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## **Ferroalloys — Sampling and sample preparation for chemical analysis —**

### **Part 2:**

**Ferrotitanium, ferromolybdenum, ferrotungsten,  
ferroniobium, ferrovanadium**

*Ferro-alliages — Échantillonnage et préparation des échantillons pour analyse chimique —*

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## Part 2:

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### 1 Scope and field of application

This part of ISO 4552 specifies the methods for sampling and sample preparation for the determination of the chemical composition of a consignment of ferrotitanium, ferrotungsten, ferromolybdenum, ferroniobium or ferrovanadium.

Part 1 of ISO 4552 specifies the methods for use with ferrochromium, ferrosilicon, ferrosilicomanganese and ferromanganese.

### 2 References

ISO 3713, *Ferroalloys — Sampling and sample preparation — General rules.*

ISO 6467, *Ferrovanadium — Determination of vanadium — Potentiometric method.*

### 3 General requirements

#### 3.1 Definitions, general requirements for sampling and sample preparation, tools and equipment

See ISO 3713.

### 3.2 Quality characteristics for precision requirements

The overall precision of the determination of the chemical composition of a consignment  $\beta_{SDM}$ , precision of sampling  $\beta_S$ , precision of sample preparation  $\beta_D$  and precision of the method of analysis  $\beta_M$  at the 95 % confidence level shall be specified with respect to the quality characteristics shown in table 1.

Table 1 — Quality characteristics for precision requirements

Ferroalloy	Quality characteristic, % (m/m)
Ferrotitanium	Titanium content
Ferromolybdenum	Molybdenum content
Ferrotungsten	Tungsten content
Ferroniobium	Niobium content
Ferrovanadium	Vanadium content

### 4 Overall precision of the determination of the chemical composition of a consignment

The methods of sampling and sample preparation specified in this part of ISO 4552 allow the determination of chemical composition of a consignment at the 95 % confidence level with the overall precision shown in table 2, depending on the mass of the consignment sampled.