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Standard Specification for Electronic and Degreasing Grades of 1,1,2-Trichloro 1,2,2,-Trifluoroethane Solvent¹

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1. Scope

1.1 This specification establishes the requirements for three grades of trichlorotrifluoroethane solvent:

1.1.1 Type I electronic or ultra-clean grade,

1.1.2 Type II standard or vapor-degreasing grade, and

1.1.3 Type IIA general purpose, packaged in a pressurized container grade.

1.2 The values stated in SI units are to be regarded as standard. No other units of measurement are included in this standard.

2. Referenced Documents

2.1 ASTM Standards:²

D1078 Test Method for Distillation Range of Volatile Organic Liquids

D2109 Test Methods for Nonvolatile Matter in Halogenated Organic Solvents and Their Admixtures

D3401 Test Methods for Water in Halogenated Organic Solvents and Their Admixtures

D3443 Test Method for Chloride in Trichlorotrifluoroethane

D3444 Test Method for Total Acid Number of Trichlorotrifluoroethane

D3448 Test Method for Specific Aqueous Conductance of Trichlorotrifluoroethane

D3844 Guide for Labeling Chlorinated Hydrocarbon Solvent Containers

D6806 Practice for Analysis of Halogenated Organic Solvents and Their Admixtures by Gas Chromatography

2.2 Other Documents:³

29 CFR 1919.1200 Department of Labor, OSHA Regulations on Hazard Communications

49 CFR 100 to 199 Department of Transportation Hazardous Materials Regulations

PPP-C-2020 Federal Specification, Chemicals, Liquid, Dry and Paste: Packaging of⁴

STP 310A Handbook of Vapor-Degreasing⁵

STP 403A Cold Cleaning with Halogenated Solvents⁵

3. Classification

3.1 *Type I*—Type I solvent is intended for use in the cleaning of space vehicle components, precision assemblies, oxygen systems and electronic equipment by the processes of spraying, flushing, vapor degreasing, or ultrasonics. The solvent is especially applicable for cleaning precision parts and assemblies in clean rooms and for use as a medium in testing the cleanliness of components that are assumed to be clean.

3.2 *Types II and IIA*—Types II and IIA are typically used in vapor degreasing applications or in other processes where the requirements for purity and cleanliness are less stringent than those of a cleaning process using Type I solvent.

4. Properties

4.1 Electronic or ultra-clean and degreasing grades of trichlorotrifluoroethane shall conform to the requirements prescribed in Table 1.

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² For referenced ASTM standards, visit the ASTM website, www.astm.org, or contact ASTM Customer Service at service@astm.org. For *Annual Book of ASTM Standards* volume information, refer to the standard's Document Summary page on the ASTM website.

³ The Code of Federal Regulations may be obtained from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, DC 20402.

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