
**Welding consumables — Solid wire
electrodes, solid wires and rods
for fusion welding of titanium and
titanium alloys — Classification**

*Produits consommables pour le soudage — Fils-électrodes pleins, fils
pleins et baguettes pleines pour le soudage par fusion du titane et des
alliages de titane — Classification*



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Foreword

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This third edition cancels and replaces the second edition (ISO 24034:2010), which has been technically revised. The main changes compared to the previous edition are as follows:

- a number of alloys in [Table 1](#) have been updated;
- a number of typographical errors in [Table 1](#) and [Table B.1](#) have been corrected;
- [Clause 8](#) has been updated to reflect the current agreed wording;
- in [Clause 11](#), the words “Solid wire” have been deleted from each example designation;
- the last sentence of the second paragraph of [A.1](#) has been deleted to align with [A.15](#);
- a number of dated references in [Annex B](#) and the bibliography have been updated.

Introduction

This document proposes a classification in order to designate solid wire electrodes, solid wires and rods in terms of their chemical composition.

There is no unique relationship between the product form (solid wire electrodes, solid wires or rods) and the welding process used (gas-shielded metal arc welding, tungsten inert gas arc welding, plasma arc welding or laser beam welding). For this reason, solid wire electrodes, solid wires and rods can be classified in terms of their chemical composition.

In this document, the symbol of the welding process is not used, because:

- a) different joining processes are performed with the same chemical component consumable;
- b) the producer is not able to determine the process symbol before shipping.

Also, it should be noted that the mechanical properties of all-weld metal test specimens or welded joints produced by welding consumables can vary from those obtained in production joints because of differences in welding procedure and the base-metal alloy. For this reason, the mechanical properties of all-weld metal or welded joints for titanium-welding consumables are not specified in this classification.

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1 Scope

This document specifies requirements for the classification of solid wire electrodes, solid wires and rods for fusion welding of titanium and titanium alloys. The classification is based on their chemical composition.

The compositions of solid wire electrodes for metal inert gas (MIG) welding are the same as solid wire electrodes, solid wires and rods for tungsten inert gas (TIG) arc welding, plasma arc welding, laser beam welding, and other fusion welding processes.

2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 544, *Welding consumables — Technical delivery conditions for filler materials and fluxes — Type of product, dimensions, tolerances and markings*

ISO 14344, *Welding consumables — Procurement of filler materials and fluxes*

ISO 80000-1:2009, *Quantities and units — Part 1: General*. Corrected by ISO 80000-1:2009/Cor 1:2011

3 Terms and definitions

No terms and definitions are listed in this document.

ISO and IEC maintain terminological databases for use in standardization at the following addresses:

- ISO Online browsing platform: available at <https://www.iso.org/obp>
- IEC Electropedia: available at <http://www.electropedia.org/>

4 Classification

The classification is divided into two parts:

- a) the first part gives a symbol indicating the product to be identified, see 5.1;
- b) the second part gives a symbol indicating the chemical composition of the solid wire electrodes, solid wires and rods, see Table 1.

5 Symbols and requirements

5.1 Symbol for the product

The symbol for the solid wire electrodes, solid wires and rods shall be S.