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- *Part 1: General guidance for arc welding;*
- *Part 2: Arc welding of ferritic steels;*
- *Part 3: Arc welding of stainless steels;*
- *Part 4: Arc welding of aluminium and aluminium alloys;*
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Introduction

This document is being issued with several annexes in order that it may be extended to cover the different types of steel which will be produced to all the European steel standards for stainless steels.

When this document is referenced for contractual purposes, the ordering authority should state the need for compliance with the standard and such other annexes as are appropriate.

This document gives general guidance for the satisfactory production and control of welding and details the possible detrimental phenomena which may occur with advice on methods by which they may be avoided. It is generally applicable to all stainless steels and is appropriate regardless of the type of fabrication involved, although the application standard may have additional requirements. Permissible design stresses in welds, methods of testing and acceptance levels are not included because they depend on the service conditions of the fabrication. These details should be obtained from the design specification.

This document contains additional details for fusion welding of stainless steels and should be read in conjunction with the general recommendations in EN 1011-1.

1 Scope

This document gives general recommendations for the fusion welding of stainless steels. Specific details relevant to austenitic, austenitic-ferritic, ferritic and martensitic stainless steels are given in Annexes A to D.

2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements 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 ISO 5817, *Welding — Fusion-welded joints in steel, nickel, titanium and their alloys (beam welding excluded) — Quality levels for imperfections (ISO 5817)*

EN ISO 14175, *Welding consumables — Gases and gas mixtures for fusion welding and allied processes (ISO 14175)*

CEN ISO/TR 15608, *Welding — Guidelines for a metallic materials grouping system (ISO/TR 15608)*

EN ISO 15609-1, *Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials — Welding procedure specification — Part 1: Arc welding (ISO 15609-1)*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

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- IEC Electropedia: available at <http://www.electropedia.org/>
- ISO Online browsing platform: available at <http://www.iso.org/obp>

3.1

passive layer

thin, transparent and tightly adherent film on the surface of stainless steels which protects them against corrosive attack

3.2

stabilized/unstabilized

stabilized steels contain additions of strong carbide/nitride forming elements, (usually titanium or niobium), which limit the formation of chromium carbides/nitrides, allowing the stainless steel to retain its corrosion resistance, particularly around grain boundaries

3.3

ferrite number

number indicating magnetic attraction, relative to a series of reference samples and therefore, proportional to the ferro-magnetic phase content, approximately equal to ferrite (delta ferrite) content over the range 0 % to 10 % but more readily measured