

**IDS Terms and Conditions Guide**  
**Section Q**

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**PROCESS VALIDATION ASSESSMENT**

Process Validation Assessments (PVA) may be performed during the design and manufacture of product at Seller's or Seller's Subcontractors facility. PVAs are the detailed examination of processes, procedures and controls used in development, design, fabrication, assembly and test of hardware. The purpose of the PVA process is to determine opportunities for improvement in product and process quality and may result in a reduction of source inspection.

If required by this contract, Buyer's Source Inspection will be performed prior to shipment.