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Standard Specification for UNS N08028 Seamless Pipe and Tube¹

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1. Scope*

1.1 This specification covers UNS N08028 seamless cold-finished or hot finished pipe and tube intended for general corrosive service. The general requirements are covered in Specification B829.

1.2 The values stated in inch-pound units are to be regarded as the standard. The values given in parentheses are for information only.

1.3 *This standard does not purport to address all of the safety concerns, if any, associated with its use. It is the responsibility of the user of this standard to be come familiar with all hazards including those identified in the appropriate Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) for this product/material as provided by the manufacturer; to establish appropriate safety and health practices, and determine the applicability of regulatory limitations prior to use.*

2. Referenced Documents

2.1 *ASTM Standards:*²

B829 Specification for General Requirements for Nickel and Nickel Alloys Seamless Pipe and Tube

3. General Requirement

3.1 Material furnished under this specification shall conform to the applicable requirements of Specification B829 unless otherwise provided herein.

4. Ordering Information

4.1 It is the responsibility of the purchaser to specify all requirements that are necessary for the safe and satisfactory performance of material ordered under this specification. Examples of such requirements include, but are not limited to, the following:

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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.

- 4.1.1 Alloy name or UNS number,
- 4.1.2 ASTM designation and year of issue,
- 4.1.3 *Dimensions:*
 - 4.1.3.1 Outside diameter, minimum or average wall thickness (in inches or millimetres, not gage number), and length,
 - 4.1.3.2 Standard pipe size, schedule and length,
 - 4.1.4 Quantity (feet or metres, or number of pieces),
 - 4.1.5 Optional requirements,
 - 4.1.6 *Certification*—State if certification is required,
 - 4.1.7 *Samples for Product (Check) Analysis*—State whether samples for product (check) analysis should be furnished, and
 - 4.1.8 *Purchaser Inspection*—If the purchaser wishes to witness tests or inspection of material at the place of manufacture, the purchase order must so state, indicating which tests or inspections are to be witnessed.

5. Materials and Manufacture

5.1 Pipe and tube shall be furnished in the solution-annealed condition.

NOTE 1—The recommended heat treatment shall consist of heating the material to a temperature of 1975 to 2100°F (1080 to 1150°C) with subsequent quenching in water or rapidly cooling by other means.

5.2 The scale shall be removed by suitable means. When bright annealed, scale removal operations are not necessary.

6. Chemical Composition

6.1 The material shall conform to the requirement prescribed in Table 1.

TABLE 1 Chemical Requirements

Element	Composition, %
Carbon, max	0.030
Silicon, max	1.0
Manganese, max	2.50
Phosphorus, max	0.030
Sulfur, max	0.030
Chromium	26.0–28.0
Nickel	30.0–34.0
Molybdenum	3.0–4.0
Copper	0.6–1.4
Iron	remainder ^A

^A Determined arithmetically by difference.

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