

**Veeldatud naftagaasid. Korrodeeriv toime  
vasele. Vaskribakatse**

Liquefied petroleum gases - Corrosiveness to  
copper - Copper strip test

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**English version**

**Liquefied petroleum gases**

Corrosiveness to copper – Copper strip test  
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Gaz de pétrole liquéfiés – Action  
corrosive sur le cuivre – Essai à la  
lame de cuivre (ISO 6251 : 1996)

Flüssiggase – Korroisionswirkung auf  
Kupfer – Kupferstreifenprüfung  
(ISO 6251 : 1996)

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## Foreword

International Standard

ISO 6251 : 1996 Liquefied petroleum gases – Corrosiveness to copper – Copper strip test, which was prepared by ISO/TC 28 ‘Petroleum products and lubricants’ of the International Organization for Standardization, has been adopted by Technical Committee CEN/TC 19 ‘Petroleum products, lubricants and related products’ as a European Standard.

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NOTE: Normative references to international publications are listed in Annex ZA (normative).

## 1 Scope

This International Standard describes a method for the determination of the corrosiveness to copper of liquefied petroleum gases.

NOTE — For an equivalent copper strip test applicable to less volatile petroleum products, see ISO 2160.

## 2 Normative references

The following standards contain provisions which, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of this International Standard. At the time of publication, the editions indicated were valid. All standards are subject to revision, and parties to agreements based on this International Standard are encouraged to investigate the possibility of applying the most recent editions of the standards indicated below. Members of IEC and ISO maintain registers of currently valid International Standards.

ISO 2160:1985, *Petroleum products — Corrosiveness to copper — Copper strip test*.

ISO 3696:1987, *Water for analytical laboratory use — Specification and test methods*.

## 3 Definition

For the purposes of this International Standard, the following definition applies.

**3.1 liquefied petroleum gas (LPG):** Hydrocarbon gas that can be stored and/or handled in the liquid phase under moderate conditions of pressure and at ambient temperature. It consists essentially of C<sub>3</sub> and C<sub>4</sub> alkanes or alkenes, or a mixture of these, contains generally less than 5 % by liquid volume of material of higher carbon number, and having a gauge vapour pressure not exceeding approximately 1 600 kPa at 40 °C.