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— the chemical compositions and mechanical properties for a number of alloy designations have been updated;

— new alloy designations have been added;

— a limitation on Bi has been added to the footnotes of Tables 1B-1, 1B-2, 1B-3 and 1B-4;

— the requirements for fillet weld testing have been removed following the same change in ISO 18276;

— the wording in clauses on chemical analysis, rounding procedure and retests has been updated;

— clarification has been brought when a product covers both electrodes and rods;

— additional examples for designations have been inserted.

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Introduction

This document provides a classification system for tubular cored electrodes and rods for welding stainless and heat resisting steels. It recognizes that there are two somewhat different approaches in the global market to classifying a given tubular stainless steel welding consumable, and allows for either or both to be used, to suit a particular market need. Application of either type of classification designation (or of both, where suitable) identifies a product as classified in accordance with this document. The classification in accordance with system A was mainly based on EN 12073:1999. The classification in accordance with system B is mainly based upon standards used around the Pacific Rim.

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1 Scope

This document specifies requirements for classification of tubular flux and metal cored electrodes and rods, based on the all-weld metal chemical composition, the type of core, shielding gas, welding position and the all-weld metal mechanical properties, in the as-welded or heat-treated conditions, for gas shielded and non-gas shielded metal arc welding of stainless and heat-resisting steels.

This document is a combined standard providing for classification utilizing a system based upon nominal composition or utilizing a system based upon alloy type.

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This document does not use pulsed current for determining the product classification.

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.

ISO 544, *Welding consumables — Technical delivery conditions for filler materials and fluxes — Type of product, dimensions, tolerances and markings*

ISO 6847, *Welding consumables — Deposition of a weld metal pad for chemical analysis*

ISO 6947, *Welding and allied processes — Welding positions*

ISO 13916, *Welding — Guidance on the measurement of preheating temperature, interpass temperature and preheat maintenance temperature*

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

ISO 14344, *Welding consumables — Procurement of filler materials and fluxes*

ISO 15792-1:2000, *Welding consumables — Test methods — Part 1: Test methods for all-weld metal test specimens in steel, nickel and nickel alloys*. Amended by ISO 15792-1:2000/Amd 1:2011.

ISO 80000-1:2009, *Quantities and units — Part 1: General*. Corrected by ISO 80000-1:2009/Cor 1:2011.

3 Terms and definitions

No terms and definitions are listed in this document.