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Foreword

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ISO 4689 consists of the following parts, under the general title *Iron ores — Determination of sulfur content*:

- *Part 1: Barium sulfate gravimetric method*
- *Part 2: Combustion/titration method*
- *Part 3: Combustion/infrared method*

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Introduction

This part of ISO 4689 is a new procedure. ISO 4689-2 was originally published as ISO 4690:1986. Under a policy of rationalization of the numbering system used in ISO/TC 102, it has been decided to re-designate ISO 4690:1986 as ISO 4689-2. It was further decided to introduce a combustion/infrared method, numbered ISO 4689-3, i.e. this part of ISO 4689.

When next revised, ISO 4689:1986 will be re-designated as ISO 4689-1.