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This third edition cancels and replaces the second edition (ISO 11972:2015), which has been technically revised.

The main changes are as follows:

- the mandatory Terms and definitions clause (see [Clause 3](#)) has been added and subsequent clauses have been renumbered;
- the title for [Table 1](#) has been changed;
- supplementary requirements (see [Clause 8](#)) has been updated;
- the document has been editorially revised to conform to the most recent version of the ISO/IEC Directives, Part 2.

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# Corrosion-resistant cast steels for general applications

## 1 Scope

This document specifies cast steels for general corrosion-resistant applications. The grades covered by this document represent types of alloy steel castings suitable for broad ranges of application which are intended for a wide variety of corrosion applications.

NOTE [Annex A](#) gives information on ISO grade designation and available UNS numbers which are similar to the ISO grade designation.

## 2 Normative reference

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 4990, *Steel castings — General technical delivery conditions*

## 3 Terms and definitions

No terms and definitions are listed in this document.

ISO and IEC maintain terminology databases for use in standardization at the following addresses:

- ISO Online browsing platform: available at <https://www.iso.org/obp>
- IEC Electropedia: available at <https://www.electropedia.org/>

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## 4 General conditions for delivery

Materials furnished according to this document shall conform to the applicable requirements of ISO 4990 including the supplementary requirements that are indicated on the inquiry and purchase order.

## 5 Chemical composition

The steel shall conform to the requirements for chemical composition specified in [Table 1](#).

## 6 Mechanical properties

Steel used for castings shall conform to the mechanical property requirements given in [Table 2](#) up to the maximum ruling thickness. Verification of impact tests is not required except when indicated by the customer. Test blocks used to verify mechanical properties shall not have a thickness exceeding 150 mm. For samples removed from castings, the mechanical properties required shall be agreed between the manufacturer and purchaser.

## 7 Heat treatment

Castings shall be heat-treated in accordance with the requirements in [Table 3](#).

**Table 1 — Chemical composition, mass fraction in %**

Grade designation		Chemical composition									
Name	Number	C	Si	Mn	P	S	Cr	Mo	Ni	Others	
GX12Cr12	1.4011	0,15	1,0	1,0	0,035	0,025	11,5 to 13,5	0,50	1,0		
GX7CrNiMo12-1	1.4008	0,10	1,0	1,0	0,035	0,025	12,0 to 13,5	0,20 to 0,50	1,0 to 2,0		
GX4CrNi13-4 (QT1)	1.4317	0,06	1,0	1,0	0,035	0,025	12,0 to 13,5	0,70	3,5 to 5,0		
GX4CrNi13-4 (QT2)											
GX4CrNiMo16-5-1	1.4405	0,06	0,8	1,0	0,035	0,025	15,0 to 17,0	0,70 to 1,50	4,0 to 6,0		
GX2CrNi19-11	1.4309	0,03	1,5	2,0	0,035	0,025	18,0 to 20,0	-	9,0 to 12,0	N: 0,20	
GX2CrNiN19-11	1.4487	0,03	1,5	1,5	0,040	0,030	18,0 to 20,0	-	9,0 to 12,0	N: 0,12 to 0,20	
GX5CrNi19-10	1.4308	0,07	1,5	1,5	0,040	0,030	18,0 to 20,0	-	8,0 to 11,0		
GX5CrNb19-11	1.4552	0,07	1,5	1,5	0,040	0,030	18,0 to 20,0	-	9,0 to 12,0	8 × C ≤ Nb ≤ 1,00	
GX2CrNiMo19-11-2	1.4409	0,03	1,5	2,0	0,035	0,025	18,0 to 20,0	2,00 to 2,50	9,0 to 12,0	N: 0,20	
GX2CrNiMo19-11-2	1.4490	0,03	1,5	2,0	0,035	0,030	18,0 to 20,0	2,00 to 2,50	9,0 to 12,0	N: 0,12 to 0,20	
GX4CrNiMoN26-5-2	1.4474	0,05	1,0	2,0	0,035	0,025	25,0 to 27,0	1,30 to 2,00	4,5 to 6,5	N: 0,12 to 0,20	
GX5CrNiMo19-11-2	1.4408	0,07	1,5	1,5	0,040	0,030	18,0 to 20,0	2,00 to 2,50	9,0 to 12,0		
GX5CrNb19-11-2	1.4581	0,07	1,5	1,5	0,040	0,030	18,0 to 20,0	2,00 to 2,50	9,0 to 12,0	8 × C ≤ Nb ≤ 1,00	
GX2CrNiMo19-11-3	1.4518	0,03	1,5	1,5	0,040	0,030	18,0 to 20,0	3,00 to 3,50	9,0 to 12,0		
GX2CrNiMoN19-11-3	1.4508	0,03	1,5	1,5	0,040	0,030	18,0 to 20,0	3,00 to 3,50	9,0 to 12,0	N: 0,10 to 0,20	
GX2CrNiMoN22-5-3	1.4470	0,03	1,0	2,0	0,035	0,025	21,0 to 23,0	2,50 to 3,50	4,5 to 6,5	N: 0,12 to 0,20	
GX2CrNiMoN25-7-3	1.4417	0,03	1,0	1,5	0,030	0,020	24,0 to 26,0	3,00 to 4,00	6,0 to 8,5	Cu: 1,00 N: 0,15 to 0,25 W 1,00	
GX2CrNiMoN26-7-4	1.4469	0,03	1,0	1,0	0,035	0,025	25,0 to 27,0	3,00 to 5,00	6,0 to 8,0	N: 0,12 to 0,22 Cu 1,30	
GX5CrNiMo19-11-3	1.4412	0,07	1,5	1,5	0,040	0,030	18,0 to 20,0	3,00 to 3,50	10,0 to 13,0		
GX2NiCrMoCuN 25-20-6	1.4588	0,02	1,0	2,00	0,035	0,020	19,0 to 21,0	6,00 to 7,00	24,0 to 26,0	N: 0,10 to 0,25 Cu: 0,50 to 1,50	
GX2CrNiMoCuN 20-18-6	1.4557	0,02	1,0	1,20	0,030	0,010	19,5 to 20,5	6,00 to 7,00	17,5 to 19,5	N: 0,18 to 0,24 Cu: 0,50 to 1,00	
GX2CrNiMoCuN 25-6-3-3	1.4517	0,03	1,0	1,50	0,035	0,025	24,5 to 26,5	2,50 to 3,50	5,0 to 7,0	N: 0,12 to 0,22 Cu: 2,75 to 3,50	
GX3CrNiMoCuN26-6-3	1.4515	0,03	1,0	2,00	0,030	0,020	24,5 to 26,5	2,50 to 3,50	5,5 to 7,0	N: 0,12 to 0,25 Cu: 0,80 to 1,30	
GX2CrNiMoN25-6-3	1.4468	0,03	1,0	2,0	0,035	0,025	24,5 to 26,5	2,50 to 3,50	5,5 to 7,0	N: 0,12 to 0,25	

NOTE A single value in this table indicates the maximum limit.

**Table 2 — Mechanical properties at room temperature<sup>b</sup>**

Grade designation		R <sub>p0,2</sub> Min. MPa	R <sub>m</sub> min. MPa	A min. %	AV min. J	Maximum rul- ing thickness mm
Name	Number					
GX12Cr12	1.4011	450	620	15	20	150
GX7CrNiMo12-1	1.4008	440	590	15	27	300
GX4CrNi13-4 (QT1)	1.4317	550	750	15	50	300
GX4CrNi13-4 (QT2)		830	900	12	35	300
GX4CrNiMo16-5-1	1.4405	540	760	15	60	300

<sup>a</sup> The minimum R<sub>p1,0</sub> value is 25 MPa higher.

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