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#### OFFICE OF THE ARMY QUARTERMASTER

Fort Andres Bonifacio, Metro Manila

PA SPECIFICATION

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### COMBAT CHEST RIG, OLIVE DRAB FOR M16/M14

#### SCOPE:

- 1.1 Scope This specification covers one (1) type of Combat Chest Rig, Olive Drab (OD) as means of carrying ammunition magazines for M16 and M14 Rifles for use of military personnel of the Philippine Army.
- 1.2 Grade The finished Combat Chest Rig shall be of the quality and grade of product prescribed by this specification.
- 1.3 Size The sizes and measurements of the finished Combat Chest Rig is as shown in the attached illustration.

## 2. REQUIREMENTS:

2.1 First Article – One (1) finished sample of Combat, Chest Rig, Olive Drab (OD) shall be submitted to the Office of the Army Quartermaster for first article inspection in accordance with para 3.1.

#### 2.2 Materials

2.2.1 Basic Material – The basic material shall be nylon canvas, olive drab applied with water resistant material on one side and conforming to the following requirements:

Thread Count/2.54 cm		
Warp	-	30 (minimum)
Filling	-	25 (minimum)
Yarn Size, Denier		
Warp	-	1,300 (minimum)
Filling	=	1,100 (minimum)
Thickness, mm	<u> </u>	0.50 (minimum)
Weight, g/m <sup>2</sup>	-	450 (maximum)

Plain

Breaking Strength, kg

Type of Weave

Warp - 320 (minimum) Filling - 270 (minimum)

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Water Repellency, %

- 80 (minimum)

(Spray Method)

Water resistance, grams of water

absorbed by blotter

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2.2.2 Straps - All straps shall be made of nylon or polyester webbing, olive drab (OD) and shall conform to the following requirements:

	Strap # 1	Strap # 2	
Parameters	Belt Waist Strap and Cross Front & Back Shoulder Strap	Modular and Reinforcement/Attachment Strap (Sewn on the shoulder padding, chest and waist part of the rig and handle of each flap and pouch)	
Type of Weave	Plain- Double	Plain- Double	
Width, cm	5.0 ± 0.5	2.5 ± 0.2	
Thickness, mm	0.9 (minimum)	0.9 (minimum)	
Breaking Strength, kg	950 (minimum)	450 (minimum)	

2.2.3 Binding Tape – The binding tape shall be made of nylon or polyester webbing, olive drab (OD) and shall conform to the following requirements:

Type of Weave - Plain-Double
Width, cm - 1.9 ± 0.2
Thickness, mm - 0.9 (minimum)

2.2.4 Shoulder Strap Padding – The shoulder strap padding shall be made of soft rubberized foam neatly covered with the same basic material as specified in para 2.1.1, properly shaped and formed as illustrated and shall conform to the following requirements:

Length, cm -  $36.0 \pm 1.0$ Width, cm -  $7.0 \pm 0.5$ Thickness, mm -  $12.0 \pm 1.0$ 

- 2.2.5 Elastic Cord Shall be made of nylon, polyester or olefin, olive drab in color with a diameter of  $3.0 \pm 0.5$  mm and a minimum length of 46.0 cm.
- 2.2.6 Pouches and Flaps The pouches and flaps (magazine, utility, armor plate carrier) material shall be made of double thickness of same basic material as specified in para 2.2.1 and shall conform to the following requirements:

 Magazine Pouch:
 6 pieces

 Height, cm
 12.5 ± 0.5

 Width, cm
 7.5 ± 0.5

Thickness, cm -  $4.5 \pm 0.5$ 

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Flap

Length, cm -  $21.0 \pm 1.0$ Width, cm -  $5.8 \pm 0.5$ 

Utility Pouch: - 2 pieces
Height, cm -  $8.7 \pm 0.5$ Width, cm -  $7.4 \pm 0.5$ 

Thickness, cm -  $5.2 \pm 0.5$ 

Flap

Length, cm -  $12.5 \pm 0.5$ Width, cm -  $7.4 \pm 0.5$ 

Armor Plate Carrier - 1piece

Length, cm - 34.0 ± 1.0

Width, cm - 28.0 ± 1.0

2.2.7 Plastic Accessories – The following plastic accessories shall be made of hard plastic material, olive drab (OD) and shall conform with the following requirements:

D-Ring - 2 pieces Length, cm -  $3.5 \pm 0.2$ Width, cm -  $3.0 \pm 0.2$ Thickness, mm -  $4.0 \pm 0.5$ 

Adjustment Buckle - 1 piece Length, cm -  $6.0 \pm 0.2$  Width, cm -  $3.7 \pm 0.2$  Thickness, mm -  $4.0 \pm 0.5$ 

Slide Keeper (ball) - 6 pieces

2.2.8 Metal Accessories – The following metal accessories shall be made of brass with black chemical finished and shall conform with the following requirements:

Snap Fastener - 2 pcs Female

Inside Diameter, mm -  $10.0 \pm 0.2$  - 4 pcs Male

Head Diameter, mm -  $10.0 \pm 0.2$ 

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Evelet

8 pieces

Inside Diameter, mm

 $5.0 \pm 0.2$ 

2.2.9 Thread Sewing – The thread to be used for all stitching shall be made of polyester or nylon of the same color shade as basic material, 2 ply (minimum), and with a breaking strength of not less than 1.5 kg

#### 2.3 Construction

- 2.3.1 Shoulder Strap Padding –The two (2) pieces shoulder strap padding shall be constructed with the material as specified in para 2.2.4 and shall be covered with the basic material, as illustrated.
- 2.3.1.1 Modular Strap Each shoulder padding shall have five (5) modular straps (strap #2) sewn along the width of the padding, the  $1^{\rm st}$  and  $5^{\rm th}$  straps having a distance of 4.0  $\pm$  0.2 cm respectively from the edge of the padding.
- 2.3.1.2 Armor Plate Carrier D-Ring Attachment The 4<sup>th</sup> modular strap of each shoulder padding shall have a webbing (strap #2) sewn to it, forming a loop on which a D-ring is inserted. The D-ring shall serve as the attachment of the plate carrier pouch to the shoulder strap.
- 2.3.1.3 Attachment The whole shoulder padding assembly shall be inserted/looped along the shoulder strap via the five (5) modular straps as illustrated.
- 2.3.2 Cross Front and Back Shoulder Strap The two (2) pieces cross front and back shoulder strap (strap #1), 120.0 cm (minimum) in length shall respectively be inserted/fixed to the right and left upper corners of the rig while the loose end are provided with plastic buckle (male) as illustrated. Two (2) pieces webbing (strap #1), 2.2 ± 0.2 cm in length are respectively inserted/fixed at the right and left inner portion of the rig, just beside the armor plate carrier to hold the other plastic buckle (female) as illustrated.
- 2.3.2.1 Cross Placement of Shoulder Strap The right shoulder strap male buckle shall be attached to the left female buckle and vice-versa to complete the cross construction of the shoulder strap as illustrated.
- 2.3.3 Belt Waist Strap The belt waist strap (strap #1) shall be  $67 \pm 2$  cm long and inserted/fixed to the lower right side of the rig as illustrated. The strap is provided with quick release buckle (male) and adjustable buckle for adjustment. Another strap (strap #1),  $2.2 \pm 0.2$  cm in long shall be inserted/fixed to the lower left side of the rig, provided with quick release buckle (female) as illustrated.

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- 2.3.4 Utility Pouches Two (2) utility pouches and flap covers shall be made of the two (2) basic material and provided with Velcro tape for closure. The edges of the opening of the pouches shall be lined with binding tape. Each pouch shall be provided with one (1) eyelet placed at the bottom of the pouch as illustrated.
- 2.3.4.1 Flap The edge of the flap cover shall be lined with binding tape. A handle loop (strap #2),  $5.5 \pm 0.2$  cm in long, shall be sewn/bartacked at the edge of the flap as illustrated. One (1) flap shall be provided with Velcro tape (female side) to serve as attachment of name tapes and patches as illustrated.
- 2.3.4.2 Modular Strap Two (2) modular straps (strap #2) are sewn/bartacked on the back of the pouch, the lowermost strap located  $0.7 \pm 0.2$  cm from the bottom of the pouch.
- 2.3.4.3 Quick Release Strap Two (2) quick release straps (strap #2), 17.5  $\pm$  1.0 cm long, are sewn/bartacked on the back of the pouch as illustrated. One end of the quick release buckle strap shall be folded into three to serve as lock during attachment of pouches to the armor plate carrier.
- 2.3.5 Magazine Pouches The six (6) magazine pouches and flap covers shall be made of the two (2) layers basic material and provided with Velcro tape for closure. The Velcro tape (female side),  $8.0 \pm 0.5$  cm long shall be sewn to the front of the magazine pouch, placed slightly higher than the pouch opening as illustrated. Each pouch shall be provided with one (1) eyelet placed at the bottom of the pouch as illustrated.
- 2.3.5.1 Flap A handle loop (strap #2),  $2.0 \pm 0.2$  cm in long, shall be sewn at the edge of the flap. The Velcro tape (male side),  $15.0 \pm 0.5$  cm shall be sewn to the inner of the flap as illustrated.
- 2.3.5.2 Modular Strap Two (2) modular straps (strap #2) are sewn/bartacked on the bottom back of the pouch, the lowermost strap located  $2.5 \pm 0.2$  cm from the bottom of the pouch. One (1) modular strap is sewn/bartacked on the upper back portion of the pouch  $2.5 \pm 0.2$  cm from the top as illustrated.
- 2.3.5.3 Quick Release Strap Two (2) quick release straps (strap #2),  $25.0 \pm 1.0$  cm long, are sewn/bartacked on the back of the pouch as illustrated. One end of the quick release buckle strap shall be folded into three to serve as lock during attachment of pouches to the armor plate carrier.
- 2.3.5.4 Elastic Cord Two (2) straps (strap #2),  $2.0 \pm 0.2$  cm long are sewn on both sides of each magazine pouch, just below the top modular strap as illustrated. An elastic cord is loop through the two (2) straps to serve as adjustment of the pouch as illustrated. The ends of the elastic cord are held in place using a slide keeper as illustrated.

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- 2.3.6 Armor Plate Carrier The armor plate carrier, flap cover and waist part of the rig shall be made of two (2) layers basic material and provided with Velcro tape for closure.
- 2.3.6.1 Flap The flap shall have a height of  $5.2 \pm 0.2$  cm, the Velcro tape (male side) shall be  $2.7 \pm 0.2$  cm wide and the Velcro tape (female side) shall be  $5.2 \pm 0.2$  cm wide as illustrated.
- 2.3.6.2 Modular Strap The upper part of the carrier shall have two (2) modular straps (strap #2), each divided into six (6) loops by placing bartacks on the straps as illustrated. The two (2) modular straps serve as attachment point of the two (2) utility pouches. The lower part of the carrier shall have three (3) modular straps (strap #2), each divided into fourteen (14) loops by placing bartacks on the straps as illustrated. The three (3) modular straps serve as attachment point of the six (6) magazines pouches.
- 2.3.6.3 Webbing Attachment to Shoulder Strap Two (2) pieces webbing (strap #2),  $14.5 \pm 0.5$  cm long shall be inserted/fixed respectively at the right and left top part of the plate carrier, each having a three (3) snap fastener and Velcro tape (10.0  $\pm$  0.5 cm long) for closure. These straps shall serve as attachment of the shoulder strap to the armor plate carrier.
- 2.3.6.4 Bottom Reinforcement Strap There shall be  $5.0\pm0.5$  cm wide webbing sewn inside the armor plate carrier to serve as reinforcement for the bottom part of the carrier.
- 2.3.7 Stitches All sewing and stitching shall be running stitches ranging from 8 10 stitches per 2.54 cm.

#### 2.4 Workmanship

- 2.4.1 Design The Combat Chest Rig, Olive Drab (OD) shall be of the design essentially the same as shown in the attached illustrations.
- 2.4.2 Manufacturer's Label Each Combat Chest Rig, Olive Drab (OD) shall have a manufacturer's label printed on the upper center of the back of the reverse side of the carrier plate, as illustrated, using black indelible ink or black waterproof paint in Arial font, size 12. The contents of label shall be as follows:

COMBAT CHEST RIG, OD QM SPEC NR IE – 22CCROD Name of Manufacturer Date of Manufacture:

2.4.3 "ARMY" Marking – The "ARMY" marking shall be printed on the center front of the plate carrier pouch, as illustrated,  $3.0 \pm 0.2$  cm below the modular strap with the use of black indelible ink or black waterproof paint, Stencil font, Size 150.

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2.4.5 Finish – The Combat Chest Rig, OD shall be clean, well finished and free from any defect which may affect its appearance or serviceability. Overall workmanship shall be the best known to the trade. Poor quality of sewing and workmanship shall be sufficient ground for rejection of the finished article.

### 3. VERIFICATION

3.1 First Article Inspection – The samples of the Combat Chest Rig, OD submitted in para 2.1 shall be subjected to first article inspection and for approval as against the bid sample. The samples shall be subjected to test and examination to verify if the requirements in para 2.2 to 2.4 are satisfied with reference to the attached test parameters and classification of defects for this document.

## 3.2 Sampling

- 3.2.1 Samples of materials, component and other items entering into the manufacture of the Combat Chest Rig, OD shall be taken at random, from time to time by the PA inspectors for the purpose of examination and test to determine compliance with the requirements of this specification.
- 3.2.2 Pre-production Sample Before actual production starts, one (1) finished sample of Combat Chest Rig, OD shall be submitted to the RDC, ASCOM, PA for verification whether the quality of materials used conform with the requirements of this specification and one (1) finished Combat Chest Rig, OD shall be submitted to the Office of the Army Quartermaster for approval as to design, construction, workmanship, style and finish.

## 4. QUALITY ASSURANCE PROVISION

- 4.1 Responsibility for Inspection Unless otherwise specified in the contract or purchase order, the contractor is responsible for the performance of all inspection requirements as specified herein. Except as otherwise specified in the contract or purchase order, the contractor may use his own or other facilities suitable for the performance of the inspection requirements specified herein, unless disapproved by the government. The government reserves the right to perform any of the inspections set forth in the specifications which are deemed necessary to assure that supplies and services conform to prescribed requirements.
- 4.2 Responsibility for Compliance All items must meet all the requirements of sections 2 and 3. The inspections set forth in this specification shall become a part of the manufacturer's overall inspection system or quality program. The absence of any inspection requirements in the specification shall not relieve the contractor of the responsibility of assuring that all products or supplies submitted to the Government for acceptance comply with all the requirements of the contract.

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4.3 Bid Samples – Two (2) pieces bid samples of the finished Combat Chest Rig, OD shall be submitted to RDC, ASCOM, PA to determine the extent of compliance with the specification insofar as quality of materials used is concerned. The Office of the Army Quartermaster shall determine the extent of compliance with this specification as far as workmanship, style and finish are concerned.

#### 5. PACKAGING AND PACKING

- 5.1 Packaging Each Combat Chest Rig, OD properly labeled shall be placed in a transparent cellophane bag. The open end of the bag shall be folded and closed with a transparent tape.
- 5.2 Packing Twenty (20) pieces of Combat Chest Rig, OD shall be packed in a corrugated carton. The top cover when locked shall be sealed with a binding tape and finally secured with nylon straps. The box shall be labeled as follows:

COMBAT CHEST RIG, OD Name of Manufacturer Quantity: 20 pieces

#### 6. NOTES

- 6.1 The contractor/manufacturer shall notify the Office of the Army Quartermaster at least seven (7) days before actual production starts so that PA inspectors can be assigned to oversee the process of manufacture to be followed and to inspect the quality of materials to be used.
- 6.2 Any point not covered by this text shall be governed by the attached illustrations which shall be followed in every detail.

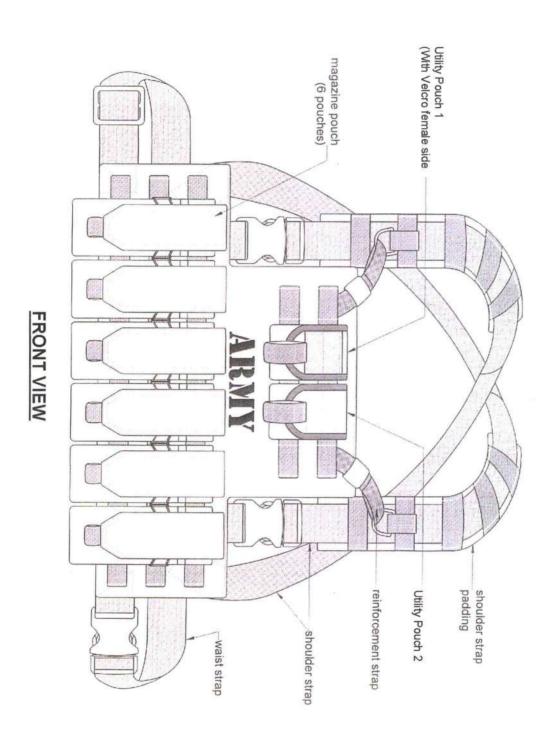
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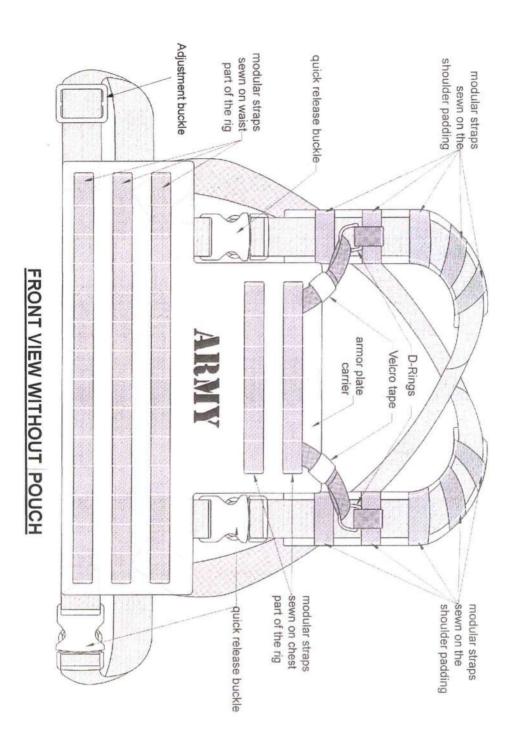
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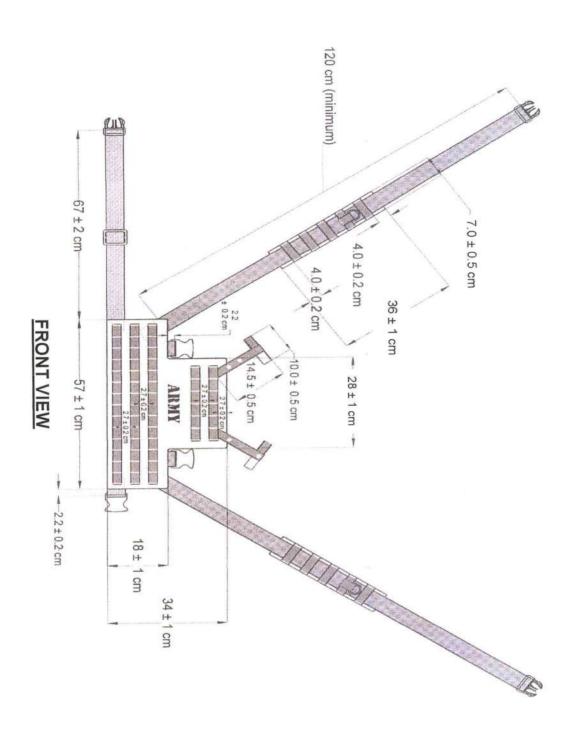
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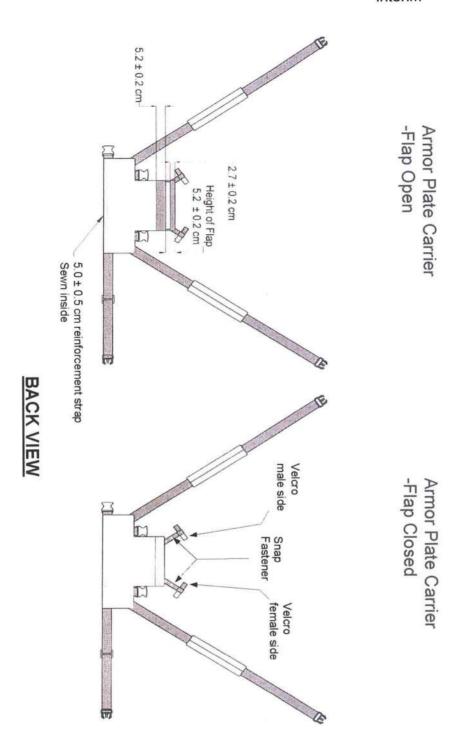


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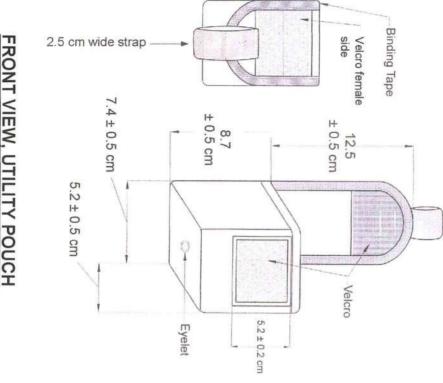


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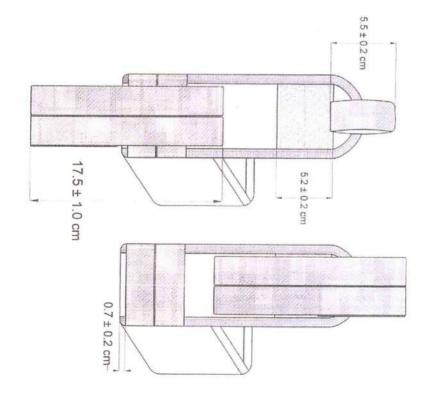
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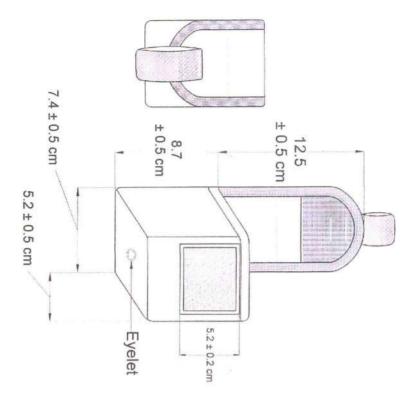


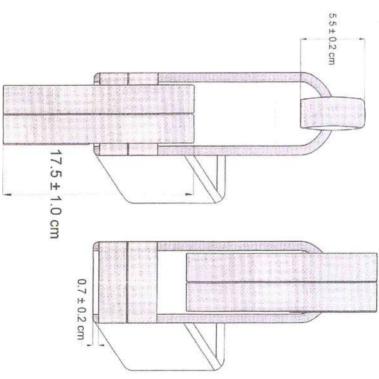
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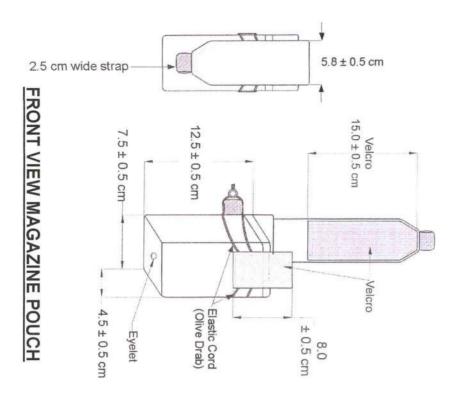


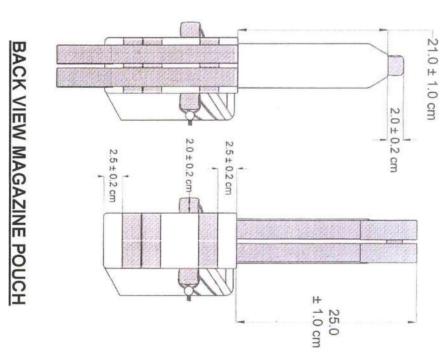


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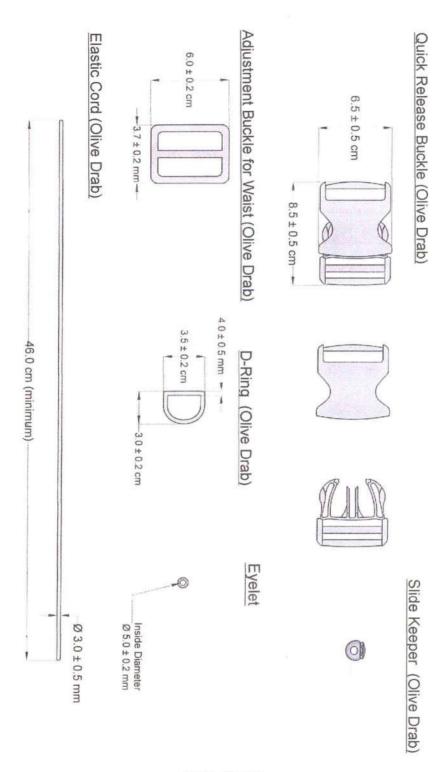
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## **TEST PARAMETERS**

# COMBAT CHEST RIG, OLIVE DRAB FOR M16/M14

TEST PARAMETERS	QM SPECS NR IE-22CCROD dtd	Classification of Defects	
	31 March 2016	Major	Minor
Basic Material	Nylon canvas	Х	
Coating	Applied with water resistant material on one side	х	
Oclar	Olive Drab	X	
Color	Plain		Х
Type of Weave Thread Count/2.54cm			
	30 (minimum)		X
Warp	25 (minimum)		X
Filling	20 (11111111111)		
Yarn Size (Denier)	1,300 (minimum)		X
Warp	1,100 (minimum)		X
Filling	0.50 (minimum)		×
Thickness, mm	450 (maximum)		X
Weight, g/m <sup>2</sup>	400 (maximum)		
Breaking Strength, kg	320 (minimum)	X	
Warp	270 (minimum)	X	
Filling	80 (minimum)	X	
Water Repellency, %	oo (miinimum)		
Water Resistance (Grams of Water Absorbed by Blotter)	0	X	
Straps	Nylon or Polyester webbing	Х	
Color	Olive Drab	X	
Strap #1, Belt Waist and Cross Front & Back Shoulder			
Type of Weave	Plain - Double		X
Width, cm	$5.0 \pm 0.5$		X
Thickness, mm	0.9 (minimum)		X
Breaking Strength, kg	950 (minimum)	X	
Strap #2, Modular and Reinforcement/Attachment			
Type of Weave	Plain - Double		X
Width, cm	2.5 ± 0.2		X
Thickness, mm	0.9 (minimum)		X
Breaking Strength, kg	450 (minimum)	X	
Binding Tape	Nylon or Polyester	X	
Color	Olive Drab	X	
Type of Weave	Plain - Double		X
Width, cm	1.9 ± 0.2		X
Thickness, mm	0.9 (minimum)		X
Shoulder Strap Padding	Soft rubberized foam	Х	
Shoulder Strap Fadding	Neatly covered with the same basic material	X	- Land
Length, cm	36.0 ± 1.0		X

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TEST PARAMETERS	QM SPECS NR IE-22CCROD dtd 31 March 2016	Classification Defects	
		Major	Minor
Width, cm	$7.0 \pm 0.5$		X
Thickness, mm	12.0 ± 1.0		X
Elastic Cord	Nylon, polyester or olefin		X
Color	Olive Drab	Х	
Diameter, mm	3.0 ± 0.5		X
Length, cm Pouches and Flaps	46.0 (minimum)	X	X
	Same basic material as specified in para 2.2.1	X	
Magazine Pouch	6 pieces	^	
Height, cm	12.5 ± 0.5		X
Width, cm	7.5 ± 0.5		Х
Thickness, cm	4.5 ± 0.5		Х
Flap			
Length, cm	21.0 ± 1.0		Х
Width, cm	$5.8 \pm 0.5$		Х
Utility Pouch	2 pieces	X	Vienes
Height, cm	$8.7 \pm 0.5$		Х
Width, cm	$7.4 \pm 0.5$		X
Thickness, cm	$5.2 \pm 0.5$		X
Flap			
Length, cm	12.5 ± 0.5		Х
Width, cm	7.4 ± 0.5		X
Armor Plate Carrier	1 piece		X
Length, cm	34.0 ± 1.0		X
Width, cm	28.0 ± 1.0		Х
Plastic Accessories	Made of hard plastic material	Х	
Color	Olive Drab	Х	
Quick Release Buckle	3 pieces	Х	
Length, cm	8.5 ± 0.5		X
Width, cm	6.5 ± 0.5		Х
Thickness, mm	15.0 ± 1.0		X
Breaking Strength, kg	95 (minimum)	Х	33.72
D-Ring	2 pieces	X	
Length, cm	3.5 ± 0.2	- 10	Х
Width, cm	3.0 ± 0.2		X
Thickness, mm	3.0 ± 0.2 4.0 ± 0.5		X
Adjustment Buckle	1 piece	X	^
Length, cm		^	Х
Width, cm	$6.0 \pm 0.2$		X
Thickness, mm	3.7 ± 0.2		X
	4.0 ± 0.5	V	Α
Slide Keeper (ball)  Metal Accessories	6 pieces	X	
	Made of brass	Х	
Finish	Black chemical finished	X	
Snap Fastener	2 pcs female and 4 pcs male	Х	
Inside/Head Diameter, mm	10.0 ± 0.2		Х
Eyelet	8 pieces	Х	
Inside Diameter, mm	$5.0 \pm 0.2$		X

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	Major	Mino	
Thread Sewing	Made of polyester or nylon		Х
Color	Same color shade as basic material	Х	
No. of Ply	2 (minimum)		Х
Breaking Strength, kg	1.5 (minimum)	Х	
Construction			
Shoulder Strap Padding	Shall be constructed with the material as specified in para 2.2.4 and shall be covered with the basic material, as illustrated.	х	
Modular Strap	Each shoulder padding shall have five (5) modular straps (strap #2) sewn along the width of the padding.	Х	
Armor Plate Carrier D-Ring Attachment	The 4th modular strap of each shoulder padding shall have a webbing (strap #2) sewn to it, forming a loop on which a D-ring is inserted.	х	
Cross Front and Back Shoulder Strap	The two (2) pieces cross front and back shoulder strap (strap #1), 120.0 cm (minimum) in length shall respectively be inserted/fixed to the right and left upper corners of the rig.	x	
	The loose end are provided with plastic buckle (male) as illustrated.	Х	
	Two (2) pieces webbing (strap #1), $2.2 \pm 0.2$ cm in length are respectively inserted/fixed at the right and left inner portion of the rig.	х	
Belt Waist Strap	The belt waist strap (strap #1) shall be $67 \pm 2$ cm long and inserted/fixed to the lower right side of the rig as illustrated.	х	
	The strap is provided with quick release buckle (male) and adjustable buckle for adjustment.	х	
	Another strap (strap #1), $2.2 \pm 0.2$ cm in long shall be inserted/fixed to the lower left side of the rig, provided with quick release buckle (female) as illustrated.	х	
Utility Pouches	Two (2) utility pouches and flap covers shall be made of the two (2) basic material.	х	
	With Velcro tape for closure.	Х	
	Provided with one (1) eyelet placed at the bottom of the pouch as illustrated.	x	
Flap	The edge of the flap cover shall be lined with binding tape.	х	
	A handle loop (strap #2), $5.5 \pm 0.2$ cm in long, shall be sewn/bartacked at the edge of the flap as illustrated.	х	
	One (1) flap shall be provided with Velcro tape (female side) to serve as attachment of name tapes and patches.	х	
Modular Strap	Two (2) modular straps (strap #2) are sewn/bartacked on the back of the pouch.	х	

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	31 March 2016	Major	Minor
Quick Release Strap	Two (2) quick release straps (strap #2), 17.5 ± 1.0 cm long, are sewn/bartacked on the back of the pouch as illustrated.		
	One end of the quick release buckle strap shall be folded into three.	х	
Magazine Pouches	The six (6) magazine pouches and flap covers shall be made of the two (2) layers basic material.	x	
	Provided with Velcro tape for closure.	Х	
	The Velcro tape (female side), $8.0 \pm 0.5$ cm long shall be sewn to the front of the magazine pouch	Х	
	Provided with one (1) eyelet placed at the bottom of the pouch as illustrated.	Х	
Flap	A handle loop (strap #2), $2.0 \pm 0.2$ cm in long, shall be sewn at the edge of the flap.	х	
	The Velcro tape (male side), $15.0 \pm 0.5$ cm shall be sewn to the inner of the flap as illustrated.	х	
Modular Strap	Two (2) modular straps (strap #2) are sewn/bartacked on the bottom back of the pouch	x	
Quick Release Strap	Two (2) quick release straps (strap #2), 25.0 ± 1.0 cm long, are sewn/bartacked on the back of the pouch as illustrated.	х	
	One end of the quick release buckle strap shall be folded into three.	х	
Elastic Cord	Two (2) straps (strap #2), $2.0 \pm 0.2$ cm long are sewn on both sides of each magazine pouch, just below the top modular strap as illustrated.	x	
	An elastic cord is loop through the two (2) straps to serve as adjustment of the pouch as illustrated. The ends of the elastic cord are held in place using a slide keeper as illustrated.	х	
Armor Plate Carrier	The armor plate carrier, flap cover and waist part of the rig shall be made of two (2) layers basic material.		
	Provided with Velcro tape for closure.	X	
Flap	The flap shall have a height of 5.2 ± 0.2 cm.		Х
\$2.000 PC	The Velcro tape (male side) shall be $2.7 \pm 0.2$ cm wide and the Velcro tape (female side) shall be $5.2 \pm 0.2$ cm wide as illustrated.	х	
Modular Strap	The upper part of the carrier shall have two (2) modular straps (strap #2), each divided into six (6) loops by placing bartacks on the straps as illustrated.	x	

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TEST PARAMETERS	QM SPECS NR IE-22CCROD dtd	Classification of Defects	
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Modular Strap	The lower part of the carrier shall have three (3) modular straps (strap #2), each divided into fourteen (14) loops by placing bartacks on the straps as illustrated.	х	
Webbing Attachment to Shoulder Strap	Two (2) pieces webbing (strap #2), 14.5 ± 0.5 cm long shall be inserted/fixed respectively at the right and left top part of the plate carrier.	х	
	Each having a three (3) snap fastener (1 female and 2 male) and Velcro tape (10.0 ± 0.5 cm long) for closure.	х	
Bottom Reinforcement Strap	There shall be $5.0 \pm 0.5$ cm wide webbing sewn inside the armor plate carrier to serve as reinforcement for the bottom part of the carrier.	х	
Design	The Combat Chest Rig, Olive Drab (OD) shall be of the design essentially the same as shown in the attached illustrations.	Х	
Manufacturer's Label	Shall have manufacturer's label	Х	
Location	Printed on the upper center of the back of the reverse side of the carrier plate, as illustrated.		X
Type and Size of Lettering	Black indelible ink or black waterproof paint in Arial font, size 12.	Ē.	Х
Contents of Label	COMBAT CHEST RIG, OD  QM SPEC NR IE – 22CCROD  Name of Manufacturer  Date of Manufacture:		x
Army Marking	With Army marking	Х	
Location	Printed on the center front of the plate carrier pouch, as illustrated, $3.0 \pm 0.2$ cm below the modular strap.		х
Type and Size of Lettering	Black indelible ink or black waterproof paint, Stencil font, Size 150.		х
Total Test Points	-	72	54

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