

Magnesium and magnesium alloys - Designation system for anodes, ingots and castings - Material symbols and material numbers

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Désignation symbolique et numérique

Magnesium und Magnesiumlegierungen -
Bezeichnungssystem für Anoden, Blockmetalle und
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European foreword

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Introduction

Magnesium and magnesium alloy anodes, ingots and castings can be designated either by numbers or by symbols for all grades.

In this revised standard, a designation system by number, similar to that described in EN 10027-2 [1], is specified.

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1 Scope

This European Standard specifies a material designation system for magnesium and magnesium alloys either by numbers or by symbols for castings including anodes and ingots intended for remelting.

The designation system by numbers is only applicable to standardized magnesium and magnesium alloys (see 2.1).

The designation system by symbols is applicable to

- a) standardized magnesium and magnesium alloys (see 2.1);
- b) non-standardized magnesium and magnesium alloys (see 2.2).

NOTE 1 The standardized designation by symbols does not necessarily imply that the material is standardized.

NOTE 2 Magnesium and magnesium alloys for aerospace applications referred to in European Standards prepared by AECMA (fr: Association Européenne des Constructeurs de Matériel Aérospatial) have different designations.

2 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

2.1

standardized magnesium and magnesium alloy

magnesium and magnesium alloy specified in a European Standard

2.2

non-standardized magnesium and magnesium alloy

magnesium and magnesium alloy not specified in a European Standard

3 Designation by numbers

3.1 General

There shall be only one designation by number for each magnesium grade or each magnesium alloy.

The designation system by numbers is based on the principles and the structure as set out in EN 10027-2 [1].

3.2 Structure of the designation

3.2.1 Overall structure

The designation shall comprise six characters.

The positions shall be in accordance with Table 1:

Table 1 — Number structure

Position	1	2	3	4	5	6
Character	n	.	n	n	n	n
n: Arabic number						

The whole structure of the designation by numbers is shown in Table A.1.