

DATA ITEM DESCRIPTION			Form Approved OMB No. 0704-0188	
1. TITLE Product Assurance Quality Program Plan		2. IDENTIFICATION NUMBER DI-QCIC-81198		
3. DESCRIPTION/PURPOSE 3.1 The purpose of the Quality Assurance Program Plan is to provide complete coverage of all information, instructions, and documentation necessary to produce a quality part, component, equipment, subsystem, or system of high acceptance and in complete conformity with contractual requirements.				
4. APPROVAL DATE (YYMMDD) 910503	5. OFFICE OF PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY (OPR) A/SICET-RE	6a. DTIC APPLICABLE	6b. GIDEP APPLICABLE	
7. APPLICATION/INTERRELATIONSHIP 7.1 This Data Item Description contains the format and content preparation instructions for the data product generated by the specific and discrete task requirement as delineated in the contract. 7.2 This Data Item Description is typically used in conjunction with DI-QCIC-81199 "Product Quality Assurance Test, Demonstration and Evaluation Plan" and DI-QCIC-81200 "Quality Inspection Test, Demonstration, and Evaluation Report." <div style="text-align: right;">(Continued on Page 2)</div>				
8. APPROVAL LIMITATION		9a. APPLICABLE FORMS		9b. AMSC NUMBER A6123
10. PREPARATION INSTRUCTIONS 10.1 <u>Reference Documents.</u> The applicable issue of the documents cited herein, including their approval dates and dates of any applicable amendments, notices and revisions, shall be as specified in the contract. 10.2 <u>Format.</u> The Product Assurance Quality Program Plan shall be in a contractor selected format. 10.3 <u>General.</u> The Product Assurance Quality Program Plan shall be complete, accurate, concise, and written with clarity. The plan shall identify how the contractor will satisfy the specific quality tasks within the contract and describe the contractor's understanding of all documentation tasks required for meeting the contractual requirements. The plan shall be consistent with the quality program requirements of MIL-Q-9858A, all amendments, and the contract and shall include the technical and manufacturing aspects of production, production engineering, engineering development (if applicable), overall engineering design, raw materials, facilities involved, personnel required (including experience history of all involved management staff), reliability and maintainability. <div style="text-align: right;">(Continued on Page 2)</div>				
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7. Application/Interrelationship (Continued)

7.3 This Plan shall not be implemented for hardware, drawings and associated lists, technical manuals, and any other related technical documentation until first reviewed and approved by the cognizant government activity.

7.4 This data item superseded DI-R-1700 "Product Assurance Program Plan".