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- The number of the standard has been changed from ISO 4652-1 to ISO 4652, since there were no other parts.
- The title has been modified accordingly.
- A statement has been added to the scope that the multipoint method specified in ISO 18852 is the preferred method.
- The normative references in Clause 2 have been updated.
- The Ni-Count-1 apparatus used in method A is no longer available from the manufacturer. However, it has been decided to keep method A for those still using this apparatus. A note has been added at the beginning of Clause 3 to explain this.