

Foreign Object Debris / Damage (FOD)

**Upon invocation of this clause, Supplier shall abide by following Century Fastener's Terms and Conditions on delegation from L3 Harris Technology's behalf.*

To reduce the introduction of foreign objects into any deliverable item, the supplier shall practice good housekeeping, and maintain and comply with a documented FOD prevention program. The supplier shall manufacture, distribute, or maintain products in such a way to eliminate foreign object debris / damage in items delivered to Century / L3Harris. Century / L3Harris shall consider received items to be verified by the supplier to be free of foreign materials.

The supplier FOD prevention program is subject to review and approval by Century / L3Harris. Where a sub-tier supplier will not implement a FOD prevention program, the supplier shall include in their program all necessary actions required to ensure any potential FOD is eliminated prior to shipment to Century / L3Harris.

As a reference, the supplier can use the current version of AS9146 and NAS412 (standard developed jointly by industry and DOD working groups sponsored by National Aerospace FOD Prevention Inc.), and Aerospace Industries Association (AIA) standard in order to develop their own FOD prevention program.