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Ultrasonic inspection of bars, plates, forging stock and
forgings - Part 3: Reference blocks**

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1 Scope

This European Standard specifies the requirements for the manufacture, checking and marking of the series of ultrasonic testing reference blocks containing flat bottom holes (FBH) which define the indicated defect size to which reference is made in EN standards.

2 Generality

The application of ultrasonic testing reference blocks containing side-drilled holes (SDH) which define an indicated defect size shall be agreed between manufacturer and purchaser.

This standard is applicable to the production of master and standard test blocks to be used when carrying out ultrasonic inspection to the requirements of EN 4050-1 (FBH method).

It is recognised that particular difficulties are encountered with round forging stock and bars due to the wide range of curvatures. For this application, only one block shall be produced to act as both master and standard test block.

3 Normative references

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 2278, *Steel FE-PM 37 — 900 MPa ≤ R_m ≤ 1100 MPa — Bars D_e ≤ 150 mm — Aerospace series*¹⁾

EN 2321, *Aluminium alloy 2024-T3 — Bars and section a ≤ 150 mm — Aerospace series*¹⁾

EN 3311, *Aerospace series — Titanium alloy TI-64001 — Annealed — 900 MPa ≤ R_m ≤ 1 160 MPa — Bar for machining — D_e ≤ 150 mm²⁾*

EN 4050-1, *Aerospace series — Test method for metallic materials — Ultrasonic inspection of bars, plates, forging stock and forgings — Part 1: General requirements*

EN 4050-2, *Aerospace series — Test method for metallic materials — Ultrasonic inspection of bars, plates, forging stock and forgings — Part 2: Performance of test*

EN 4050-4, *Aerospace series — Test method for metallic materials — Ultrasonic inspection of bars, plates, forgings stock and forgings — Part 4: Acceptance criteria*

ASTM E 127, *Standard practice for fabricating and checking aluminium alloy ultrasonic standard reference blocks*³⁾

4 Terms and definitions

See EN 4050-1.

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