

SHUTTLE CRITICAL ITEMS LIST - CRITER

SUBSYSTEM :AUXILIARY POWER (APUS) FMEA NO 04-2 -TK11 -12 REV:02/25/88

ASSEMBLY :FUEL SUPPLY	ABCR	CRIT. FUNC:	12	
P/N RI :MC262-0084-0100	RTLS, AOA, ATO, TAL	CRIT. HDW:	2	
P/N VENDOR:PSI P/N 60228-1	VEHICLE	102	103	104
QUANTITY :3	EFFECTIVITY:	X	X	X
:1 PER APU	PHASE(S):	PL X LO X OO	DO X LS X	

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ITEM:  
TANK, FUEL, POSITIVE EXPULSION (DIAPHRAGM)

FUNCTION:  
(1) TO PROVIDE STORAGE AND CONTAINMENT OF MONOPROPELLANT HYDRAZINE AT PRESSURES BETWEEN 50 AND 370 PSIA; (2) TO EXPUL LIQUID HYDRAZINE UNDER ALL OPERATING CONDITIONS.

FAILURE MODE:  
DEGRADED OUTPUT (EXPULSION DEVICE FAILURE).

CAUSE(S):  
STRUCTURAL FAILURE OF THE DIAPHRAGM.

EFFECT(S) ON:  
(A)SUBSYSTEM (B)INTERFACES (C)MISSION (D)CREW/VEHICLE

(A) FUNCTIONAL DEGRADATION. POSSIBLE REDUCTION IN FUEL FLOW TO APU RESULTING IN DEGRADED OPERATION AND POSSIBLE APU SHUTDOWN.

(B) POSSIBLE LOSS OF SHAFT POWER TO ONE HYDRAULIC PUMP.

(C) ABORT DECISION IS REQUIRED, IF FAILURE OCCURS PRIOR TO ENTRY COMMITMENT.

(D) NO EFFECT UNTIL SECOND SYSTEM LOSS. CRITICALITY 1 FOR SSME INDUCED RTLS, ATO, AOA, OR TAL DUE TO THE POSSIBLE ADDITIONAL LOSS OF ASSOCIATED APU/HYD AND MAIN ENGINE.

(E) FUNCTIONAL CRITICALITY EFFECT - POSSIBLE LOSS OF VEHICLE IF TWO OUT OF THREE SYSTEMS ARE LOST.

DISPOSITION & RATIONALE:  
(A)DESIGN (B)TEST (C)INSPECTION (D)FAILURE HISTORY (E)OPERATIONAL USE

(A) DESIGN  
DIAPHRAGM: AF-E-332 MOLDED ETHYLENE PROPYLENE RUBBER. S70-0613 FUEL SERVICING UNIT, 10-MICRON ABSOLUTE FILTERS. EXPULSION EFFICIENCY: 98.7% MIN. DIAPHRAGM ALLOWABLE LEAKAGE: 20.0 SCC MAXIMUM/15 MIN.

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(B) TEST

ACCEPTANCE TEST PROOF PRESSURE AT 970 PSIG IS 2.73 TIMES MAXIMUM WORKING PRESSURE. FUNCTIONAL VERIFICATION AT ACCEPTANCE PER ATP.

QUALIFICATION TEST SPECIMEN BURST AT 1,321 PSIG (ACTUAL) AND HAD 200 EXPULSION CYCLES.

INTEGRATED TEST ARTICLE TANK HAS BEEN EXPOSED TO HYDRAZINE FOR 120 MONTHS AND 206 EXPULSION CYCLES HAVE BEEN ACCUMULATED.

PRE- AND POST FLIGHT INSPECTION PER APPLICABLE TMO/TCP REQUIREMENTS.

OMRSD: FUEL TANK DIAPHRAGM LEAK TEST IS PERFORMED EVERY FLOW.

(C) INSPECTION

RECEIVING INSPECTION

MATERIAL AND PROCESSES CERTIFICATIONS ARE VERIFIED BY INSPECTION. ELASTOMER COMPONENTS ARE VERIFIED BY INSPECTION.

CONTAMINATION CONTROL

HOLD CLEANLINESS IS VERIFIED BY INSPECTION. CLEANLINESS TO LEVEL 300 IS VERIFIED BY INSPECTION. CORROSION PROTECTION IS VERIFIED BY INSPECTION.

ASSEMBLY/INSTALLATION

CRITICAL DIMENSIONS AND SURFACE FINISHES ARE VERIFIED BY INSPECTION. MANUFACTURING, ASSEMBLY, AND INSTALLATION PROVISIONS ARE VERIFIED BY INSPECTION.

NONDESTRUCTIVE EVALUATION

BACKLIGHTING AND X-RAY OF DIAPHRAGM ARE VERIFIED BY INSPECTION. PENETRANT AND RADIOGRAPHIC INSPECTIONS OF WELDS ARE VERIFIED BY INSPECTION.

CRITICAL PROCESSES

WELDING PER SPECIFICATION REQUIREMENTS IS VERIFIED BY INSPECTION.

TESTING

PRESSURE TEST OF DIAPHRAGM PRIOR TO INSTALLATION INTO TANK HEMISPHERE IS VERIFIED BY INSPECTION. TEST EQUIPMENT AND TOOL CALIBRATION ARE VERIFIED BY INSPECTION. ATP IS WITNESSED AND VERIFIED BY INSPECTION.

HANDLING/PACKAGING

HANDLING, PACKAGING, STORAGE, AND SHIPPING PROCEDURES ARE VERIFIED BY INSPECTION.

(D) FAILURE HISTORY

NONE

(E) OPERATIONAL USE

NONE