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Foreword

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Introduction

This International Standard classifies welding consumables for fusion welding of various types of unalloyed cast irons.

Applications for welding consumables classified to this International Standard:

- production welding, that means welding of cast materials during the process of production. In that way, the quality of the casting shall be ensured in accordance with the guaranteed properties and to the requirements of the application;
- repair welding of castings which are damaged during service;
- welding for construction purposes where cast irons are joined to themselves or to other ferrous or non-ferrous metals.

The following methods are used for the welding of cast irons:

- using a welding consumable which produces a weld metal similar to the parent metal. High preheating is required (typical temperature range 550 °C to 650 °C);
- using a welding consumable which produces a weld metal dissimilar to the parent metal. No or only low preheating is required.

This International Standard contains different types of welding consumables because the chemical composition of welding rods and wire electrodes, as well as the all-weld metal of the corresponding covered electrodes and tubular cored electrodes, is similar.

Additionally, to the welding consumables specified in this International Standard, consumables classified to other standards can be used (see Annex A).