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# Standard Specification for Ferrovandium<sup>1</sup>

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## 1. Scope

1.1 This specification covers one grade of ferrovandium.

1.2 The values stated in inch-pound units are to be regarded as standard. The values given in parentheses are mathematical conversions to SI units that are provided for information only and are not considered standard.

## 2. Referenced Documents

2.1 *ASTM Standards*:<sup>2</sup>

[A1025 Specification for Ferroalloys and Other Alloying Materials, General Requirements](#)

[E365 Test Method for the Determination of Vanadium in Ferrovandium and Vanadium Alloying Additives](#) (Withdrawn 2005)<sup>3</sup>

## 3. General Conditions for Delivery

3.1 Materials furnished to this specification shall conform to the requirements of Specification [A1025](#), including any supplementary requirements that are indicated in the purchase order. Failure to comply with the general requirements of Specification [A1025](#) constitutes nonconformance with this specification. In case of conflict between the requirements of this specification and Specification [A1025](#), this specification shall prevail.

3.2 Although ferrovandium is ordered by total net weight, the customary basis of payment is per pound of contained vanadium.

## 4. Chemical Composition

4.1 The material shall conform to the requirements as to chemical composition specified in [Table 1](#).

4.2 The manufacturer shall furnish an analysis of each shipment showing the percentage of each element specified.

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<sup>2</sup> For referenced ASTM standards, visit the ASTM website, [www.astm.org](http://www.astm.org), or contact ASTM Customer Service at [service@astm.org](mailto:service@astm.org). For *Annual Book of ASTM Standards* volume information, refer to the standard's Document Summary page on the ASTM website.

<sup>3</sup> The last approved version of this historical standard is referenced on [www.astm.org](http://www.astm.org).

**TABLE 1 Chemical Requirements<sup>A</sup>**

Element	Composition, %
Vanadium, <sup>B</sup>	75-85
Carbon, max	0.75
Silicon, max	1.5
Aluminum, max	2.0
Sulfur, max	0.08
Phosphorus, max	0.08

<sup>A</sup>For the purposes of determining conformance with this specification, the reported analysis shall be rounded to the nearest unit in the last right-hand place of figures used in expressing the limiting value, in accordance with the rounding method of Practice [A1025](#).

<sup>B</sup>For the purposes of determining the vanadium content of any shipment, vanadium shall be reported to the nearest 0.1 %, applying the same rounding procedure as prescribed in Footnote A.