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This second edition cancels and replaces the first edition (ISO 14373:2006), which has been technically revised to align it with ISO 17677-1.

Introduction

This International Standard no longer includes figures showing failure types and modes for tensile shear and cross tension testing in accordance with ISO 14329.

Resistance welding — Procedure for spot welding of uncoated and coated low carbon steels

1 Scope

This International Standard specifies requirements for resistance spot welding in the fabrication of assemblies of uncoated and metallic coated low carbon steel, comprising two or three sheets of metal, where the maximum single sheet thickness of components to be welded is within the range 0,4 mm to 3 mm, for the following materials:

- uncoated steels;
- hot-dip zinc or iron-zinc alloy (galvannealed) coated steel;
- electrolytic zinc, zinc-iron, or zinc-nickel coated steel;
- aluminium coated steel;
- zinc-aluminium coated steel.

This International Standard is applicable to welding of sheets of the same or dissimilar thickness, where the thickness ratio is less than or equal to 3:1. It applies to the welding of three thicknesses, where the total thickness is less than or equal to 9 mm.

Welding with the following types of equipment is within the scope of this International Standard:

- a) pedestal welding equipment;
- b) gun welders;
- c) automatic welding equipment where the components are fed by robots or automatic feeding equipment;
- d) multi welders;
- e) robotic welders.

Information on appropriate welding equipment is given in [Annex A](#), and information on spot welding conditions is given in [Annex B](#). This information is provided for guidance only.

Depending on the service conditions of the fabrication, the type of welding equipment, the characteristics of the secondary circuit, the electrode material, and the shape, it is possible that certain modifications are necessary. In such cases, further information can be obtained from the relevant application standard, where one exists.

The welding of organic coated or primer coated steels is not within the scope of this International Standard.

2 Normative references

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 5182, *Resistance welding — Materials for electrodes and ancillary equipment*

ISO 10447, *Resistance welding — Peel and chisel testing of resistance spot and projection welds*

ISO 14270, *Resistance welding — Specimen dimensions and procedure for mechanized peel testing resistance spot, seam and embossed projection welds*

ISO 15609-5, *Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials — Welding procedure specification — Part 5: Resistance welding*

ISO 15614-12, *Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials — Welding procedure test — Part 12: Spot, seam and projection welding*

ISO 17677-1, *Resistance welding — Vocabulary — Part 1: Spot, projection and seam welding*

ISO 18278-1, *Resistance welding — Weldability — Part 1: Assessment of weldability for resistance spot, seam and projection welding of metallic materials*

ISO 18272-2, *Resistance welding — Weldability — Part 2: Alternative procedures for the assessment of sheet steels for spot welding*

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