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du chrome, du cuivre et du cobalt — Méthode par spectrométrie
d'émission optique avec plasma induit par haute fréquence*



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Ferronickels — Determination of phosphorus, manganese, chromium, copper and cobalt contents — Inductively coupled plasma optical emission spectrometric method

1 Scope

This document specifies a method for the determination of phosphorus, manganese, chromium, copper and cobalt contents in ferronickels, by inductively coupled plasma (ICP) optical emission spectrometry, within the ranges specified in [Table 1](#).

This method is applicable to all grades of ferronickels specified in ISO 6501.

Table 1 — Application ranges of the elements to be determined

Element	Application range % (mass fraction)
Phosphorus	0,009 to 0,045
Manganese	0,02 to 1,0
Chromium	0,076 to 1,86
Cobalt	0,24 to 1,4
Copper	0,02 to 0,07

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 385, *Laboratory glassware — Burettes*

ISO 648, *Laboratory glassware — Single-volume pipettes*

ISO 1042, *Laboratory glassware — One-mark volumetric flasks*

ISO 3696, *Water for analytical laboratory use — Specification and test methods*

ISO 8049, *Ferronickel shot — Sampling for analysis*

ISO 8050, *Ferronickel ingots or pieces — Sampling for analysis*

3 Terms and definitions

No terms and definitions are listed in this document.

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