

T-C-571F  
AMENDMENT-2  
September 25, 1985  
SUPERSEDING  
Amendment-1  
December 16, 1985

FEDERAL SPECIFICATION

CORDS, COTTON; GENERAL AND SPECIAL PURPOSES, SASH AND VENETIAN BLIND

This amendment, which forms a part of T-C-571F, dated October 18, 1971, is approved by Assistant Administrator, Office of Federal Supply and Service, General Services Administration, for the use of all Federal Agencies.

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1.1, line 1, after "cotton": Add ", polyester/cotton, and cotton/polypropylene"

1.2.1, Type 1, Class 3: Delete "Water and"

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3.3.1, in paragraph identifier: Delete "Cotton" and substitute "Fiber"

Line 1, after "cotton": Add ", polyester/cotton blend, or cotton/polypropylene fiber"

3.4.3, line 1, In paragraph identifier: Delete "Water and"

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3.4.3.2: Delete in entirety

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3.4.5, lines 2 and 3, after "Finish": Delete "and, in addition, the core yarns shall be impregnated with a 20 percent aqueous polyvinyl-acetate solution."

3.5, line 1, after cotton: Add ", polyester/cotton blend or cotton/polypropylene fiber"

3.5, line 4: Add the following: "Type I cord may be braided with or without filler core yarns. As an alternate, type V, class 5 mailbag lacing cord may

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be constructed of 12 strands, each strand having two ends of cotton and one end of polypropylene, with a core of cotton and/or polypropylene. The type V, class 5 cord shall contain not more than 50 percent polypropylene."

3.6.3, line 2, after "4.2.5": Add ",except cotton/polypropylene cord shall have a minimum of 3 yarns per strand and the minimum length per pound shall be 110 feet."

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Table II, second column: Delete "175" and substitute "140"

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3.8.2, line 2, after "and": Add "not more than 10.0 percent"

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3.10.1 Delete in entirety

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3.11.4.1, line 3: Delete "of 10 percent" and substitute "of 5 pounds".

Line 4, after "below": Delete "the specified amount" and substitute "50 pounds".

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4.2 paragraph identifier: Delete "Inspection" and substitute "Quality conformance inspection."

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TABLE VI, after defect "Braided without core (except type VI): Add the following: "Note: Type I cord can be braided with or without filler core yarns."

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4.2.3.3.1, line 2 and 3, after "less then": Delete rest of paragraph and substitute, "45 pounds or more than 55 pounds as specified in 3.11.4.1."

4.2.3.3.2, line 3: Delete "3.12.4.1" and substitute "3.11.4.1".

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Table VIII, first column, under "Water absorption": Delete "(classes 3 and 4)" and substitute "(class 4)".

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Footnote 5/: Delete and substitute "5/ Class 4 cord shall be steeped for a period of 2 hours".

4.2.5.2.1, line 8: Delete "While" and substitute "After 10 minutes and while still"

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4.2.5.2.3, line 7: Delete "While" and substitute "After 10 minutes and while still"

MILITARY INTERESTS:

Custodians:

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Review activities:

Army - MD, EA, AR  
Air Force - 82  
DLA - IS

User activity:

Navy - MC

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Preparing activity:

Army - GL

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