

NOTICE  
OF CHANGE

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MIL-STD-636  
NOTICE 3  
05 June 1991

MILITARY STANDARD

VISUAL INSPECTION STANDARD FOR SMALL ARMS AMMUNITION  
THROUGH CALIBER .50

TO ALL HOLDERS OF MIL-STD-636:

1. THE FOLLOWING PAGES OF MIL-STD-636 HAVE BEEN REVISED AND  
SUPERSEDE THE PAGES LISTED:

NEW PAGE	DATE	SUPERSEDED PAGE	DATE
17	15 August 1988	17	REPRINTED WITHOUT CHANGE
17a	05 June 1991	17a	16 September 1989

2. RETAIN THIS NOTICE AND INSERT BEFORE TABLE OF CONTENTS.

3. Holders of MIL-STD-636, will verify that page changes and additions indicated above have been entered. This notice page will be retained as a check sheet. This issuance, together with appended pages, is a separate publication. Each notice is to be retained by stocking points until the military standard is completely revised or cancelled.

Custodians:

Army - AR  
Navy - OS

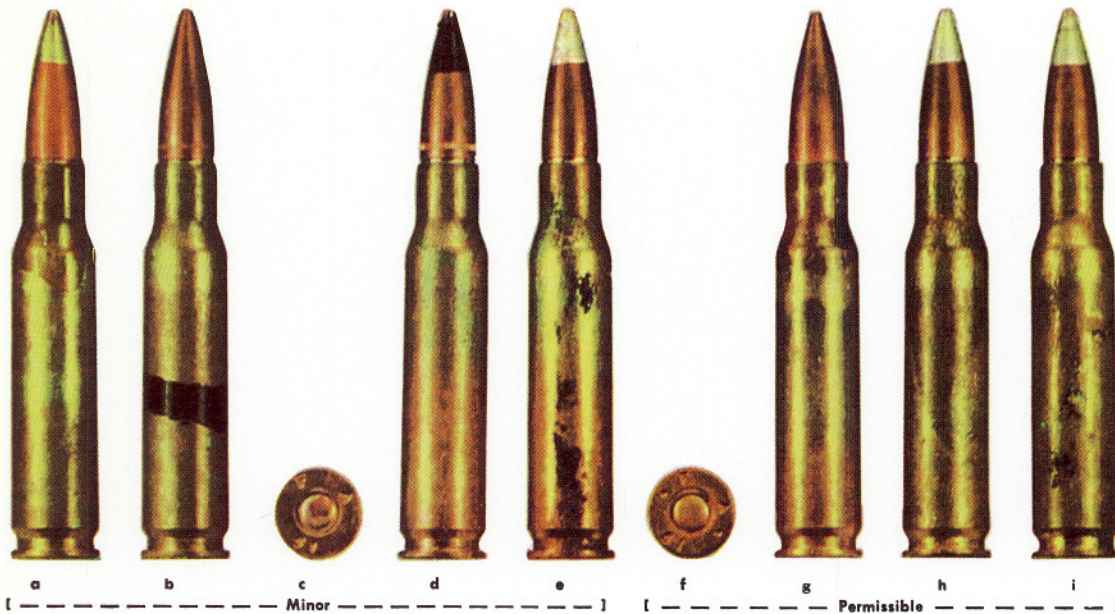
Preparing Activity:  
Army - AR

(Project 1305 - AD43)

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DISTRIBUTION STATEMENT A.

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No. 1. Discolored, Dirty, Oily, Smeared (waterproofing)

- (a) } Smeared Identification
- (b) } Paint
- (c) Smeared Primer  
Waterproofing

- (d) Oil on Cartridge Case
- (e) Dirty Cartridge Case
- (f) Smeared Primer  
Waterproofing

- (g) } Discolored Cartridge
- (h) } Cases
- (i) Dirty Cartridge Case



[ --- Major --- ] [Permissible]

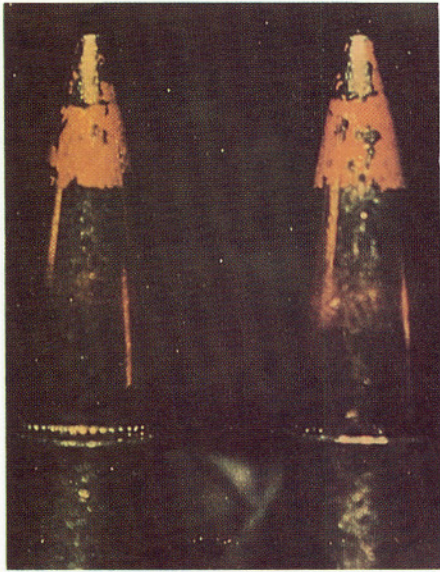
No. 2. Corroded or Stained

Where etching appears in stained areas, local or general, the cartridge will be classified as a major defective.

No. 3. Mixed Ammunition Types (Not illustrated). Critical, Major, or Minor depending on types mixed. See detail specification. (Also includes incorrect or poor identification.)

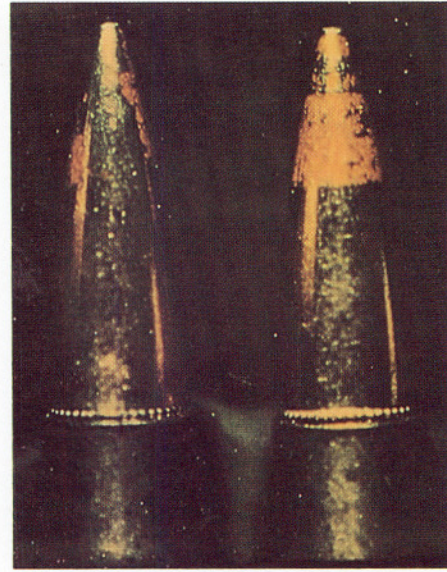
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Minimum 60% of Original Paint Remains



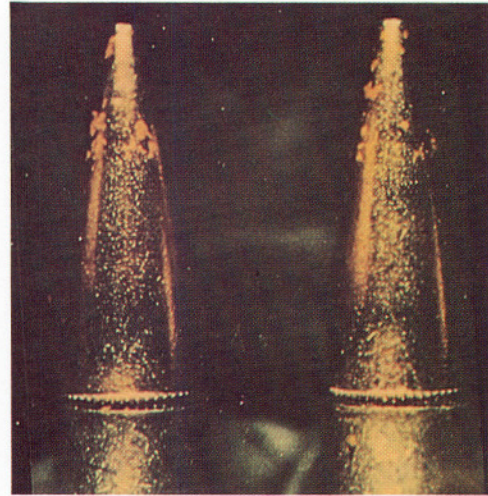
b

[-----Minor-----]



c

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d

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No. 3a. Missing or Partially Missing Identification After Linking

Photographs apply to the Tracer, M62, Overhead Fire, M62, and Armor Piercing, M61, and represent two sides of the same bullet.

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