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## **Quality, Dependability and Reliability**

AvtechTyee's lighting fixtures have been standard equipment aboard the C17 aircraft since the programs inception. Recently, the same design has been applied to the USAF C-5 upgrade program. The fixtures are designed to operate over the -40 to +71 degree C temperature range and are able to withstand 9 G's of random vibration and meet all other environmental requirements typical of a military or commercial freighter/cargo application.

Integrated within the fixture are two electronic ballasts which use 115 VAC, 400 Hz power. The ballast also boasts a 20:1 dimming capability. The fixtures use four T10 lamps and supply up to 160 watts of fluorescent lighting power per fixture.



## **C17 Lighting Fixtures**

Both overhead and sidewall fixtures are used in the aircraft, with critical engineering demands put on the equipment due to the severe service typical of military cargo transport missions.

- Qualified to military standards
- Ballast contains unique low temperature circuit giving the design the ability to operate down to -40 degrees C
- Rugged, suitable for any cargo loading application
- Able to operate in high vibration environments
- Fixture and ballast MTBF in excess of 100,000 flight hours
- Fixtures incorporate Avtech's patented electronic ballast
- Fixtures are made to facilitate easy removal and replacement of lamps by the use of a swing-away lens assembly.

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## **SPECIFICATIONS**

Section	Condition	Category
Power Input	MIL-STD-704C	Paragraph 5.2
Electromagnetic Compatibility	MIL-STD-462	Notice 2, Class A1
	MIL-STD-461	Notice 3
	Paragraph 5.4.4	CE03 0.02 to 50 MHz Conducted Emissions
	Paragraph 5.4.5	CE04 0.02 to 50 MHz Conducted Emissions
	Paragraph 5.4.6	RE02 14 kHz to 1 GHz, Radiated Emissions
	Paragraph 5.4.7	REO2 14 kHz to 1 GHz, Radiated Emissions
Temperature Altitude	MIL-STD-810C	Method 504.1, Category I
Vibration	MIL-STD-810C	Method 514.2, Category b.2
Salt Fog	MIL-STD-801C	Method 509.1, Paragraph 2.0-2.3
Fungus	MIL-STD-454	Table 4-1, Group I
Humidity	MIL-STD-810C	Method 507.1, Procedure i
Shock	MIL-STD-810D	Method 516.3, Procedure I and V
Sand and Dust	MIL-STD-810C	Method 510.1



A significant benefit of AvtechTyee's fluorescent lighting assemblies are the electronic ballasts incorporated into the designs. These state-of-the-art ballasts are half the weight of conventional ballasts and have a "universal" design. Each part number can serve different lamp requirements, plus one ballast can drive up to two lamps, resulting in sizable weight and cost savings.



