# Technical Data Sheet Aerospace Transparencies



## McDonnell Douglas (Boeing) F-4 windshield



U.S. Air Force photo/Senior Airman Christina D. Kinsey

#### Center windshield

Features	Benefits
Multiple glass plies	<ul><li>Structural strength</li><li>Demonstrated durability</li><li>Excellent maintainability</li></ul>
Ground and polished glass	Superior optics for aircrew visibility and gun-sight viewing
OEM manufacturer	Worldwide customer and technical support

PPG's aerospace transparencies business is the leading and most experienced manufacturer of windshields, canopies, windows, blast barriers and specialty transparencies for military applications. With the industry's broadest capabilities, PPG is able to design and produce advanced-technology transparencies to meet the demanding requirements of military flight operations

PPG offers a variety of transparent structural materials to meet specific design and performance requirements. They include chemically strengthened glass that provides superior strength and durability, special-composition glass that incorporates enhanced optical properties such as high light transmittance, acrylic that is strong and lightweight, and polycarbonate that has superior impact resistance and a high strength-to-weight ratio. PPG interlayers bond the plies together and provide bird-impact resistance and pressure "fail-safe" capability. In-house capabilities allow PPG to engineer and produce interlayers specially tailored to aerospace applications.

PPG offers advanced coatings that protect transparencies and aircrews from various operational or environmental threats.

PPG SIERRACOTE™, NESA® and NESATRON® thin metal films form the basis of anti-ice/anti-fog electrical heating systems.

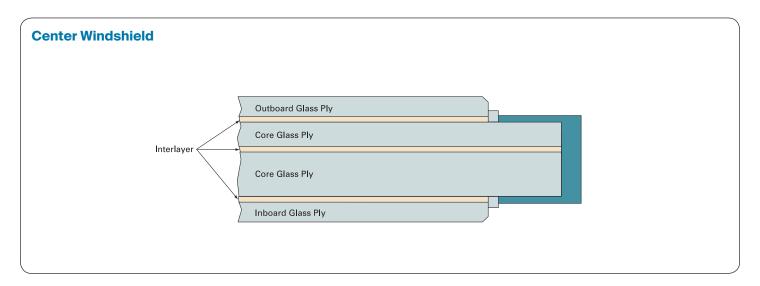
Other PPG advanced coatings and technologies help protect transparencies and aircrews from operational or environmental threats, and provide a variety of performance enhancements. A few of these are solar heat reduction, laser protection and electromagnetic interference (EMI) shielding. Such technologies are designed to be compatible with night vision systems and other optical requirements.

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### **Part Numbers**

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