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The article describes the requirements for rail spring clips examination performed at the Railway

Research Institute in accordance to the applicable reference documents. Tests of the surface

condition, geometrical measurements of clips, microstructure and decarburization examinations,

hardness measurements, elasticity curve tests, clamping force measurement, assembly and fatigue

strength tests are presented.

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