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Foreword

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Introduction

This International Standard is an extensive revision of the first edition of ISO 204:1997 and incorporates many recommendations developed through the European Creep Collaborative Committee (ECCC).

New annexes have been added concerning temperature measurement using thermocouples and their calibration, creep testing test pieces with circumferential Vee and blunt (Bridgman) notches, estimation of measurement uncertainty and methods of extrapolation of creep rupture life.

NOTE Information is sought relating to the influence of off-axis loading or bending on the creep properties of various materials. Consideration will be given at the next revision of this International Standard as to whether the maximum amount of bending should be specified and an appropriate calibration procedure be recommended. The decision will need to be based on the availability of quantitative data ^[39].

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Metallic materials — Uniaxial creep testing in tension — Method of test

1 Scope

This International Standard specifies the method for the uninterrupted and interrupted creep tests and defines the properties of metallic materials which can be determined from these tests, in particular the creep elongation and the time of creep rupture, at a specified temperature.

The stress rupture test is also covered by this International Standard, as is the testing of notched test pieces.

NOTE In stress rupture testing, elongation is not generally recorded during the test, only the time to failure under a given load, or to note that a predetermined time was exceeded under a given force.

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.

ISO 286-2, *ISO system of limits and fits — Part 2: Tables of standard tolerance grades and limit deviations for holes and shafts*

ISO 783 ¹⁾, *Metallic materials — Tensile testing at elevated temperature*

ISO 7500-2, *Metallic materials — Verification of static uniaxial testing machines — Part 2: Tension creep testing machines — Verification of the applied force*

ISO 9513, *Metallic materials — Calibration of extensometers used in uniaxial testing*

3 Terms and definitions

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

NOTE Several different gauge lengths and reference lengths are specified in this International Standard. These lengths reflect custom and practice used in different laboratories throughout the world. In some cases, the lengths are physically marked on the test piece as lines or ridges; in other cases, the length may be a virtual length based upon calculations to determine an appropriate length to be used for the determination of creep elongation. For some test pieces, L_r , L_0 and L_e are the same length (see 3.1, 3.2 and 3.5).

1) To be revised by ISO 6892-2, *Metallic materials — Tensile testing — Part 2: Method of test at elevated temperature*.

ISO 204:2009(E)**3.1
reference length** L_r

base length used for the calculation of elongation

NOTE A method to calculate this value is given in 7.5 for test pieces where the extensometer is attached to either ridges on the parallel length or to the shoulders of the test piece.

**3.1.1
original reference length** L_{ro}

reference length determined at ambient temperature before the test

NOTE In general, $L_{ro} \geq 5D$.

**3.1.2
final reference length** L_{ru}

reference length determined at ambient temperature after rupture, with the pieces carefully fitted back together with their axes in a straight line

**3.2
original gauge length** L_o

length between gauge length marks on the test piece measured at ambient temperature before the test

NOTE 1 In general, $L_o \geq 5D$.

NOTE 2 L_o may also be used for the calculation of elongation.

**3.3
final gauge length after rupture** L_u

length between gauge length marks on the test piece measured after rupture, at ambient temperature, with the pieces carefully fitted back together with their axes in a straight line

**3.4
parallel length** L_c

length of the parallel reduced section of the test piece

**3.5
extensometer gauge length** L_e

distance between the measuring points of the extensometer

NOTE In some cases, $L_e = L_o$ and may also be used for the calculation of elongation.

**3.6
original cross-sectional area** S_o

cross-sectional area of the parallel length as determined at ambient temperature prior to testing

3.7**minimum cross-sectional area after rupture** S_u

minimum cross-sectional area of the parallel length as determined at ambient temperature after rupture, with the pieces carefully fitted back together with their axes in a straight line

3.8**initial stress** σ_0

applied force divided by the original cross-sectional area (S_0) of the test piece

3.9**elongation** ΔL_r

increase of the reference length (L_r)

NOTE See 6.2.

3.10**percentage elongation** A

elongation expressed as a percentage of the original reference length (L_{r0})

NOTE 1 See Figure 1.

NOTE 2 In the terms for elongation in 3.10 to 3.16, the symbol “ ε ” may replace “ A ”.

However, when “ ε ” is used, the following conventions should apply:

 $\varepsilon \%$

is the percentage strain or elongation;

 ε

is the absolute strain.

3.11**percentage initial plastic elongation** A_i

non-proportional increase of the original reference length (L_{r0}) due to the application of the test force

3.12**percentage creep elongation** A_f

increase in reference length at time t (ΔL_{rt}) at a specified temperature expressed as a percentage of the original reference length (L_{r0}):

$$A_f = \frac{\Delta L_{rt}}{L_{r0}} \times 100 \quad (1)$$

NOTE 1 A_f may have the specified temperature (T) in degrees Celsius ($^{\circ}\text{C}$) as superscript and the initial stress (σ_0) in megapascals²⁾ and time t (in hours) as subscript.

NOTE 2 By convention, the beginning of creep elongation measurement is the time at which the initial stress (σ_0) is applied to the test piece (see Figure 1).

NOTE 3 Suffix f originates from “fluage”, “creep” in French.

2) 1 MPa = 1 N/mm².