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Introduction

The chemical analysis of sintered metal materials, excluding hardmetals, is carried out as it would be for solid metals, by using existing standard methods. However, as these sintered materials very often contain carbonaceous constituents, the correct determination of carbon content (free or total) requires that certain precautions be taken when preparing the sample for analysis from components.

Samples prepared in accordance with this International Standard may also be suitable for chemical analysis for other elements.