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Standard Specification for Copper-Nickel-Silicon Alloy Rod and Bar¹

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1. Scope*

1.1 This specification establishes the requirements for copper-nickel-silicon alloy rod and bar produced from Copper Alloy UNS No. C64700 in straight lengths.

1.2 *Units*—The values stated in either SI units or inch-pound units are to be regarded separately as standard. The values stated in each system may not be exact equivalents; therefore, each system shall be used independently of the other. Combining values from the two systems may result in non-conformance with the standard.

1.3 *This international standard was developed in accordance with internationally recognized principles on standardization established in the Decision on Principles for the Development of International Standards, Guides and Recommendations issued by the World Trade Organization Technical Barriers to Trade (TBT) Committee.*

2. Referenced Documents

2.1 *ASTM Standards:*²

[B193 Test Method for Resistivity of Electrical Conductor Materials](#)

[B249/B249M Specification for General Requirements for Wrought Copper and Copper-Alloy Rod, Bar, Shapes and Forgings](#)

[B601 Classification for Temper Designations for Copper and Copper Alloys—Wrought and Cast](#)

[B846 Terminology for Copper and Copper Alloys](#)

[B950 Guide for Editorial Procedures and Form of Product Specifications for Copper and Copper Alloys](#)

[E8/E8M Test Methods for Tension Testing of Metallic Materials](#)

[E54 Test Methods for Chemical Analysis of Special Brasses](#)

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² For referenced ASTM standards, visit the ASTM website, www.astm.org, or contact ASTM Customer Service at service@astm.org. For *Annual Book of ASTM Standards* volume information, refer to the standard's Document Summary page on the ASTM website.

[and Bronzes \(Withdrawn 2002\)](#)³

[E478 Test Methods for Chemical Analysis of Copper Alloys](#)

3. General Requirements

3.1 The following sections of Specification [B249/B249M](#) constitute a part of this specification:

- 3.1.1 Terminology;
- 3.1.2 Workmanship, Finish, and Appearance;
- 3.1.3 Sampling;
- 3.1.4 Number of Tests and Retests;
- 3.1.5 Specimen Preparation;
- 3.1.6 Test Methods;
- 3.1.7 Significance of Numerical Limits;
- 3.1.8 Inspection;
- 3.1.9 Rejection and Rehearing;
- 3.1.10 Certification;
- 3.1.11 Mill Test Report;
- 3.1.12 Packaging and Package Marking; and
- 3.1.13 Supplementary Requirements.

3.2 In addition, when a section with a title identical to that referenced in 3.1 appears in this specification, it contains additional requirements which supplement those appearing in Specification [B249/B249M](#).

4. Terminology

4.1 For the definition of terms related to copper and copper alloys, refer to Terminology [B846](#).

5. Ordering Information

5.1 Include the following specified choices when placing orders for product under this specification, as applicable:

- 5.1.1 ASTM designation and year of issue (for example, B411/B411M – 06);
- 5.1.2 Copper alloy UNS No. designation;
- 5.1.3 Temper;
- 5.1.4 Product form (cross section such as round, hexagonal, square, and so forth);
- 5.1.5 Dimensions (diameter or distance between parallel surfaces, width, thickness);

³ The last approved version of this historical standard is referenced on www.astm.org.

*A Summary of Changes section appears at the end of this standard