Ultrasonic Test Blocks

We manufacture a wide range of Ultrasonic Test blocks which are precisely machined, and quality tested as per specified ASTM, ASME and ISO standards. Standard Test Blocks are available in steel, stainless steel, and aluminum. Test Blocks in alloys are also available, like alloy steel, inconel, titanium, copper-nickel, Duplex steel and others. All Test Blocks are permanently engraved with the part no and serial number.

All test blocks are offered with wooden case and test certificate which include dimensional report and positive material identification report. Carbon steel blocks are Nickel coated for rust protection.



IIW-Type 1 Block

Used for calibration of shear and longitudinal transducers, and verification of shear wedge exit point and refracted angle. Can also be used for resolution and sensitivity checking. Includes a 100 mm radius on one end and a 25 mm radius by 1.5 mm deep. Also includes a 1.5 mm diameter and a 50 mm diameter hole.

In accordance with International Institute of Welding and ASTM E164 specifications. Dimensions: 300mm x 100mm x 25mm. Imperial version available.

IIW-Type 2 Block

This is a modified version of the original IIW-Type 1 design Includes a 50mm radius x 5.0mm deep cut-out superposed on the 100mm radius for distance calibration. Also includes 1.0mm, 2.0mm and 3.0mm through holes for sensitivity testing or surface wave inspection, and distance calibration marks to the 50mm hole. In accordance with International Institute of Welding and ASTM E164 specifications. Dimensions: 300mm x 100mm x 25mm. Imperial version available.

V2 (A4) Calibration Block

Small calibration block for on-site checking of miniature shear wave probe index, time base, beam angle and gain. Includes a 25 mm and 50 mm radius, 1.5mm hole (or 5mm), engraved reference mark scales from 35 to 75 degrees. In accordance with British Standard BS 2704 block A4, Fig. 4, ASTM 164 and ISO 7963 Cal block No. 2, Fig. 1. Dimensions: 75mm x 43mm x 12.5mm. Imperial version available.

DC Block

AWS-type block used for shear wave distance calibration. Contains a 25 mm radius overlaying a 50 mm radius on a 180° segment. In accordance with ASTM E164. Dimensions: 50 mm radius section is 12.5 mm thick, 25 mm radius section is 25 mm thick. Imperial version available.













SC Block

AWS-type block used for shear wave sensitivity calibration. Contains two 1.6 mm diameter through holes. In accordance with ASTM E164. Dimensions: 75 mm x 32 mm x 22.6 mm. Imperial version available.



















DSC Block

AWS-type block used for shear wave distance and sensitivity calibration. It consists 2 radius curves 25mm and 75mm with 3.2 mm dia hole and corresponding markings at 45°, 60° and 70° for measuring actual refracted angle. In accordance with ASTM E164. Dimensions: 100mm x 62.5mm x 25mm. Imperial version available.

Type MAB Miniature Angle-Beam Calibration Block

Angle beam block is a substitute for the DSC block for distance, beam index, refracted angle and sensitivity calibration. Contains a 1" radius opposite a 2" radius, and a 0.078" diameter x 0.75" deep flat-bottom hole. In accordance with ASTM E164. Dimensions: $3" \times 1.732" \times 1"$.

4-Step wedge

Thickness and linearity calibration. Step wedge 4 imperial $\{0.25, 0.5, 0.75, 1.00 \text{ inches}\}$, Step wedge 4A $\{6.25, 12.50, 18.75, 25 \text{ mm}\}$ and Step wedge 4B $\{5, 10, 15, 20 \text{ mm}\}$ with face dimension $\{0.75 \times 0.75 \text{ inches}\}$ for imperial and $\{20 \times 20 \text{ mm}\}$ for metric. In accordance with ASTM E797.

5-Step wedge

Thickness and linearity calibration. 5 Step wedge imperial (0.1, 0.2, 0.3, 0.4, 0.5 inches), 5 step wedge 5A (2.5, 5, 7.5, 10, 12.5 mm) and 5 step wedge 5B (2, 4, 6, 8, 10 mm) with face dimension (0.75 x 0.75 inches) for imperial and (20 x 20 mm) for metric. In accordance with ASTM E797.

10-Step Block

Thickness and linearity calibration. It is a 10 step wedge with step thickness from 1 mm to 10 mm and face dimension 20 mm x 20 mm. in accordance to ISO 16946.

DS Block

AWS-type block used for longitudinal distance and sensitivity calibration. Contains a 50 mm high section between two 100 mm sections. In accordance with AWS requirements. Dimensions: 150 mm x 100 mm x 50 mm. imperial version available.

IOW Beam Profile Block

Used for beam profile measurement of angle beam transducers and measurement of transducer angles. Contains nine 1.5 mm diameter x 22 mm deep side drilled holes. In accordance with British Standard 2704 requirements. Dimensions: 305mm x 75mm x 50mm.

AWS Resolution Block

Used for checking resolution capabilities of angle beam transducers. Contains three sets of 0.062" diameter through holes for 45°, 60° and 70°. In accordance with AWS Welding Highway. Dimensions: 6.0" x 3.0" x 1.0".

ASME Sec V Non-Piping Calibration Blocks (DAC Block)

Used for establishment of primary reference responses for UT examination of welds. The standard blocks are available in thickness (T) 0.75" (19mm), 1.5" (38mm) and 3" (75mm) which contains three side-drilled holes of diameter 3/32" (2.5mm), 1/8" (3mm) and 3/16" (5mm) respectively. The holes locations are at 0.25T, 0.5T and 0.75T and depth of each hole is 1.5" (38mm) Also contains two EDM notches measuring 2%T deep x 1/4" (6mm) max wide x 1.0" (25mm) long min. In accordance with ASMESec V Art. 4 Fig. T-434.2.1. Dimensions: 3T x 6" (150mm) x T.

Phased Array Type A Block



The Phased Array "Type A" Calibration Block is used during the initial setup and calibration of a phased array ultrasonic unit. This block can be used to perform tasks such as beam angle verification, calibration for wedge delay, sensitivity calibration, performing DAC/TCG, and more. This block has similar dimensions to an IIW-Type Block, but has been specially engineered for phased array applications. Blocks include both 50.0mm and 25.0mm radii, (19) through holes at 1.0mm diameter, (1) through hole at 2.0mm diameter, (4) FBHs at 2.0mm diameter x 2.0, 4.0, 6.0, and 8.0mm deep, (4) FBHs at 4.0mm diameter x 1.0, 3.0, 5.0, and 7.0mm deep, (3) FBHs at 2.0mm diameter x 3.0mm deep machined into the 25mm radius, and (4) EDM notches at 0.1, 0.2, 0.3, and 0.4mm deep x 0.5mm wide x 25.0mm long. Block dimensions: 300mm x 100mm x 25mm.

Phased Array Type B Block



ASTM E2491 Phased Array Assessment Block is a general purpose Phased Array calibration block used for beam characterization and evaluation of system performance characteristics. Use it as baseline block to determine long-term instrument performance changes, generate DAC curves, and evaluate linear/angular resolution, focusing ability and beam steering capability. With a variety of targets, this small, lightweight block is also perfect for customer demonstrations of phased array ultrasonic capabilities. Dimensions: 150mm x 100mm x 25mm. In accordance with ASTM E2491.



ASTM E317 Horizontal and Vertical Linearity Block, Fig. 1

Dimensions: 50 mm x 25, 82.5 mm x 200 mm. Imperial version also available.

Used for evaluating the horizontal and vertical linearity characteristics of ultrasonic pulseecho testing systems. Contains two 1.2 mm diameter side-drilled holes. In accordance with ASTM E317 Figure 1. Dimensions: 75 mm x 50 mm x 25 mm. Imperial version also available.

Used for evaluating the resolution characteristics of ultrasonic pulse echo testing systems. Contains six 1.2 mm diameter flat-bottom holes. In accordance with ASTM E317 Figure 6.





ASTM Area Amplitude Set of 8

ASTM E317 Resolution Block, Fig. 6

Set of eight blocks used to determine the relationship between flaw size and echo amplitude by comparing signal responses. Metal travel distance is 3.000" for all blocks. In accordance with ASTM E127 and E428. Flat-bottom hole diameters for this set per E127 Table 3 are: 1/64", 2/64", 3/64", 4/64", 5/64", 6/64", 7/64" and 8/64".



ASTM Distance/Area Amplitude Set of 10

Basic set of ten blocks used to determine dead zone, sensitivity, distance and area amplitude linearity measurements. In accordance with ASTM E127 and E428. Flat bottom hole diameters and metal travel distances for this set per E127 Table 1 are: 3/64" at 3.000" MTD; 5/64" at .125", .250", .500", .750", 1.500", 3.000" and 6.000" MTD; and 8/64" at 3.000" and 6.000" MTD (Metal travel distance).

ASTM Distance Amplitude Set of 19



Set of nineteen blocks used to determine the relationship between metal distance and signal amplitude. All blocks have the same size flat-bottom hole. Hole diameter must be specified when ordering. (3/64", 5/64" or 8/64") In accordance with ASTM E127 and E428. Metal travel distances for this set per E127 Table 4 are: .063", .125", .250", .375", .500", .625", .750", .875", 1.000", 1.250", 1.750", 2.250", 2.750", 3.250", 3.750", 4.250", 4.750", 5.250" and 5.750".



Code (XX)	Material	
CS	Carbon steel 101	
SS	Stainless steel 304	
AL	Aluminium 6063	

Code (Y)	Unit System	
м	Metric	
I	Imperial	

Code (ZZ) – Thickness 19mm, 38mm or 75mm.

Sr. No.	Ultrasonic Test Block	Order No.
1	IIW-Type 1 (V1) Block	IIWT1-XX-Y
2	IIW-Type 2 Block	IIWT2-XX-Y
3	V2 (A4) Calibration Block	V2-XX-Y
4	DC Block	DC-XX-Y
5	SC Block	SC-XX-Y
6	DSC Block	DSC-XX-Y
7	Type MAB Miniature Angle Beam Calibration Block	MAB-XX-Y
8	4-Step wedge inches	SW4-XX-I
9	4-Step wedge metric A	SW4A-XX-M
10	4-Step wedge metric B	SW4B-XX-M
11	5-Step wedge inches	SW5-XX-I
12	5-Step wedge metric A	SW5A-XX-M
13	5-Step wedge metric B	SW5B-XX-M
14	10-Step wedge metric	SW10-XX-M
15	DS Block	DC-XX-Y
16	IOW Beam Profile Block	IOW-XX-Y
17	AWS Resolution Block	SWS-XX-Y
18	ASME Sec V Non-Piping Calibration Block T-434.2.1 (DAC Block)	DAC-XX-ZZ
19	Phased Array Type A Block	ΡΑΑ-ΧΧ-Υ
20	Phased Array Type B Block	PHB-XX-Y
21	ASTM E317 Horizontal and Vertical Linearity Block, Fig. 1	HVL-XX-Y
22	ASTM E317 Resolution Block, Fig. 6	RA-XX-Y
23	ASTM Area Amplitude Set of 8	ASTM8-XX
24	ASTM Distance/Area Amplitude Set of 10	ASTM10-XX
25	ASTM Distance Amplitude Set of 19	ASTM19-XX





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