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Foreword

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This first edition cancels and replaces ISO 630:1995, which has been technically revised. It incorporates ISO 630:1995/Amd 1:2003.

ISO 630 consists of the following parts, under the general title Structural steels:

- Part 1: General technical delivery conditions for hot-rolled products
- Part 2: Technical delivery conditions for structural steels for general purposes
- Part 3: Technical delivery conditions for fine-grain structural steels
- Part 4: Technical delivery conditions for high-yield-strength quenched and tempered structural steel plates

The following parts are under preparation:

- Part 5: Technical delivery conditions for structural steels with improved atmospheric corrosion resistance
- Part 6: Technical delivery conditions for seismic improved structural steels for building

Structural steels —

Part 4:

Technical delivery conditions for high-yield-strength quenched and tempered structural steel plates

1 Scope

This part of ISO 630 specifies qualities for high-yield-strength quenched and tempered structural steels. This part of ISO 630 applies to steel plates rolled on a reversing mill which are used in the quenched and tempered condition and normally intended for welded or bolted structures.

This part of ISO 630 does not include the following structural steels, some of which are covered by other International Standards:

- Sheet and strip refer to ISO TC 17/SC 12, Continuous mill flat rolled products;
- Tubular products refer to ISO TC 5/SC 1, Steel tubes.

NOTE Lists of standards covered by ISO/TC 17/SC 12 and ISO/TC 5/SC 1 are available on the ISO Web site.

This part of ISO 630 covers 10 grades. Grades S460Q, S500Q, S550Q, S620Q, S690Q, S890Q and S960Q are covered in Annex A. Grades SG460Q, SG500Q, and SG700Q are covered in Annex B.

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 references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 630-1, Structural steels — Part 1: General technical delivery conditions for hot-rolled products

ISO 643, Steels — Micrographic determination of the apparent grain size

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in ISO 630-1 and the following apply.

3.1

quenching

operation which consists of cooling a ferrous product more rapidly than in still air from a high temperature above Ac₁

NOTE Ac1 is the temperature at which austenite begins to form during heating.

3.2

tempering

heat treatment applying to a ferrous product, generally after quench hardening, or another heat treatment to bring the properties to the required level, and consisting of heating to specific temperatures (< Ac₁) and soaking for an appropriate duration, followed by cooling at an appropriate rate

NOTE Additionally, the following may apply: processes of direct quenching plus tempering.