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## Heat-treated steels, alloy steels and free-cutting steels — Part 18 : Wrought unalloyed steels in the normalized, or normalized and cold-drawn, or hot-rolled and cold-drawn condition

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## FOREWORD

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## 1 SCOPE AND FIELD OF APPLICATION

1.1 This International Standard gives specifications for unalloyed wrought steels in

- a) the normalized condition, or
- b) the normalized and subsequently cold-drawn condition, or
- c) the hot-rolled and subsequently cold-drawn condition,

which are usually intended for mechanical purposes, for example for machine parts.

1.2 This International Standard comprises the four series of steels listed in table 2, which differ in their phosphorus and sulphur contents. The series designated with suffixes "a" or "b" have improved machinability.

TABLE 1 — Types of condition of delivery

Requirements	Types of condition of delivery <sup>1)</sup>		
	1	5(n)	6(n)
Chemical composition	X	X	X
Mechanical properties for final dimensions			
— in the normalized condition		X	
— in the normalized + cold-drawn, or hot-rolled + cold-drawn condition			X

1) The numbers and letters indicating the type of condition of delivery follow a co-ordinated series throughout all relevant ISO publications.

ISO 683-18:3.2.2 The chemical composition expressed by the cast analysis shall be in accordance with table 2.

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## 2 REFERENCES

ISO 82, *Steel — Tensile testing*.

ISO 89, *Steel — Tensile testing of wire*.

ISO/R 377, *Selection and preparation of samples and test pieces for wrought steel*.

ISO/R 404, *General technical delivery requirements for steel*.

## 3 REQUIREMENTS

### 3.1 Production processes

Unless otherwise agreed in the order, the processes used in making the steel and the product are left to the discretion of the manufacturer, but the steel shall be killed. When he so requests, the user shall be informed what steelmaking process is being used.

### 3.2 Chemical composition and mechanical properties

3.2.1 The steels covered by this International Standard shall be ordered and delivered in accordance with table 1.

The type of condition of delivery, according to table 1, shall be stated at the time of enquiry and order.

3.2.2.1 If ordered to condition of delivery type 1 (see table 1), the values given in table 3 for the permissible deviations between the values specified in table 2 and the product analysis of products up to 160 mm diameter apply. Above 160 mm diameter, the permissible deviations shall be agreed at the time of enquiry and order.

3.2.2.2 If ordered to condition of delivery types 5(n) or 6(n), the mechanical properties specified in table 4 or table 5 shall be the governing criteria for acceptance. In such cases, the cast analysis may deviate slightly from the values shown in table 2.

3.2.3 If ordered to condition of delivery type 5(n) the mechanical properties shall be those shown in table 4; if ordered to condition of delivery type 6(n) they shall be those given in table 5.

3.2.3.1 The values apply to test pieces taken in the direction of the metal fibre, the axis of the test piece corresponding to that shown in the figure.

### 3.3 Tolerances on dimensions and mass

The tolerances allowable on dimensions and mass shall be stated on the order as in accordance with the appropriate International Standard. However, in cases where one does not exist the tolerances shall be stated on the order.

## 4 TESTING

### 4.1 Number of sample products

#### 4.1.1 Chemical composition

The cast analysis shall be given by the manufacturer. If a product analysis is required by the purchaser, at least one sample product shall be taken from each cast.

#### 4.1.2 Mechanical properties

4.1.2.1 For material supplied in the normalized condition (type of condition of delivery 5(n) of table 1), one sample product shall be taken from each size grouping from each normalized batch from each cast for testing in accordance with table 4.

4.1.2.2 If the product is continuously normalized, one sample product for each 25 t or part thereof, but at least one sample product for each cast, shall be taken.

4.1.2.3 For material supplied in either the normalized and subsequently cold-drawn condition or in the as-rolled and subsequently cold-drawn condition (type of condition of delivery 6(n) of table 1), one sample product shall be taken from each cold-drawn size from each normalized batch from each cast for testing in accordance with table 5.

### 4.2 Samples and test pieces

4.2.1 The test pieces for tensile test shall be taken in the longitudinal direction of the products in accordance with the figure.

4.2.2 For product analyses, the selection of test samples shall be carried out in accordance with the requirements of ISO/R 377.

4.2.3 General conditions for selection and preparation of test samples and test pieces for steel shall be in accordance with ISO/R 377.

### 4.3 Test methods

4.3.1 The tensile test shall be carried out in accordance with ISO 82 or ISO 89.

4.3.2 In cases of dispute, the methods for the chemical analyses shall be those established by the relevant International Standards. If no International Standards are available, the methods may be agreed upon and specified at the time of enquiry and order.

### 4.4 Retests

For retests ISO/R 404 is valid.

### 4.5 Certification of the tests

For certification ISO/R 404 is valid, acceptable documents being as follows :

- statement of compliance with the order, or
- report based on quality control, or
- works certificate, or
- test certificate, or
- certificate of acceptance.

## 5 DEFECTS AND DIMENSIONAL TOLERANCES

The conditions given in ISO/R 404 are valid for

- surface defects,
- rectification,
- internal defects,
- dimensional tolerances and
- reclaiming.

TABLE 2 – Types of steel and specified chemical composition (applicable to cast analysis) 1)

Type of steel	C %	Si %	Mn %	P % max.	S %
C10e C10ea C10eb C10	0,07 to 0,13	0,15 to 0,40	0,30 to 0,60	0,035	max. 0,035 0,020 to 0,035 0,030 to 0,050
0,050				max. 0,050	
C15e C15ea C15eb C15	0,12 to 0,18	0,15 to 0,40	0,30 to 0,60	0,035	max. 0,035 0,020 to 0,035 0,030 to 0,050
0,050				max. 0,050	
C20e C20ea C20eb C20	0,17 to 0,23	0,15 to 0,40	0,30 to 0,60	0,035	max. 0,035 0,020 to 0,035 0,030 to 0,050
0,050				max. 0,050	
C25e C25ea C25eb C25	0,22 to 0,29	0,15 to 0,40	0,40 to 0,70	0,035	max. 0,035 0,020 to 0,035 0,030 to 0,050
0,050				max. 0,050	
C30e C30ea C30eb C30	0,27 to 0,34	0,15 to 0,40	0,50 to 0,80	0,035	max. 0,035 0,020 to 0,035 0,030 to 0,050
0,050				max. 0,050	
C35e C35ea C35eb C35	0,32 to 0,39	0,15 to 0,40	0,50 to 0,80	0,035	max. 0,035 0,020 to 0,035 0,030 to 0,050
0,050				max. 0,050	
C40e C40ea C40eb C40	0,37 to 0,44	0,15 to 0,40	0,50 to 0,80	0,035	max. 0,035 0,020 to 0,035 0,030 to 0,050
0,050				max. 0,050	
C45e C45ea C45eb C45	0,42 to 0,50	0,15 to 0,40	0,50 to 0,80	0,035	max. 0,035 0,020 to 0,035 0,030 to 0,050
0,050				max. 0,050	
C50e C50ea C50eb C50	0,47 to 0,55	0,15 to 0,40	0,60 to 0,90	0,035	max. 0,035 0,020 to 0,035 0,030 to 0,050
0,050				max. 0,050	
C55e C55ea C55eb C55	0,52 to 0,60	0,15 to 0,40	0,60 to 0,90	0,035	max. 0,035 0,020 to 0,035 0,030 to 0,050
0,050				max. 0,050	
C60e C60ea C60eb C60	0,57 to 0,65	0,15 to 0,40	0,60 to 0,90	0,035	max. 0,035 0,020 to 0,035 0,030 to 0,050
0,050				max. 0,050	

1) Elements not quoted in table 2 shall not be intentionally added to the steel without the agreement of the purchaser, other than for the purpose of finishing the heat. All reasonable precautions shall be taken to prevent the addition, from scrap or other materials used in manufacture, of such elements which affect the hardenability, mechanical properties and applicability.



TABLE 5 – Mechanical properties<sup>1)</sup> for hot-rolled and subsequently cold-drawn condition or for the normalized and subsequently cold-drawn condition

Type of steel	$\phi \leq 16$ mm			$16 \text{ mm} < \phi \leq 40$ mm			$40 \text{ mm} < \phi \leq 63$ mm		
	$R_{p0,2}$ min. N/mm <sup>2</sup>	$R_m$ min. N/mm <sup>2</sup>	A min. %	$R_{p0,2}$ min. N/mm <sup>2</sup>	$R_m$ min. N/mm <sup>2</sup>	A min. %	$R_{p0,2}$ min. N/mm <sup>2</sup>	$R_m$ min. N/mm <sup>2</sup>	A min. %
C10e, C10ea, C10eb, C10	310	420	12	270	390	13	230	370	14
C15e, C15ea, C15eb, C15	340	450	11	300	420	12	250	400	13
C20e, C20ea, C20eb, C20	370	490	10	320	450	11	270	430	12
C25e, C25ea, C25eb, C25	400	530	9	350	490	10	290	460	11
C30e, C30ea, C30eb, C30	430	570	9	370	520	10	310	500	11
C35e, C35ea, C35eb, C35	460	610	8	400	560	9	330	530	10
C40e, C40ea, C40eb, C40	490	650	8	430	600	9	360	570	10
C45e, C45ea, C45eb, C45 <sup>2)</sup>	520	690	7	450	640	8	380	610	9
C50e, C50ea, C50eb, C50 <sup>2)</sup>	550	730	7	480	680	8	410	650	9
C55e, C55ea, C55eb, C55 <sup>2)</sup>	590	780	6	510	720	7	430	690	8
C60e, C60ea, C60eb, C60 <sup>2)</sup>	620	830	5	540	770	6	450	730	7

1)  $R_{p0,2}$  = 0,2 % proof stress (yield stress).

$R_m$  = tensile strength.

A = percentage elongation after fracture ( $L_o = 5 d_o$ ).

1 N/mm<sup>2</sup> = 1 MPa

2) The values in the last four lines are only applicable for the normalized and subsequently cold-drawn condition.

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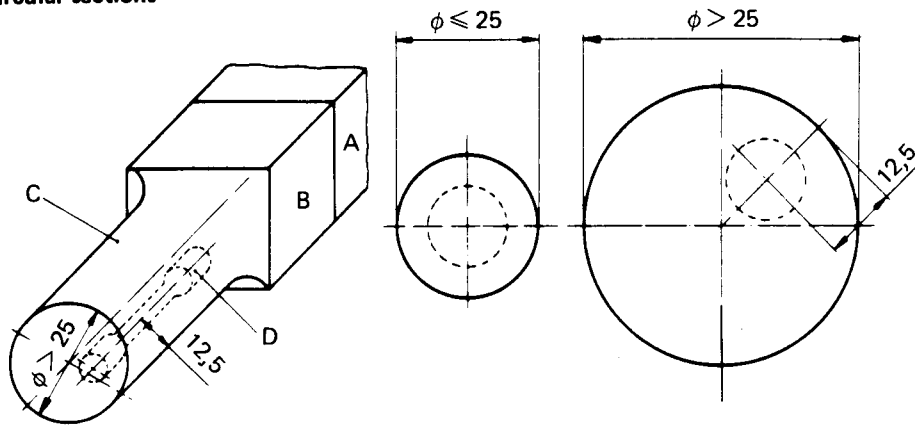
TABLE 6 – Normalizing temperatures (for guidance only)

Type of steel	Temperature °C
C20e, C20ea, C20eb, C20	890 to 930
C25e, C25ea, C25eb, C25	880 to 920
C30e, C30ea, C30eb, C30	870 to 910
C35e, C35ea, C35eb, C35	860 to 900
C40e, C40ea, C40eb, C40	850 to 890
C45e, C45ea, C45eb, C45	840 to 880
C50e, C50ea, C50eb, C50	830 to 870
C55e, C55ea, C55eb, C55	825 to 865
C60e, C60ea, C60eb, C60	820 to 860

Time for austenitizing as a guide : 0,5 h minimum.



**Circular sections**



- A = Sample product
- B = Test sample
- C = Test bar (the piece after reduction to the size in which it is to be heat-treated)
- D = Test piece

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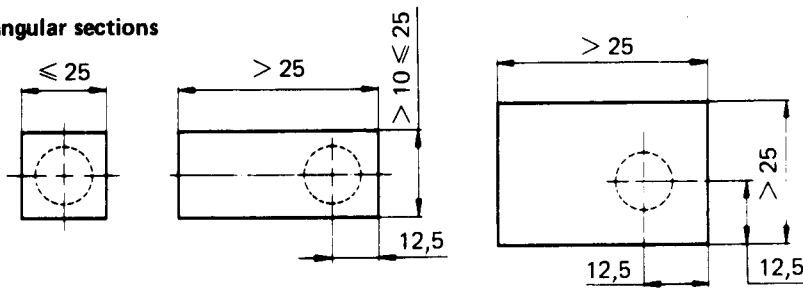


FIGURE – Location of the test pieces in the products