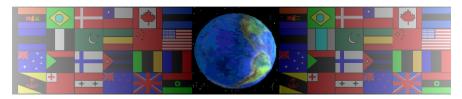
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QUALITY ASSURANCE

Administrative system (paper work).

Includes: staff training, surveying customers regarding the quality of the product. Monitoring workers checking the quality of manufacture on the production line.

QUALITY CONTROL

Quality checks by the workers on the production line.

Testing the product to see that it works properly.

Visual checks and computer / sensor checks.

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PRODUCTS AND QUALITY STANDARDS



The following quality checks were made on the chair whilst being manufactured

Stability, must not topple over. **Joints and fixings**, strong and do not break.

Quality of finish, colour is high quality and finish smooth and polished.

Paint, Covers all the frame, smooth, quality finish.

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TOLERANCE

Checking that a product is manufactured within an upper and lower limit.

Example: Thousands of steel bolts are manufactured by a company. Samples are check that they are the correct size. Each bolt must fall within a maximum and minimum length.

The tolerance of the bolt is said to be:

+ 0.5mm 80.5mm - 0.5mm

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Stamped on products tested to the minimum standard set by the EEC.

Applies to products in the European Community

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HOW THE BRITISH STANDARDS KITE MARK DIFFERS FROM THE CONFORMITE EUROPEAN SYMBOL

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high standards of manufacture,
safety and quality must be
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