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## Foreword

This document (EN 10088-2:2014) has been prepared by Technical Committee ECISS/TC 105 “Steels for heat treatment, alloy steels, free-cutting steels and stainless steels”, the secretariat of which is held by DIN.

This European Standard shall be given the status of a national standard, either by publication of an identical text or by endorsement, at the latest by April 2015 and conflicting national standards shall be withdrawn at the latest by April 2015.

Attention is drawn to the possibility that some of the elements of this document may be the subject of patent rights. CEN [and/or CENELEC] shall not be held responsible for identifying any or all such patent rights.

This document supersedes EN 10088-2:2005.

This standard mainly differs from the 2005 edition as follows:

- a) addition of austenitic grades 1.4618, 1.4376, 1.4640, 1.4646, addition of austenitic-ferritic (duplex) grades 1.4162, 1.4662, 1.4482, 1.4062, addition of ferritic grades 1.4600, 1.4607, 1.4611, 1.4613, 1.4630, 1.4634;
- b) chemical composition was changed for following grades: austenitic grade 1.4371, 1.4597, austenitic-ferritic grade 1.4362;
- c) standard inspection document is now a test report 2.2 according to EN 10204;
- d) products delivered with hot-rolled or cold-rolled finishes shall be supplied with a prime surface;
- e) a new cold rolled surface finish (2A) has been introduced for ferritic stainless steel grades that have been 'bright-pickled and skin passed';
- f) mechanical values have been changed for austenitic grade 1.4372, for ferritic grades 1.4016 and for martensitic grade 1.4034.

EN 10088, under the general title *Stainless steels*, consists of the following parts:

- *Part 1: List of stainless steels* (including a table of European Standards, in which these stainless steels are further specified, see Annex B);
- *Part 2: Technical delivery conditions for sheet/plate and strip of corrosion resisting steels for general purposes* [the present document];
- *Part 3: Technical delivery conditions for semi-finished products, bars, rods, wire, sections and bright products of corrosion resisting steels for general purposes*;
- *Part 4: Technical delivery conditions for sheet/plate and strip of corrosion resisting steels for construction purposes*;
- *Part 5: Technical delivery conditions for bars, rods, wire, sections and bright products of corrosion resisting steels for construction purposes*.

According to the CEN-CENELEC Internal Regulations, the national standards organizations of the following countries are bound to implement this European Standard: Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey and the United Kingdom.

## Introduction

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The holder of these patent rights has ensured CEN that they are willing to negotiate licenses, under reasonable and non-discriminatory terms and conditions, with applicants throughout the world. In this respect, the statements of the holders of these patent rights are registered with CEN. Information may be obtained from:

Grade 1.4162, 1.4662  
Outokumpu Stainless AB  
SE-77480 Avesta, Sweden

Grade 1.4062  
Ugitech  
F-73403 Ugine Cedex, France

Grade 1.4062  
Industeel  
F-71200 Creusot, 56 Rue Clemenceau, France

Grade 1.4646, 1.4611, 1.4613  
Acciai Speciali Terni  
I-05100 Terni, Italy

## 1 Scope

This European Standard specifies the technical delivery conditions for hot or cold rolled sheet/plate and strip of standard grades and special grades of corrosion resisting stainless steels for general purposes.

NOTE General purposes include the use of stainless steels in contact with foodstuffs.

The general technical delivery conditions specified in EN 10021 apply in addition to the specifications of this European Standard, unless otherwise specified in this European Standard.

This European Standard does not apply to components manufactured by further processing of the product forms listed above with quality characteristics altered as a result of such further processing.

## 2 Normative references

The following referenced 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.

EN 10021, *General technical delivery conditions for steel products*

EN 10027-1, *Designation systems for steels — Part 1: Steel names*

EN 10027-2, *Designation systems for steels — Part 2: Numerical system*

EN 10052:1993, *Vocabulary of heat treatment terms for ferrous products*

EN 10079:2007, *Definition of steel products*

EN 10088-1:2014, *Stainless steels — Part 1: List of stainless steels*

EN 10163-2, *Delivery requirements for surface condition of hot-rolled steel plates, wide flats and sections — Part 2: Plate and wide flats*

EN 10168, *Steel products — Inspection documents — List of information and description*

EN 10204, *Metallic products — Types of inspection documents*

EN 10307, *Non-destructive testing — Ultrasonic testing of austenitic and austenitic-ferritic stainless steels flat products of thickness equal to or greater than 6 mm (reflection method)*

EN ISO 148-1, *Metallic materials — Charpy pendulum impact test — Part 1: Test method (ISO 148-1)*

EN ISO 377, *Steel and steel products — Location and preparation of samples and test pieces for mechanical testing (ISO 377)*

EN ISO 3651-2, *Determination of resistance to intergranular corrosion of stainless steels — Part 2: Ferritic, austenitic and ferritic-austenitic (duplex) stainless steels — Corrosion test in media containing sulfuric acid (ISO 3651-2)*

EN ISO 6506-1, *Metallic materials — Brinell hardness test — Part 1: Test method (ISO 6506-1)*

EN ISO 6507-1, *Metallic materials — Vickers hardness test — Part 1: Test method (ISO 6507-1)*

EN ISO 6508-1, *Metallic materials — Rockwell hardness test — Part 1: Test method (scales A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, K, N, T) (ISO 6508-1)*

EN ISO 6892-1, *Metallic materials — Tensile testing — Part 1: Method of test at room temperature (ISO 6892-1)*

EN ISO 6892-2, *Metallic materials — Tensile testing — Part 2: Method of test at elevated temperature (ISO 6892-2)*

EN ISO 14284, *Steel and iron — Sampling and preparation of samples for the determination of chemical composition (ISO 14284)*

### **3 Terms and definitions**

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions regarding types of heat-treatment in EN 10052:1993, regarding product forms in EN 10079:2007 and the following apply.

#### **3.1**

##### **stainless steels**

steels with at least 10,5 % of chromium and maximum 1,2 % of carbon

[SOURCE: EN 10020:2000, 3.2.2]

Note 1 to entry: Stainless steels are further subdivided in accordance with their main property into corrosion resisting steels, heat resisting steels and creep resisting steels.

Note 2 to entry: One type steel in Table 7 in EN 10088-1:2014 and five types of steel in Table 9 in EN 10088-1:2014 contain less chromium than the minimum defined for stainless steels, but are included in the heat-resisting and creep-resisting steels standards respectively, because they form a part of these two families of steels.

#### **3.2**

##### **corrosion resisting steels**

steels with at least 10,5 % Cr and max. 1,20 % C if their resistance to corrosion is of primary importance

#### **3.3**

##### **general purposes**

purposes other than the special purposes mentioned in the Bibliography

#### **3.4**

##### **standard grades**

grades with a relatively good availability and a wider range of application

#### **3.5**

##### **special grades**

grades for special use and/or with limited availability

### **4 Designation and ordering**

#### **4.1 Designation of steel grades**

The steel names and steel numbers (see Tables 1 to 4) were formed in accordance with EN 10027-1 and EN 10027-2 respectively.

#### **4.2 Designation to be used on ordering**

The complete designation for ordering a product according to this document shall contain the following information:

— desired quantity;