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The following commercial specification is adopted from the military document. Revision A included all known accepted revisions, amendments, notices, and Department of Defense (DOD) engineering changes previously developed for this item. Revisions B and later include changes adopted by DOD and Industry to reflect technology and design evolution.

Note: Although many military quality and inspection specifications, drawings and standards have been discontinued or deleted, most have been replaced by industry and commercial documents. When the specification refers to a discontinued or deleted document, you should refer to the procurement document or your contracting officer for guidance.

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IDENTIFICATION: NYLON CORD MANUFACTURES' COLOR CODE

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1. SCOPE

1.1 Purpose. This standard establishes identification colors assigned to manufacturers of nylon cord conforming to Military Specification MIL-C-5040; Cord, Nylon and or PIA-C-5040 Cord, Fibrous, Nylon.

1.2 Application. Samples of the colors to be used may be obtained from the Procuring activity.

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2. REFERENCED DOCUMENTS Not Applicable

3. DEFINITIONS Not Applicable

4. GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

4.1 Identification color-coding.

<u>Manufacturer's name and address</u>	<u>Identification colors (Dyed threads or yarns)</u>
American Cord & Webbing Co., Inc. 88 Century Drive Woonsocket, RI 02895-6161	2 Black - 1 Green
Atkins & Pearce, Inc. 1 Braid Way Covington, KY 41017-9435	1 Red – 1 Green – 1 Black
Bartheles Mfg. Co 76-18 69 th Place Glendale, NY 11385	1 Blue – 2 Tan
Continental Cordage Corp. 75 Burton St. P.O. Box 623 Cazenovia, NY 13035	2 Green – 1 Black
Gentex Corp. P.O. Box 315 Carbondale, Pa 18407	1 Black – 2 Red
Gladding Braided Products, INC. Wholly subsidiary of Wellington Leisure Products 1 Gladding St. South Otselic, NY 13155-0164	1 Tan – 2 Black
Guedbrod, Inc. 274 Shoemaker Rd. P.O. Box 357 Pottstown, PA 19464-0357	1 Blue – 2 Yellow
Hope Global 50 Martin St. Cumberland, RI 02864	1 Yellow – 1 Green – 1 Tan