)-1000 FEET
WET DIELECTRIC VOLTAGE	2500 VOLTS (RMS), 60 HERTZ
INSULATION STRIP FORCE	.25-6.0 POUNDS: WIRE SIZES 26-20 NOT REQUIRED FOR WIRE SIZES 30-28
UV LASER MARKING	55% MINIMUM AVERAGE
CONTINUOUS LENGTH SCHEDULE	B

5. FINISH WIRE IDENTIFICATION:

WIRE IDENTIFICATION EXCEPTIONS: NONE.

WIRE IDENTIFICATION DURABILITY: 125 CYCLES (250 STROKES) WITH 250 GRAMS WEIGHT.

STRIPE AND BAND DURABILITY: 125 CYCLES (250 STROKES) WITH 250 GRAMS WEIGHT.

6. FINISH WIRE PERFORMANCE:

FINISH WIRE FIXTURES APPLICABLE TO EACH WIRE SIZE SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH TABLE 5.

**TABLE 5 - TEST MANDREL AND TEST LOAD REQUIREMENTS**

WIRE SIZE (AWG)	TEST MANDREL DIAMETER 1/ (INCHES)			TEST LOAD 1/ (POUNDS)	
	COLD BEND	LIFE CYCLE/ BEND TEST	WRAP	COLD BEND	LIFE CYCLE/ BEND TEST
30	1.00	.375	.125	2.00	.25
28	1.00	.375	.125	2.00	.25
26	1.00	.375	.125	3.00	.50
24	1.00	.500	.125	3.00	.75
22	1.00	.500	.125	4.00	1.00
20	1.00	.500	.125	4.00	1.50

1/ TOLERANCE SHALL BE ±3% OF THE GIVEN VALUES.

FINISH WIRE PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH TABLE 6.

**TABLE 6 - FINISH WIRE PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS**

PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTIC	REQUIREMENT
MANDREL BEND RESISTANCE (TAPES/BRAIDS)	REQUIRED
THERMAL SHOCK MECHANICAL RESISTANCE	TEMPERATURE EXPOSURE 260 °C ± 2 °C (500 °F ± 3.6 °F) MAXIMUM CHANGE .091 INCHES
THERMAL MECHANICAL RESISTANCE (LIFE CYCLE)	EXPOSURE 500 HOURS, 290 °C ± 2 °C (554 °F ± 3.6 °F)
HUMIDITY RESISTANCE (IR)	5000 MEGOHMS (MIN)-1000 FEET
FLUID RESISTANCE	DIAMETER INCREASE 5% (MAX)
SMOKE RESISTANCE	260 °C ± 5 °C (500 °F ± 9 °F)
FLAME RESISTANCE	SELF-EXTINGUISH TIME: 3 SECONDS BURN LENGTH 3 INCHES
WET ARC RESISTANCE	MINIMUM 67 WIRES PASS WET DIELECTRIC TEST 3 OR LESS WIRES FAIL IN ONE BUNDLE DAMAGE LENGTH: 3.0 INCHES OR LESS
DRY ARC RESISTANCE	MINIMUM 67 WIRES PASS WET DIELECTRIC TEST 3 OR LESS WIRES FAIL IN ONE BUNDLE DAMAGE LENGTH: 3.0 INCHES OR LESS
DYNAMIC CUT-THROUGH	WIRE SIZE 26 10 POUNDS AT 23 °C, 8 POUNDS AT 150 °C, 6 POUNDS AT 200 °C, 4 POUNDS AT 260 °C WIRE SIZE 20 15 POUNDS AT 23 °C, 12 POUNDS AT 150 °C, 10 POUNDS AT 200 °C, 6 POUNDS AT 260 °C
FORCED HYDROLYSIS INSULATION RESISTANCE	WIRE SIZE 20 70 °C ± 2 °C (158 °F ± 3.6 °F), 5000 HOURS
LONGEVITY RESISTANCE (THERMAL INDEX)	260 °C ± 2 °C (500 °F ± 3.6 °F), 10000 HOURS