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BINDT
THE BRITISH INSTITUTE OF
NON-DESTRUCTIVE TESTING



APPROVED OUTSIDE AGENCY

TESTIA LTD

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has been assessed by BINDT and is
approved to provide the following services:

Training and Examination of NDT Personnel in support of employer-based certification in accordance with EN4179.

BINDT approval is conditional upon the organisation continuing to provide the specified service to the standard witnessed during initial assessment, which will be confirmed at a biennial re-assessment.

Outside Agencies approved by BINDT are recognised by the UK NANDT Board, which determines the criteria for approval of outside agencies, and maintains an overview of the implementation of the assessment and approval procedure.

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Signed for BINDT

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The British Institute of Non-Destructive Testing is an accredited certification body offering personnel and quality management systems assessment and certification against criteria set out in international and European standards through the PCN Certification Scheme. Approval of Outside Agencies offering NDT personnel qualification services to clients is undertaken by BINDT at the request of an Outside Agency to engender confidence in the quality of the specified service provision.

Main Methods as Specified in EN4179	Techniques	Materials
Penetrant Testing (PT)	F. Water Wash F. Post Emulsified Solvent Removable	Metallic
Magnetic Testing (MT)	Wet Horizontal Bench systems Portable Systems	Metallic
Ultrasonic Testing (UT)	Contact Testing A-scan display, PA Through Transmission C-scan display Immersion C-scan display Thickness Gauging	Composite, Metallic
Radiography (RT)	X-ray using film Digital Radiography Computerised Radiography Interpretation	Composite, Metallic
Eddy Current (ET)	High Frequency Low Frequency Dynamic (Rotating)	Metallic

Non EN4179 Main Methods	Techniques	Materials
Barkhausen Noise	Dedicated equipment-based technique.	Metallic
Conductivity Testing	Digital gauges	Metallic
Hardness Testing	Rockwell [B and C] Vickers Micro Portable	Metallic
Mechanical Testing	Tensile Charpy Impact Bend Tests Compression and Tension	Metallic
Bond Testing	Instrument based techniques Manual	Metallic/Composite
Visual Inspection	Remote Visual Testing	Metallic
Coating Thickness Measurement	Eddy Current	Metallic
Radiation Safety	Gamma & X-Ray	Metallic
Shearographic Testing (ST)		Metallic/Composite

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