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<p><b>Käsitlusala:</b> This European Standard specifies the technical delivery conditions for welded tubes, of circular cross section, made from stainless steels, for mechanical and general engineering purposes.</p>	<p><b>Scope:</b> This European Standard specifies the technical delivery conditions for welded tubes, of circular cross section, made from stainless steels, for mechanical and general engineering purposes.</p>
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## Foreword

This document (EN 10296-2:2005) has been prepared by Technical Committee ECISS/TC 29 "Steel tubes and fittings for steel tubes", the secretariat of which is held by UNI.

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## 1 Scope

This European Standard specifies the technical delivery conditions for welded tubes, of circular cross section, made from stainless steels, for mechanical and general engineering purposes.

## 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.

EN 910, *Destructive tests on welds in metallic materials - Bend tests*

EN 10002-1, *Metallic materials – Tensile testing – Part 1: Method of test (at ambient temperature)*

EN 10020:2000, *Definition and classification of grades of steel*

EN 10021:1993, *General technical delivery requirements for steel and iron products*

EN 10027-1, *Designation systems for steel – Part 1: Steel names, principal symbols*

EN 10027-2, *Designation systems for steel – Part 2: Numerical system*

EN 10052:1993, *Vocabulary of heat treatment terms for ferrous products*

EN 10088-1, *Stainless steels – Part 1: List of stainless steels*

EN 10168, *Steel products – Inspection documents – List of information and description*

EN 10204, *Metallic products – Types of inspection documents*

EN 10246-2, *Non-destructive testing of steel tubes – Part 2: Automatic eddy current testing of seamless and welded (except submerged arc-welded) austenitic and austenitic-ferritic steel tubes for verification of hydraulic leak-tightness*

EN 10246-3, *Non-destructive testing of steel tubes – Part 3: Automatic eddy current testing of seamless and welded (except submerged arc-welded) steel tubes for the detection of imperfections*

EN 10246-7, *Non-destructive testing of steel tubes – Part 7: Automatic full peripheral ultrasonic testing of seamless and welded (except submerged arc-welded) steel tubes for the detection of longitudinal imperfections*

EN 10246-8, *Non-destructive testing of steel tubes – Part 8: Automatic ultrasonic testing of the weld seam of electric welded steel tubes for the detection of longitudinal imperfections*

EN 10246-9, *Non-destructive testing of steel tubes – Part 9: Automatic ultrasonic testing of the weld seam of submerged arc welded steel tubes for the detection of longitudinal and/or transverse imperfections*

EN 10246-10, *Non-destructive testing of steel tubes – Part 10: Radiographic testing of the weld seam of automatic fusion arc welded steel tubes for the detection of imperfections*

EN 10256, *Non-destructive testing of steel tubes – Qualification and competence of level 1 and 2 non-destructive testing personnel.*

EN 10266:2003, *Steel tubes, fittings and steel structural hollow sections - Symbols and definitions of terms for use in product standards.*

CR 10260:1998, *Designation system for steel – Additional symbols*

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EN ISO 377, *Steel and steel products – Location and preparation of samples and test pieces for mechanical testing (ISO 377:1997)*

EN ISO 8491, *Metallic materials – Tube (in full section) - Bend test (ISO 8491:1998)*

EN ISO 8492, *Metallic materials – Tube - Flattening test (ISO 8492:1998)*

EN ISO 8493, *Metallic materials – Tube - Drift expanding test (ISO 8493:1998)*

EN ISO 8496, *Metallic materials – Tube - Ring tensile test (ISO 8496:1998)*

EN ISO 1127, *Stainless steel tubes – Dimensions, tolerances and conventional masses per unit length (ISO 1127:1992).*

EN ISO 2566-2, *Steel – Conversion of elongation values – Part 2: Austenitic steels (ISO 2566-2:1984)*

EN ISO 3651-2, *Determination of resistance to intergranular corrosion of stainless steels – Part 2: Ferritic, austenitic and ferritic-austenitic (duplex) stainless steels – Corrosion test in media containing sulfuric acid (ISO 3651-2:1998)*

### 3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this European Standard, the terms and definitions given in EN 10020:2000, EN 10021:1993, EN 10052:1993 and EN 10266:2003 together with the following apply.

#### **employer**

organisation for which the person works on a regular basis

NOTE The employer may be either the tube manufacturer or a third party organisation providing non-destructive testing (NDT) services.

### 4 Symbols

For the purposes of this European Standard, the symbols given in EN 10266:2003 and CR 10260:1998 apply.

Not applicable.

### 5 Classification and designation

#### 5.1 Classification

In accordance with the classification system in EN 10020, the steel grades listed in Tables 1 and 2 are stainless steels.

#### 5.2 Designation

For tubes covered by this document the steel designation consists of:

— number of this document (EN 10296-2);

plus either:

— steel name in accordance with EN 10027-1 and CR 10260; or

— steel number allocated in accordance with EN 10027-2.