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# Non-destructive testing of steel tubes —

# Part 1:

Automated electromagnetic testing of seamless and welded (except submerged arc-welded) steel tubes for the verification of hydraulic leaktightness

Essais non destructifs des tubes en acier —

Partie 1: Contrôle automatisé électromagnétique pour vérification de l'étanchéité hydraulique des tubes en acier sans soudure et soudés (sauf à l'arc immergé sous flux en poudre)



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ISO 10893-1 was prepared by Technical Committee ISO/TC 17, Steel, Subcommittee SC 19, Technical delivery conditions for steel tubes for pressure purposes.

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ISO 10893 consists of the following parts, under the general title Non-destructive testing of steel tubes:

- Part 1: Automated electromagnetic testing of seamless and welded (except submerged arc-welded) steel tubes for the verification of hydraulic leaktightness
- Part 2: Automated eddy current testing of seamless and welded (except submerged arc-welded) steel tubes for the detection of imperfections
- Part 3: Automated full peripheral flux leakage testing of seamers and welded (except submerged arc-welded) ferromagnetic steel tubes for the detection of longitudinal and/or transverse imperfections
- Part 4: Liquid penetrant inspection of seamless and welded steel tules for the detection of surface imperfections
- Part 5: Magnetic particle inspection of seamless and welded ferromagnetic steel tubes for the detection of surface imperfections
- Part 6: Radiographic testing of the weld seam of welded steel tubes for the detection of imperfections
- Part 7: Digital radiographic testing of the weld seam of welded steel tubes for the detection of imperfections
- Part 8: Automated ultrasonic testing of seamless and welded steel tubes for the detection of laminar imperfections
- Part 9: Automated ultrasonic testing for the detection of laminar imperfections in strip/plate used for the manufacture of welded steel tubes
- Part 10: Automated full peripheral ultrasonic testing of seamless and welded (except submerged arc-welded) steel tubes for the detection of longitudinal and/or transverse imperfections

- Part 11: Automated ultrasonic testing of the weld seam of welded steel tubes for the detection of longitudinal and/or transverse imperfections
- Part 12: Automated full peripheral ultrasonic thickness testing of seamless and welded (except submerged arc-welded) steel tubes

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# Non-destructive testing of steel tubes —

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# 1 Scope

This part of ISO 10893 specifies requirements for automated electromagnetic testing of seamless and welded steel tubes, with the exception of submerged arc-welded (SAW) tubes, for verification of hydraulic leaktightness. It is applicable to the inspection of tubes with an outside diameter greater than or equal to 4 mm, when testing with eddy current, and greater than 10 mm when testing with flux leakage method.

This part of ISO 10893 can also be applicable to the testing of hollow sections.

NOTE Electromagnetic inspection using magnetic flux leakage method is not applicable to austenitic stainless steel tubes.

# 2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated therences, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 9712, Non-destructive testing — Qualification and certification of personnel

ISO 11484, Steel products — Employer's qualification system for non destructive testing (NDT) personnel

## 3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in ISO 11484 and the following apply.

# 3.1

### reference standard

standard for the calibration of non-destructive testing equipment (e.g. drill holes, notches and recesses)

#### 3.2

# reference tube

tube or length of tube containing the reference standard(s)