



AMERICAN SECURITY PRODUCTS COMPANY

GUIDE TO SAFE LABELS

G.S.A. Approved Class 1-2-3-4-5-6 Security Containers
for the U.S. Government.

Federal Specifications (AA-F-358F) for filing cabinet, steel, legal and letter size, insulated and non-insulated, security. (Government security containers).

Conforms to standards for security equipment as set forth in "National Security Council Directive Governing the Classification, Downgrading, Declassification and Safe Guarding of National Security Information"

General:

Specifications are always reviewed and notes made where improvements may be added.

Face hardware (excluding combination locks) shall be satin finished anodized aluminum or type 430 corrosion resistant steel or satin finished chromium or steel or on die-cast zinc, brass or bronze.

Paint color to be gray No. 26134 of Federal Standard 595.

Non-insulated containers must satisfactorily pass a 36" and a 30' drop test.

If insulated, unit must be UL "C" rated fire-resistive (Class 350-1 hour) or be certified by the manufacturer to be at least that level. Overall dimensions and weight of safe and drawers are specifically stated, as are the drawer components, suspension, latch, pull handle, label holder and stops.

The containers and their locks must pass a radiological test (to determine lock combinations), forced entry test, and general material inspection tests; the rack, suspension, drawer pull, follower block, and moving tests are all carried out.

Containers are to be specifically packaged for delivery as per sections 5.0-5.3.2.

All containers will be marked on the outside of the front face of the container "General Services Administration Approved Security Container" along with the name of the manufacturer.

All containers will have a certification label affixed to the external side of the locking drawer stating: "This is a U.S. Government Class (number specified here) Cabinet which has been approved by GSA under Federal Spec. AA-F-357F, and it affords the following protection:

EXAMPLE:

30 Man-minutes against surreptitious entry

10 Man-minutes against forced entry

20 Man-hours against lock manipulation

20 Man-hours against radiological techniques

All units must be equipped with a combination lock capable of resisting manipulation and radiological attack for 20 man hours.

In addition the following requirements apply:

- Class 1 Insulated (1 hour)
10 minutes forced
30 minutes surreptitious
- Class II Insulated (1 hour)
5 minutes forced
20 minutes surreptitious
- Class III Not insulated
No forced entry test requirement
20 minutes surreptitious
- Class IV Not insulated
5 minutes forced
20 minutes surreptitious
- Class V Not insulated
10 minutes forced
30 minutes surreptitious
- Class VI Not insulated
No forced entry test requirement
30 minutes surreptitious

Class VI equipment is approved for storage of classified information including top secret. Insulation and forced entry features are not required.

All containers will also bear an identification label on the side of the locking drawer showing the cabinet model and serial number, year of manufacture and government contract number.

All containers must have a UL rated Group 1 or 1R combination lock installed and be equipped with a top reading (spy-proof) dial ring and snap on dust cover.