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protection of steel structures by
protective paint systems —**

**Part 2:
Classification of environments**

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systèmes de peinture —*

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- the units in [Table 1](#) have been corrected;
- the bibliography has been updated;
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