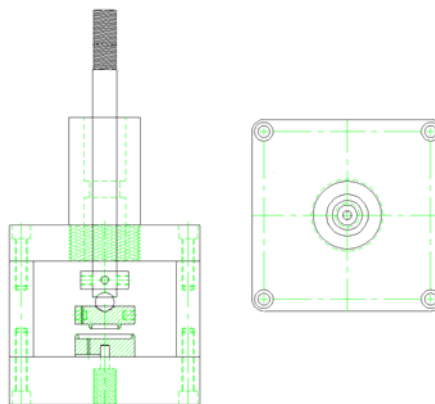


MONOTONIC EQUIBIAXIAL FLEXURAL STRENGTH (RING-ON-RING) TEST FIXTURE (CS)



Specimen:	Diameter	Up to 2" round or 2" x 2" square
	Thickness	Up to 1mm
Fixture:	Construction	High strength steel with protective black oxide finish
	Temperature	-120 to 250°F (-85 to 122°C)
	Mounting	12mm male clevis bottom, 1/2"-20 coupling top
	Capacity	1,000 lbs (4.4 kN)
	Weight	Approximately 17 lbs
	Dimensions	4" x 4" x 15"
	Standard	Manufactured in accordance with ASTM C1499

Model No. ASTM.C1499.13 - Ceramic Monotonic Equibiaxial Flexure Test Fixture

Ceramic Monotonic Equibiaxial Flexure loading specimen supports for specimens of the following dimensions - 108mm x 57mm x 1mm thick specimen.

The fixture includes 15mm and 30mm diameter rings, both with a 0.725mm height radius. The sub-press consists of a square base, four support columns, two linear bearings, and a 1/2" diameter loading rod. The fixture is constructed from high strength heat treated steel with a protective black oxide oil finish in accordance with ASTM C1499. Specimen Clearance between posts: 3"

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ACCESSORIES

- ACC.C1499.1301 - 15 and 30mm Rings with 1.6mm R
- ACC.C1499.1302 - 12.5 and 25mm Rings with 0.75mm R
- ACC.C1499.1303 - 7 and 14mm Rings with 0.785mm R & 0.725mm R
- ACC.C1499.1304 - 15 and 30mm Rings with 0.75mm R
- ACC.C1499.1305 - Any Size Rings with Shaft and Collar Assembly

Lower fixture attachment is supplied with 1/2" -20 female coupling (Common adapter sizes include:)

- Model No. M01S21 - 1/2" Male Clevis (Type B) to 1/2" -20 Threaded Stud
- Model No. M02S21 - 5/8" Male Clevis (Type C) to 1/2" -20 Threaded Stud
- Model No. M03S21 - 1.25" Male Clevis (Type D) to 1/2" -20 Threaded Stud
- Model No. M12S21 - 12mm Male Clevis (Type O) to 1/2" -20 Threaded Stud
- Model No. S36S21 - 1" -14 to 1/2" -20 Threaded Step Stud
- Model No. LN21 - 1/2" -20 Threaded Locking Nut with Knurled OD

SPARE PARTS

- SPA.C1499.1301 - Extra Set of (2) Bearings
- SPA.C1499.1302 - Extra Set of (3) Springs
- SPA.C1499.1303 - Extra Ball
- SPA.C1499.1304 - Extra Collar
- SPA.C1499.1305 - Extra 12mm (Type O) Male Clevis Adapter

REFERENCE DOCUMENT AND TEST METHOD SCOPE:

<http://www.astm.org/Standards/C1499.htm>
ASTM C1499-15

Standard Test Method for Monotonic Equibiaxial Flexural Strength of Advanced Ceramics at Ambient Temperature

1.1 This test method covers the determination of the equibiaxial strength of advanced ceramics at ambient temperature via concentric ring configurations under monotonic uniaxial loading. In addition, test specimen fabrication methods, testing modes, testing rates, allowable deflection, and data collection and reporting procedures are addressed. Two types of test specimens are considered: machined test specimens and as-fired test specimens exhibiting a limited degree of warpage. Strength as used in this test method refers to the maximum strength obtained under monotonic application of load. Monotonic loading refers to a test conducted at a constant rate in a continuous fashion, with no reversals from test initiation to final fracture.

1.2 This test method is intended primarily for use with advanced ceramics that macroscopically exhibit isotropic, homogeneous, continuous behavior. While this test method is intended for use on monolithic advanced ceramics, certain whisker- or particle-reinforced composite ceramics as well as certain discontinuous fiber-reinforced composite ceramics may also meet these macroscopic behavior assumptions. Generally, continuous fiber ceramic composites do not macroscopically exhibit isotropic, homogeneous, continuous behavior, and the application of this test method to these materials is not recommended.

1.3 The values stated in SI units are to be regarded as standard. No other units of measurement are included in this standard.

1.4 This standard does not purport to address all of the safety concerns, if any, associated with its use. It is the responsibility of the user of this standard to establish appropriate safety and health practices and determine the applicability of regulatory limitations prior to use.

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