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Aircraft — Fuel Nozzle Grounding Plugs and Sockets — Specification

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#### **FOREWORD**

This Indian Standard (First Revision) was adopted by the Bureau of Indian Standards, after the draft finalized by the Air and Space Vehicles Sectional Committee had been approved by the Transport Engineering Division Council.

This standard was first issued in 1975. This revision has been taken up with a view to incorporating the modifications found necessary as a result of experience gained on the use of this standard. Also, in this revision, the standard has been brought into the latest style and format of Indian Standard, and references to Indian Standards wherever applicable have been updated. Bureau of Indian Standards certification marking clause has been modified to align with the revised *Bureau of Indian Standards Act*, 2016.

The composition of the Committee responsible for the formulation of this standard is given in Annex A.

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# Indian Standard

# AIRCRAFT — FUEL NOZZLE GROUNDING PLUGS AND SOCKETS — SPECIFICATION

(First Revision)

### 1 SCOPE

This standard specifies the requirements for grounding plugs to be attached by cable to the nozzles of aircraft refuelling tankers. It also covers sockets to be provided in the aircraft for the accommodation of the plugs and the minimum length, minimum diameter, maximum resistance and material of the grounding cable.

### 2 REFERENCES

This standard does not contain any cross reference.

# **3 REQUIREMENTS**

# 3.1 Plugs

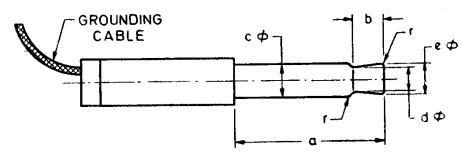
The dimensions of aircraft-fuel nozzle grounding

plugs attached by cable to the nozzles of refuelling tankers and requirements for grounding cable shall be as given in Fig. 1.

#### 3.2 Sockets

The grounding sockets provided on aircraft shall be suitable to accommodate plugs of dimensions (*see* Fig. 1).

3.2.1 The bore of the socket shall have a diameter of  $6.38^{+0.05}_{-0}$  mm of the socket shall incorporate a device to ensure a good electrical contact when the plug is fully engaged in the socket such that the overall resistance of the grounding socket/cable assembly does not exceed 0.005 ohm when tested between the aircraft structure adjacent to the grounding socket and the refuelling nozzle.



Minimum length of cable : 1.4 m

Maximum diameter of cable : 1.6 mm

Material of cable : Steel-zinc or tin coated

Maximum resistance of cable : 0.005 ohms

### Dimensions

*a*: 30.2 mm *b*: 6.4 mm

c:  $6.3 \text{ mm} \pm 0.05 \text{ mm}$ d:  $475 \text{ mm} \pm 0.13 \text{ mm}$ e:  $6.15 \text{ mm} \pm 0.076 \text{ mm}$ 

*r*: 1.6 mm

FIG. 1 AIRCRAFT FUEL NOZZLE GROUNDING PLUG

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# 4 MARKING

# 4.1 BIS Certification Marking

Each aircraft-fuel nozzle grounding plugs and sockets may also be marked with the Standard Mark. The use of the Standard Mark is

governed by the provisions of the *Bureau of Indian Standards Act*, 2016 and the Rules and Regulations made there under. The details of conditions under which the license for the use of the Standard Mark may be granted to manufacturers or producers may be obtained from the Bureau of Indian Standards.

# ANNEX A

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