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This third edition cancels and replaces the second edition (ISO 2361:1982), which has been technically revised.

The main changes are as follows:

- the nickel measuring methods were split into Type A, Type B and Type A and B;
- common measurement ranges were added for every method;
- subclauses on the factors that influence the measurement uncertainty were added;
- restructured and split into clauses and subclauses;
- [Clause 9](#) on the test report was added;
- editorial changes were made.

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# Electrodeposited nickel coatings on magnetic and non-magnetic substrates — Measurement of coating thickness — Magnetic method

## 1 Scope

This document specifies the method for non-destructive thickness measurement via the magnetic type of electrodeposited nickel coatings, also called “e-nickel”, on magnetic or non-magnetic substrates.

It is possible that the method is not applicable to autocatalytic (electroless) nickel coatings, since these coatings are often non-magnetic due to their chemical composition.

For the purposes of this document, two types of substrates are distinguished:

- a) nickel coatings on magnetic substrates (type A coatings);
- b) nickel coatings on non-magnetic substrates (type B coatings).

Not all instruments are applicable to both types of coating.

The effective measuring ranges of instruments using the principle of magnetic attraction are up to 50 µm for type A coatings and up to 25 µm for type B coatings.

For instruments using the principle of reluctance, the effective ranges are much greater, up to 1 mm or even more. This method is applicable to both types of coatings.

## 2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 1463, *Metallic and oxide coatings — Measurement of coating thickness — Microscopical method*

ISO 2064, *Metallic and other inorganic coatings — Definitions and conventions concerning the measurement of thickness*

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