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de fixationLuft- und Raumfahrt - Elektrolytisches Versilbern von  
Verbindungselementen

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## 1 Scope

This standard specifies the electrolytic silver plating of fasteners used in aerospace applications.

It shall apply whenever referenced.

## 2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 2828, *Aerospace series — Adhesion test for metallic coatings by burnishing.*

EN 2830, *Aerospace series — Adhesion test for metallic coatings by shearing action.*

EN 2831, *Aerospace series — Hydrogen embrittlement of steels — Test by slow bending.*

EN 2832, *Aerospace series — Hydrogen embrittlement of steels — Notched specimen test.*

EN 9100, *Aerospace series — Quality management systems — Requirements (based on ISO 9001:2000) and Quality systems — Model for quality assurance in design, development, production, installation and servicing (based on ISO 9001:1994).*

## 3 Purpose of process

To prevent galling or seizure.

## 4 Technical requirement

### 4.1 Preparation

Parts shall have chemically and/or electrolytically clean surfaces prepared with minimum abrasion, erosion or pitting, prior to immersion in the plating solution. Treatments which may produce hydrogen embrittlement shall be avoided.

After cleaning and prior to immersion in the plating solution, parts may be etched in a suitable solution such as ferric chloride and/or hydrochloric acid, to promote adhesion.

Electrical contact between the parts and the power source shall be established in such a manner as to ensure that neither chemical/immersion deposition nor electrical arcing or overheating will occur.

### 4.2 Procedure

The parts shall be silver plated over a suitable nickel and/or silver strike by an approved method to the thickness quoted in the product standard or in the definition document.

The plated parts shall be removed from the plating solution then thoroughly rinsed and dried.