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Scope: To evaluate <u>Lightly Chair</u>, by subjecting it to the following tests:

Requested Tests:

Test Name	Requirement
Backrest Strength Test – Static Type III	ANSI/BIFMA X5.1-2017(R2022), Section 6
Drop Test – Dynamic	ANSI/BIFMA X5.1-2017(R2022), Section 7
Seating Durability Tests – Cyclic	ANSI/BIFMA X5.1-2017(R2022), Section 10
Stability Tests	ANSI/BIFMA X5.1-2017(R2022), Section 11
Backrest Durability Test – Cyclic – Type II & III	ANSI/BIFMA X5.1-2017(R2022), Section 15
Leg Strength Test – Front and Side Application	ANSI/BIFMA X5.1-2017(R2022), Section 17
Structural Durability Test – Cyclic	ANSI/BIFMA X5.1-2017(R2022), Section 24

Product Description:

<u>Specimen</u>	Description	Condition	Supplier
5096110	Complete Product	New	Formway Design Studio
5096113	Complete Product	New	Formway Design Studio
5096114	Complete Product	New	Formway Design Studio

Summary:

Test Name	<u>Specimen</u>	<u>Results</u>
Backrest Strength Test – Static Type III	5096113	Met Requirement
Drop Test – Dynamic	5096114	Met Requirement
Seating Durability Tests – Cyclic	5096113	Met Requirement
Stability Tests	5096110	Met Requirement
Backrest Durability Test – Cyclic – Type II & III	5096114	Met Requirement
Leg Strength Test – Front and Side Application	5096110	Met Requirement
Structural Durability Test – Cyclic	5096110	Met Requirement

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Test Results:

1. Backrest Strength Test - Static - Type III:

Testing was performed per ANSI/BIFMA X5.1-2017(R2022), Section 6.

Notes:

- Temperature / Humidity: 24.8°C & 64% R.H.
- Functional load: 150 lbf. applied at 90° to the plane of the back at its back stop position for 1 minute.
- Proof load: 225 lbf. applied at 90° to the plane of the back at its back stop position for 1 minute.
- See Photo 1 for setup.



Specimen	Load	Time	Observations	
	(lbf.)	(sec.)		
5006112	150	60	No loss of serviceability.	
3090113	225	60	No sudden and major changes.	

Requirement:

<u>Functional Load</u>: There shall be no loss of serviceability to the chair. <u>Proof Load</u>: There shall be no sudden and major change in the structural integrity of the chair. Loss of serviceability is acceptable.



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2. Drop Test – Dynamic:

Testing was performed per ANSI/BIFMA X5.1-2017(R2022), Section 7.

Notes:

- Temperature / Humidity: 24.8°C & 64% R.H.
- Functional load: 225 lbs.
- Proof load: 300 lbs.
- Load dropped from a height of 6 in. through a 16 in. diameter bag.
- See Photo 2 for setup.



<u>Specimen</u>	Chair Height	Load (lbs.)	Observations
5006114	Fixed	225	No loss of serviceability.
3090114		300	No sudden and major change in structural integrity.

Requirement:

<u>Functional Load</u>: There shall be no loss of serviceability to the chair. <u>Proof Load</u>: There shall be no sudden and major change in the structural integrity of the chair. Loss of serviceability is acceptable.



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3. Seating Durability Tests – Cyclic:

Testing was performed per ANSI/BIFMA X5.1-2017(R2022), Section 10.

Notes:

- Temperature / Humidity: 24.8°C~25.2°C & 58%~66% R.H.
- A 125 lbs. load was dropped from 1.4 inches above uncompressed seat surface through a 16 inches diameter bag.
- The bag was centered from side to side and 0.5 in. forward of the front of the backrest.
- Following the impact segment an alternating 200 lbf. load was applied through 8 in. loading pads 20,000 times to each front corner of the seat.
- Impact test rate: 20 CPM.
- Load Ease test rate: 20 CPM.
- See Photos 3 (Drop Impact) and 4 (Load Ease) for setups.



Specimen	Segment	Cycles	Observations
5096113	Impact	0	Test begun.
		100,000	No loss of serviceability.
	Load Ease	0	Test begun.
		20,000	No loss of serviceability.

Requirement:

There shall be no loss of serviceability to the chair after the completion of both the impact and load-ease tests.



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4. Stability Tests:

Testing was performed per ANSI/BIFMA X5.1-2017(R2022), Section 11.

Notes:

- Temperature / Humidity: 24.4 °C & 62% R.H.
- Type III rear stability performed with 6 discs in seat with force applied to the front of the top disc.
- Type III rear stability force calculation: $1.1 \times (47-18.1) = 31.8$ lbf.
- See Photos 5 (Rear Stability) and 6 (Front Stability) for setups.



<u>Specimen</u>	<u>Test</u>	Observations
5096110	Rear Stability	Type III: Product met the 31.8 lbf. Minimum, unit tipped at 49.6 lbf.
	Front Stability	Product met the 4.5 lbf. Minimum, unit tipped at 17.2 lbf.

Requirement:

<u>*Rear Stability:*</u> The chair shall not tip over. <u>*Front Stability:*</u> The chair shall not tip over as a result of the (4.5 lbf) force application.



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5. Backrest Durability Test - Cyclic - Type II and III:

Testing was performed per ANSI/BIFMA X5.1-2017(R2022), Section 15.

Notes:

- Temperature / Humidity: 24.8°C~25.2°C & 58%~66% R.H.
- 240 lbs. load centered in the seat.
- 75 lbf. force applied at 90° to the plane of the back at its back stop position once per cycle.
- 80,000 cycles at the center of the back, 20,000 cycles 4 in. left of center and 20,000 cycles 4 in. right of center.
- Test rate: 20 CPM.
- See Photo 7 for setup.



<u>Specimen</u>	Segment	Cycles	Observations
	Contor	0	Test begun
	Center	80,000	No loss of serviceability
5006114	4 in. Left	80,001	Test continued
5090114		100,000	No loss of serviceability
	4 in. Right	100,001	Test continued
		120,000	No loss of serviceability.

Requirement:

There shall be no loss of serviceability.



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6. Leg Strength Test – Front and Side Application:

Testing was performed per ANSI/BIFMA X5.1-2017(R2022), Section 17.

Notes:

- Temperature / Humidity: 25.2°C & 60% R.H.
- Functional loads: Front and side application = 75 lbf.
- Proof loads: Front and side application = 113 lbf.
- See Photos 8~10 for setups.





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6. Leg Strength Test – Front and Side Application(continued):

Specimen	Load	Time	Direction	Observations
	<u>(lbf.)</u>	(sec.)		
	75	60	Front/LF	No loss of serviceability.
5096110	75	60	Side/LF	No loss of serviceability.
	75	60	Side/LR	No loss of serviceability.
	113	60	Side/LR	No sudden and major change in structural integrity.
	113	60	Side/LF	No sudden and major change in structural integrity.
	113	60	Front/LF	No sudden and major change in structural integrity.

Requirement:

<u>Functional Load</u>: Functional load(s) applied once in each direction shall cause no loss of serviceability.

<u>Proof Load</u>: Proof load(s) applied once in each direction shall cause no sudden and major change in the structural integrity of the chair. Loss of serviceability is acceptable.



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7. Structural Durability Test – Cyclic:

Testing was performed per ANSI/BIFMA X5.1-2017(R2022), Section 24.

Notes:

- Temperature / Humidity: 24.8°C~25.2°C & 58%~66% R.H.
- Seat load: 240 lbs. located at seat center.
- A 75 lbf. load was applied at unit frame midway between front and rear on alternatingly on both sides.
- Test rate: 20 CPM.
- See Photo 11 for setup.



<u>Specimen</u>	<u>Cycles</u>	Observations
5006110	0	Test begun.
3090110	25,000	No loss of serviceability.

Requirement:

There shall be no loss of serviceability to the unit.



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