

Subject: Re: Update and Revision of ASME/ANSI Y14.18M
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Mr. Weinman:

Has ASME decided how we could proceed with an update and reissue of Y14.18?

Regards,
Gene Kohlenberg
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Steve Weinman wrote:

Dear Mr. Gene Kohlenberg:

For your information I have sent the Y14 Chairman an e-mail with some information and we will work to decide how to proceed. Once we make a decision someone from ASME will contact you.

Yours truly
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Calvin Gomez 07/29/05 10:50 AM >>>

The standard has been withdrawn, by copy of this message, I am referring your desire to assume responsibility for the subject matter of this standard to Steve Weinman, ASME Director of Standardization and Testing.

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Subject: Update and Revision of ASME Y14.18

We understand that ASME/ANSI Y14.18M is being balloted for possible withdrawal. OEOSC believes this standard still has value to the US optics community, and would like to offer assistance for the updating and perpetuation of this standard. We would like to discuss the possibilities of either forming a joint working group for this purpose, or transferring Y14.18 to OEOSC.

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OEOSC administers the U.S. TAG to TC172, and as such, has an interest in the ISO optics drafting standard ISO 10110. We believe there is interest in the U.S. optics community in maintaining an alternative to ISO 10110, and feel that a modernization of Y14.18 with a Y14.5 base would serve this purpose. Would you please contact us to discuss this possibility?

Regards,

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