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Foreword

This document (EN 16602-70-31:2014) has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/CLC/TC 5 "Space", the secretariat of which is held by DIN.

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Introduction

This Standard describes in a generic way the methods and techniques that can be used for application of paints on space hardware. This document is prepared to replace all existing ECSS-Q-70 paint standards, i.e. ECSS-Q-70-25A, ECSS-Q-70-33A, ECSS-Q-70-34A and ECSS-Q-70-35A. It also covers the acceptance criteria for paints.

The parameters to be defined are:

- For substrate:
 - Cleanliness
 - Roughness or other preparation
- For primer:
 - Quality
 - Thickness
 - Adhesion
 - Time between application of primer and application of paint
- For paint:
 - Aspect
 - Thickness
 - Adhesion
 - Thermo-optical properties
 - Electrical properties
 - NOTE This list is not exhaustive.

1 Scope

This Standard defines the approach for producing a defined surface finish to spacecraft or associated equipment, by means of the controlled application of a paint. This also includes measurements and verifications to be performed.

This standard may be tailored for the specific characteristic and constrains of a space project in conformance with ECSS-S-ST-00.



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