



Technical Report No. 64.190.14.02468.01 Rev. 00 Dated 2014-08-25

Client: Bojie Furniture Company Limited

No.3 Youyi road, Gaoli industry area, Qinghutou village, Tangxia town,

Dongguan city, Guangdong province, P.R.China

Manufacturing place: Bojie Furniture Company Limited

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Dongguan city, Guangdong province, P.R.China

Test subject: Product: 225DM-Middle Back mesh chair

Model No.: D00225DMF001

Test specification: ANSI/BIFMA X 5.1-2011

Purpose of examination: Test according to the client's requirements.

Test result: PASS

Details see report Clause 3.

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1 Description of the test subject

1.1 Function

Manufacturer's specification for intended use: Office chair

1.2 Technical Data

Chair Type: Type I and III. Height: 917~ 1005 mm

Width: 645 mm Depth: 570 mm Net weight: 16,8 kg

1.3 Product Photos



2 Order

2.1 Date of Purchase Order, Customer's Reference

2014-07-24

2.2 Receipt of Test Sample, Location

2014-07-24, TÜV SÜD Certification and Testing (China) Co., Ltd. Guangzhou Branch

2.3 Date of Testing

From 2014-07-24 to 2014-08-25

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2.4 Location of Testing

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2.5 Points of Non-compliance or Exceptions of the Test Procedure

None

3 Test Results

Abbreviations:			
P(ass) = passed	F(ail) = failed	NA = not applicable	NT = not tested

ANSI/BIF	MA X5.1-2011		
Clause	Requirement ~Test	Measuring result -Remark	Verdict
5.4.1	Back Strength Test - Static - Type I - Functional Load		Р
	Back force: 890 N (200 lbf.), 90 degree to the backrest, max 16 inch above the seat.		
	Loading period: 1 minute		
	Acceptance level: No loss of serviceability.		
5.4.2	Back Strength Test - Static - Type I - Proof Load		Р
	Back force: 1334 N (300 lbf.), 90 degree to the backrest, max 16 inch above the seat.		
	Loading period: 1 minute		
	Acceptance level: No sudden and major change in the structural integrity of the chair. Loss of serviceability is acceptable.		
6.4.1	Back Strength Test - Static - Type II & III - Functional Load		Р
	Back force: 667 N (150 lbf.), 90 degree to the backrest, max 16 inch above the seat.		
	Loading period: 1 minute		
	Acceptance level: No loss of serviceability.		
6.4.2	Back Strength Test - Static - Type II & III - Proof Load		Р
	Back force: 1112 N (250 lbf.), 90 degree to the backrest, max 16 inch above the seat.		
	Loading period: 1 minute		
	Acceptance level: No sudden and major change in the structural integrity of the chair. Loss of serviceability is acceptable.		

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Base Test – Static		Р
Test force: 111,20 N, on the center of base via a		
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base. The center column may not touch the test		
platform during the load application.		
Drop Test - Dynamic - Functional Load		Р
Weight of test bag: 102 kg (225 lb.)		
Drop height: 152 mm (6 in.)		
Acceptance level: No loss of serviceability.		
Drop Test Dynamic - Proof Load		Р
Weight of test bag: 136 kg (300 lb.)		
Drop height: 152 mm (6 in.)		
Acceptance level: No sudden and major change		
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position, and another 60,000 cycles when seat		
at lowest position.		
Acceptance level: No loss of serviceability.		
Tilt Mechanism Test - Cyclic - Type I & II		Р
Seat load: 102 kg (225 lb.)		
Cycles: 300,000 cycles		
Acceptance level: No loss of serviceability to the		
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Accptance level: no loss of serviceability.		
Seating Durability Tests – Cyclic - Front Corner		Р
Load Ease Test - Cyclic - off Center		
Test load: 734 N (165 lbf.)		
Test points: two front corners of seat		
Cycles: 20,000 cycles on each corner.		
Acceptance level: no loss of serviceability.		
Note: this test is done after "Impact test" on the same sample.		
	Test force: 111,20 N, on the center of base via a vertical column. Loading period: 2 times, each time 1 minute. Acceptance level: There shall be no sudden and major change in the structural integrity of the base. The center column may not touch the test platform during the load application. Drop Test - Dynamic - Functional Load Weight of test bag: 102 kg (225 lb.) Drop height: 152 mm (6 in.) Acceptance level: No loss of serviceability. Drop Test Dynamic - Proof Load Weight of test bag: 136 kg (300 lb.) Drop height: 152 mm (6 in.) Acceptance level: No sudden and major change in the structural integrity of the chair. Loss of serviceability is acceptable. Swivel Test - Cyclic Seat load: 113 kg (250 lb.) Cycles: 60,000 cycles when seat at highest position, and another 60,000 cycles when seat at lowest position. Acceptance level: No loss of serviceability. Tilt Mechanism Test - Cyclic - Type I & II Seat load: 102 kg (225 lb.) Cycles: 300,000 cycles Accptance level: No loss of serviceability to the tilt mechanism. Seating Durability Tests - Cyclic - Impact Test - Cyclic Test bag: 57 kg (125 lb.) Drop height: 30 mm (1,2 in.) above the seat Cycles: 100,000 cycles. Accptance level: no loss of serviceability. Seating Durability Tests - Cyclic - Front Corner Load Ease Test - Cyclic - off Center Test load: 734 N (165 lbf.) Test points: two front corners of seat Cycles: 20,000 cycles on each corner. Acceptance level: no loss of serviceability. Note: this test is done after "Impact test" on the	Test force: 111,20 N, on the center of base via a vertical column. Loading period: 2 times, each time 1 minute. Acceptance level: There shall be no sudden and major change in the structural integrity of the base. The center column may not touch the test platform during the load application. Drop Test - Dynamic - Functional Load Weight of test bag: 102 kg (225 lb.) Drop height: 152 mm (6 in.) Acceptance level: No loss of serviceability. Drop Test Dynamic - Proof Load Weight of test bag: 136 kg (300 lb.) Drop height: 152 mm (6 in.) Acceptance level: No sudden and major change in the structural integrity of the chair. Loss of serviceability is acceptable. Swivel Test - Cyclic Seat load: 113 kg (250 lb.) Cycles: 60,000 cycles when seat at highest position, and another 60,000 cycles when seat at lowest position. Acceptance level: No loss of serviceability. Tilt Mechanism Test - Cyclic - Type I & II Seat load: 102 kg (225 lb.) Cycles: 300,000 cycles Accptance level: No loss of serviceability to the tilt mechanism. Seating Durability Tests - Cyclic - Impact Test - Cyclic Test bag: 57 kg (125 lb.) Drop height: 30 mm (1,2 in.) above the seat Cycles: 100,000 cycles. Accptance level: no loss of serviceability. Seating Durability Tests - Cyclic - Front Corner Load Ease Test - Cyclic - off Center Test load: 734 N (165 lbf.) Test points: two front corners of seat Cycles: 20,000 cycles on each corner. Acceptance level: no loss of serviceability. Note: this test is done after "Impact test" on the

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12.3.1	Stability Test - Rear Stability for type III	Р
	Apply only to chairs with backrests greater than 200mm	
	Type III:	
	Load the chair with 6 disks, apply a horizontal force to the highest disk. The location of the force application is 6 mm (0.25 in.) from the top of the disk.	
	The force shall be:	
	• F = 0.1964 (1195 – H) Newton. H is the seat height in mm.	
	• [F = 1.1 (47 – H) pounds force.]. H is the seat height in inches.	
	For chairs with seat height equal to or greater than 710 mm (28.0 in.), a fixed force of 93 N (20.9 lbf.) shall be applied.	
	The chair shall not tip over.	
12.3.2	Stability Test - Rear Stability for type I and II	Р
	Apply only to chairs with backrests greater than 200 mm.	
	Load the chair with 13 disks (each 10 kg), the chair shall not tip over.	
12.4	Stability Test - Front Stability	Р
	The chair is obstructed with a 13mm (½ in.) obstruction to the chair casters/legs. A downward load of 600 N (135 lb.) is centered 60mm (2.4in.) from the seat front center edge. The seat shall withstand a 20N (4.5lbf.) horizontally from the front seat edge without tipping.	
13.4.1	Arm Strength Test Vertical - Static - Functional Load	Р
	Test load: 750 N (169 lbf.) at weakest point of arm with all adjustments set at normal use conditions.	
	Loading period: 1 minute.	
	Acceptance level: no loss of serviceability	
13.4.2	Arm Strength Test Vertical – Static - Proof Load	Р
	Test load: 1125 N (253 lbf.) at weakest point of arm with all adjustments set at normal use conditions.	
	Loading period: 1 minute.	
	Acceptance level: no sudden and major change in the structural integrity of the unit. Loss of serviceability is acceptable.	

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14.4.1	Arm Strength Test Horizontal –Static – Functional Load		Р
	Test load: 445 N (100 lbf.)		
	Loading period: 1 minute.		
	Acceptance level: no loss of serviceability		
14.4.2	Arm Strength Test Horizontal – Static –Proof Load		Р
	Test load: 667 N (150 lbf.)		
	Loading period: 1 minute.		
	Acceptance level: no sudden and major change in the structural integrity of the unit. Loss of serviceability is acceptable.		
15	Backrest Durability Test - Cyclic - Type I		Р
	Seat load: 102 kg (225lb.) secured in the center of the seat		
	Back load: 445 N (100 lbf.)		
	Cycles: total 120,000 cycles.		
	Acceptance level: no loss of serviceability		
16	Back Durability Test - Cyclic - Type II & III		Р
	Seat load: 102 kg (225lb.) secured in the center of the seat		
	Back load: 334 N (75 lbf.)		
	Cycles: total 120,000 cycles.		
	Acceptance level: no loss of serviceability		
17.1	Caster / Chair Base Durability Test For Pedestal Base Chair		Р
	Load: 113 kg (250 lb.)		
	Cycles: 2,000 cycles with 3 obstacles and 98,000 cycles over a smooth hard surface without obstacles.		
	Acceptance level: no part of the caster shall separate from the chair as a result of the application of the 22 N (5 lbf.) force.		
17.2	Caster / Chair Base Durability Test for Chairs with Legs	Not a chair with legs.	NA
	No loss of service after 2,000cycles over a hard surface with 2 obstacles and 98, 000cycles over a smooth hard surface without obstacles under a 113kg (250lbs.) load on the seat. Test stroke is 762mm (30in.) minimum. The caster should not separate under 22N (5lbs.) pulling force in line with the caster stem after the cycling test.		
18.3.2.1	Leg Strength Test – Front Load Functional Load Load: a force of 334 N (75 lbf.) is applied to each front leg individually for 1 minute.	Not applicable to chair with pedestal base.	NA
	Acceptance level: No loss of serviceability		

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18.3.2.2	Leg Strength Test – Front Load – Proof Load Load: a force of 503 N (113 lbf.) is applied to each front leg individually for 1 minute. Acceptance level: no sudden and major change in the structural integrity of the unit. Loss of serviceability is acceptable.	Not applicable to chair with pedestal base.	NA
18.4	Leg Strength Test-Side Load- Functional Load Load: a force of 334 N (75 lbf.) is applied to each front leg individually for 1 minute. Acceptance level: No loss of serviceability	Not applicable to chair with pedestal base.	NA
18.4	Leg Strength Test -Side Load- Proof Load Load: a force of 503 N (113 lbf.) is applied to each front leg individually for 1 minute. Acceptance level: no sudden and major change in the structural integrity of the unit. Loss of serviceability is acceptable.	Not applicable to chair with pedestal base.	NA
19.3	Footrest Static Load Test – Vertical- Functional Load Test load: 445 N (100 lbf) for 1 minute Acceptance level: no loss of serviceability or sudden loss of footrest height.	No footrest.	NA
19.4	Footrest Static Load Test – Vertical – Proof Load Test load: 1334 N (300 lbf) for 1 minute Acceptance level: no sudden and major change in the structural integrity of the unit.	No footrest.	NA
20	Footrest Durability Test Test load: 890 N (200 lbf) Cycles: 50,000 cycles Acceptance level: there shall be no loss of serviceability. Adjustable footrests that move more than 25 mm in the first 500 cycles shall be considered to have lost their serviceability.	No footrest.	NA
21	Arm Durability Test – Cyclic Test load: 400 N (90 lbf) on each arm at 10° angle. Cycles: 60,000 cycles. Acceptance level: no loss of serviceability.		Р
22	Out Stop Tests for Chairs with Manually Adjustable Seat Depth Place a 74 kg (163 lb) rigid mass in the center of the seat. Hold the seat at its most position. A cable is attached to the most rigid point of the vertical centerline of the seat. Hang a weight of 25 kg (55 lb) on the opposite end of the cable. Release the weight so it can drag the seat move forward rapidly and impact	Not applicable.	NA

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23	Tablet Arm Static Load Test	No tablet arm.	NA
	Test load: 68 kg (150 lb.) at apparent weakest point for 1 minute		
	The load applied once shall cause no sudden and major change in the structural integrity of the chair. After performing the test, the tablet arm must allow egress from the unit; other losses of serviceability are acceptable.		
24	Tablet Arm Load Ease Test – Cyclic Test load: 343 N (77 lbf.) Cycles: 100,000 cycles Acceptance level: No loss of serviceability	No tablet arm.	NA

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