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European foreword

This document (EN ISO 14732:2025) has been prepared by Technical Committee ISO/TC 44 "Welding and allied processes" in collaboration with Technical Committee CEN/TC 121 "Welding and allied processes" the secretariat of which is held by AFNOR.

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For the relationship with EU Legislation, see informative Annex ZA and ZB, which is an integral part of this document.

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Annex ZA (informative)

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This European Standard has been prepared under a Commission's standardization request M/601 "Mandate to CEN for standardization in the field of Pressure equipment" to provide one voluntary means of conforming to Essential Requirements of Directive 2014/68/EU "Pressure equipment".

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Table ZA.1 — Correspondence between this European Standard and Directive 2014/68/EU (PED)

Essential Requirements of Directive 2014/68/EU (PED)	Clause(s)/sub-clause(s) of this EN	Remarks/Notes
3.1.2, paragraphs 3, 4 and 5	4, 5, 6.1, 6.3 a), 6.3 b), 7	Permanent joining – personnel qualification. For pressure equipment in categories II, III and IV the examiner/examining body is a competent third party.
	6.3 c)	Revalidation route 6.3.c) is not permitted for the categories II, III and IV products

Table ZA.2 — Normative references from Clause 2 of this document and their corresponding European publications

Column 1 Reference in Clause 2	Column 2 International Standard Edition	Column 3 Title	Column 4 Corresponding European Standard Edition
ISO 4063:2023	ISO 4063:2023	Welding, brazing, soldering and cutting — Nomenclature of processes and reference numbers	EN ISO 4063:2023
ISO 9606-1	ISO 9606-1:2012 ISO 9606-1:2012/Cor1:2012 ISO 9606-1:2012/Cor2:2013	Qualification testing of welders — Fusion welding — Part 1: Steels	EN ISO 9606-1:2017

Column 1 Reference in Clause 2	Column 2 International Standard Edition	Column 3 Title	Column 4 Corresponding European Standard Edition
ISO 9606-2	ISO 9606-2:2004	Qualification test of welders — Fusion welding — Part 2: Aluminium and aluminium alloys	EN ISO 9606-2:2004
ISO 9606-3	ISO 9606-3:1999	Approval testing of welders — Fusion welding — Part 3: Copper and copper alloys	EN ISO 9606-3:1999
ISO 9606-4	ISO 9606-4:1999	Approval testing of welders — Fusion welding — Part 4: Nickel and nickel alloys	EN ISO 9606-4:1999
ISO 9606-5	ISO 9606-5:2000	Approval testing of welders — Fusion welding — Part 5: Titanium and titanium alloys, zirconium and zirconium alloys	EN ISO 9606-5:2000
ISO 14555	ISO 14555:2017	Welding — Arc stud welding of metallic materials	EN ISO 14555:2017
ISO 15609-1	ISO 15609-1:2019	Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials - Welding procedure specification - Part 1: Arc welding	EN ISO 15609-1:2019
ISO 15609-3	ISO 15609-3:2004	Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials - Welding procedures specification - Part 3: Electron beam welding	EN ISO 15609-3:2004
ISO 15609-4	ISO 15609-4:2009	Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials - Welding procedure specification - Part 4:	EN ISO 15609-4:2009

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Column 1 Reference in Clause 2	Column 2 International Standard Edition	Column 3 Title	Column 4 Corresponding European Standard Edition
		Laser beam welding	
ISO 15609-5	ISO 15609-5:2011	Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials - Welding procedure specification - Part 5: Resistance welding	EN ISO 15609-5:2011
ISO 15609-6	ISO 15609-6:2013	Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials - Welding procedure specification - Part 6: Laser-arc hybrid welding	EN ISO 15609-6:2013
ISO 15613	ISO 15613:2004	Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials — Qualification based on pre-production welding test	EN ISO 15613:2004
ISO 15614-1	ISO 15614-1:2017 ISO 15614-1:2017/Amd 1:2019	Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials - Welding procedure test - Part 1: Arc and gas welding of steels and arc welding of nickel and nickel alloys	EN ISO 15614-1:2017 EN ISO 15614-1:2017/A1:2019
ISO 15614-2	ISO 15614-2:2005 ISO 15614-2:2005/Cor 2:2009	Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials - Welding procedure test - Part 2: Arc welding of aluminium and its alloys	EN ISO 15614-2:2005 EN ISO 15614-2:2005/AC:2009
ISO 15614-5	ISO 15614-5:2004	Specification and qualification of welding procedures	EN ISO 15614-5:2004

Column 1 Reference in Clause 2	Column 2 International Standard Edition	Column 3 Title	Column 4 Corresponding European Standard Edition
		for metallic materials - Welding procedure test - Part 5: Arc welding of titanium, zirconium and their alloys	
ISO 15614-6	ISO 15614-6:2006	Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials - Welding procedure test - Part 6: Arc and gas welding of copper and its alloys	EN ISO 15614-6:2006
ISO 15614-7	ISO 15614-7:2016	Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials - Welding procedure test - Part 7: Overlay welding	EN ISO 15614-7:2019
ISO 15614-8	ISO 15614-8:2016	Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials - Welding procedure test - Part 8: Welding of tubes to tube- plate joints	EN ISO 15614-8:2016
ISO 15614-11	ISO 15614-11:2002	Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials - Welding procedure test - Part 11: Electron and laser beam welding	EN ISO 15614-11:2002
ISO 15614-12	ISO 15614-12:2021	Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials - Welding procedure test - Part 12: Spot, seam and projection welding	EN ISO 15614-12:2021
ISO 15614-13	ISO 15614-13:2021	Specification and	EN ISO 15614-13:2021

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Column 1 Reference in Clause 2	Column 2 International Standard Edition	Column 3 Title	Column 4 Corresponding European Standard Edition
		qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials - Welding procedure test - Part 13: Upset (resistance butt) and flash welding	
ISO 15614-14	ISO 15614-14:2013	Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials - Welding procedure test - Part 14: Laser-arc hybrid welding of steels, nickel and nickel alloys	EN ISO 15614-14:2013
ISO/TR 25901-1	ISO/TR 25901-1:2016	Welding and allied processes — Vocabulary — Part 1: General terms	None For applicable standard edition see Column 2
ISO 25901-2	ISO 25901-2:2022	Welding and allied processes — Vocabulary — Part 2: Health and safety	EN ISO 25901-2:2023
ISO/TR 25901-3	ISO/TR 25901-3:2016	Welding and allied processes — Vocabulary — Part 3: welding processes	None For applicable standard edition see Column 2
ISO/TR 25901-4	ISO/TR 25901-4:2016	Welding and allied processes — Vocabulary — Part 4: Arc welding	None For applicable standard edition see Column 2

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Annex ZB (informative)

Relationship between this European Standard and the Essential Requirements of EU Directive 2014/29/EU (SPVD) aimed to be covered

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Table ZB.1 — Correspondence between this European Standard and Annex I of the Directive 2014/29/EU (SPVD)

Essential Requirements of Directive 2014/29/EU (SPVD)	Clause(s)/sub-clause(s) of this EN	Remarks/Notes
3.2, paragraph 2	4, 5, 6.1, 6.3 a), 6.3 b), 7	For welds on pressurized parts of simple pressure vessels, the examiner/examining body is a notified body.

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This third edition cancels and replaces the second edition (ISO 14732:2013), which has been technically revised.

The main changes are as follows:

- introduction has been revised to exclude reference to application standards;
- scope clarifies that the standard does not apply to personnel who do not control or adjust welding parameters; or are not involved in the setup of welding equipment;
- scope is now limited to metallic materials per the title;
- scope references ISO 25239-3 and ISO 18785-3, respectively for friction stir and friction stir spot welding;
- normative references in [Clause 2](#) have been updated;
- terms and definitions in [Clause 3](#) have been updated and re-ordered
- [Clause 4](#) has been significantly revised and variables and range of qualification are now in a new [Clause 5](#);
- [Clause 6](#) (previously [Clause 5](#)) has been revised
- [Annexes A](#) and [B](#) have been updated

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ISO 14732:2025(en)**Introduction**

This document is intended to provide the basis for the mutual recognition by examining bodies of qualification related to the competence of welding operators and weld setters in the various fields of application.

The welding operator's or weld setter's ability and job knowledge continue to be approved only if the welding operators or weld setters are working with reasonable continuity on welding work within the extent of qualification. However, a functional knowledge test is mandatory.

It is presumed that the welding operator or weld setter has received training or has industrial practice within the range of qualification.

All new qualifications should be in accordance with this document from the date of issue.

At the end of its period of validity, the existing and valid qualification testing of welding operators and weld setters in accordance with the requirements of a national standard can be revalidated in accordance with this document. The new range of qualification will be interpreted in accordance with the requirements of this document.

Welding personnel — Qualification testing of welding operators and weld setters for mechanized and automatic welding of metallic materials

1 Scope

This document specifies requirements for qualification of welding operators and weld setters for mechanized and automatic welding of metallic materials.

This document does not apply to personnel who:

- do not control or adjust welding parameters;
- are not involved in the setup of welding equipment.

Qualification of welding operators and weld setters for friction stir welding and friction stir spot welding are covered by ISO 25239-3 and ISO 18785-3, respectively.

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 3834-2, *Quality requirements for fusion welding of metallic materials — Part 2: Comprehensive quality requirements*

ISO 3834-3, *Quality requirements for fusion welding of metallic materials — Part 3: Standard quality requirements*

ISO 4063:2023, *Welding, brazing, soldering and cutting — Nomenclature of processes and reference numbers*

ISO 9606-1, *Qualification testing of welders — Fusion welding — Part 1: Steels*

ISO 9606-2, *Qualification test of welders — Fusion welding — Part 2: Aluminium and aluminium alloys*

ISO 9606-3, *Approval testing of welders — Fusion welding — Part 3: Copper and copper alloys*

ISO 9606-4, *Approval testing of welders — Fusion welding — Part 4: Nickel and nickel alloys*

ISO 9606-5, *Approval testing of welders — Fusion welding — Part 5: Titanium and titanium alloys, zirconium and zirconium alloys*

ISO 14555, *Welding — Arc stud welding of metallic materials*

ISO 15609-1, *Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials — Welding procedure specification — Part 1: Arc welding*

ISO 15609-2, *Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials — Welding procedure specification — Part 2: Gas welding*

ISO 15609-3, *Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials — Welding procedure specification — Part 3: Electron beam welding*

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ISO 15609-4, *Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials — Welding procedure specification — Part 4: Laser beam welding*

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

ISO 15609-6, *Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials — Welding procedure specification — Part 6: Laser-arc hybrid welding*

ISO 15613, *Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials — Qualification based on pre-production welding test*

ISO 15614-1, *Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials — Welding procedure test — Part 1: Arc and gas welding of steels and arc welding of nickel and nickel alloys*

ISO 15614-2, *Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials — Welding procedure test — Part 2: Arc welding of aluminium and its alloys*

ISO 15614-5, *Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials — Welding procedure test — Part 5: Arc welding of titanium, zirconium and their alloys*

ISO 15614-6, *Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials — Welding procedure test — Part 6: Arc and gas welding of copper and its alloys*

ISO 15614-7, *Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials — Welding procedure test — Part 7: Overlay welding*

ISO 15614-8, *Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials — Welding procedure test — Part 8: Welding of tubes to tube-plate joints*

ISO 15614-11, *Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials — Welding procedure test — Part 11: Electron and laser beam welding*

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

ISO 15614-13, *Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials — Welding procedure test — Part 13: Upset (resistance butt) and flash welding*

ISO 15614-14, *Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials — Welding procedure test — Part 14: Laser-arc hybrid welding of steels, nickel and nickel alloys*

ISO 25901 (all parts), *Welding and allied processes — Vocabulary*

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