Not For Production Use (For Reference Only)

ASTM A270-03a and UI

Welded Austenitic Stainless Steel Sanitary Tubing

ASTM Chemical Requirements

	304	304L	316	316L	Surface Finish
<u>Elements</u>	S30400	S30403	S31600	S31603	No. 80 - ground with 80 grit.
(C) Carbon, max	0.080	0.035	0.080	0.035	No. 120 - ground with 120 grit.
(Mn) Manganese, max	2.000	2.000	2.000	2.000	No. 180 - ground with 180 grit.
(P) Phosphorus, max	0.045	0.045	0.045	0.045	UI I.D. spec is 20 Ra for mechanically polished.
(S) Sulfur, max	0.030	0.030	0.030	0.030	R - Rouge polished free of grinding marks, pits, and other surface imperfections.
(Si) Silicon	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	Mirror-like quality.
(Ni) Nickel	8.0-11.0	8.0-12.0	10.0-14.0	10.0-14.0	T - Electro-polished free of grinding marks, pits, visible non-metalic inclusions, or
(Cr) Chromium	18.0-20.0	18.0-20.0	16.0-18.0	16.0-18.0	other surface imperfections.
(Mo) Molybdenum	N/A	N/A	2.0-3.0	2.0-3.0	UI I.D. electropolish specification is 10 Ra or 15 Ra.
(Ti) Titanium	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	

Mechanical Testing Test

Test	ASTM	United
Flare	Not Required	Required
Flatten	Not Required	Required
Flange	Not Required	Required
Reverse Bend	Not Required	Required
Reverse Flatten	Required	Required
Eddy Current	Required*	Required
Hydrostatic	Required*	Not Required
Hardness, max	N/A	95 Rb
Pressure	Not Required	Required *

Laboratory Testing

Test	ASTM	United	
Passivation test per MIL-STD 753B	Not Required	Required	
Electro-polish visual	Not Required	Required	

Heat Treatment

-Heat treat by heating to 1900 F minimum and then quenching.

Stencil

-Man. Name or brand, spec number, and grade, marked "welded", and the surface finish.

Dimensional Requirements

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Outside Diameter		Squareness		Length**		Straightness		Weld Height		Wall***		
Size	ASTM	United	ASTM	United	ASTM	United	ASTM	United	ASTM	United	ASTM	United
1/2"	005/+.005	005/+.005	N/A	.015	-0 +1/8	-0 +1/8	.030/36"	.030/36"	.004	+.004	+/- 12.5%	+/- 10.0%
3/4"	005/+.005	005/+.005	N/A	.015	-0 +1/8	-0 +1/8	.030/36"	.030/36"	.004	+.004	+/- 12.5%	+/- 10.0%
1"	005/+.005	005/+.002	N/A	.017	-0 +1/8	-0 +1/8	.030/36"	.030/36"	.006	+.006	+/- 12.5%	+/- 10.0%
1-1/2"	008/+.008	006/+.002	N/A	.026	-0 +1/8	-0 +1/8	.030/36"	.030/36"	.006	+.006	+/- 12.5%	+/- 10.0%
2"	008/+.008	006/+.002	N/A	.035	-0 +1/8	-0 +1/8	.030/36"	.030/36"	.006	+.006	+/- 12.5%	+/- 10.0%
2-1/2"	010/+.010	008/+.002	N/A	.044	-0 +1/8	-0 +1/8	.030/36"	.030/36"	.010	+.010	+/- 12.5%	+/- 10.0%
3"	010/+.010	008/+.003	N/A	.052	-0 +1/8	-0 +1/8	.030/36"	.030/36"	.010	+.010	+/- 12.5%	+/- 10.0%
4"	015/+.015	008/+.003	N/A	.070	-0 +1/8	-0 +1/8	.030/36"	.030/36"	.010	+.010	+/- 12.5%	+/- 10.0%
6"	030/+.030	030/+.030	N/A	.070	-0 +1/8	-0 +1/8	.030/36"	.030/36"	.010	+.010	+/- 12.5%	+/-10.0%

^{**} Applies only to 0.049" wall and over. For less than 0.049", the O.D. tolerance shall be agreed upon by the manufacturer and purchaser.

^{*}Air pressure test 30 psi tubes over 20' for HBA / 180 grit / ID Polish tubes

^{*} ASTM required either an Eddy Current or a Hydrostatic test be performed.

^{*} Pharmaceutical quality tubing has special requirements SEE ASTM A270 for supplementary requirements.