
Nickel and nickel alloy forgings

Pièces forgées en nickel et alliages de nickel





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Nickel and nickel alloy forgings

1 Scope

This document specifies requirements for nickel and nickel alloy forgings for general purposes.

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 204, *Metallic materials — Uniaxial creep testing in tension — Method of test*

ISO 6372, *Nickel and nickel alloys — Terms and definitions*

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

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

ASTM E112, *Standard test methods for determining average grain size*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in ISO 6372 and the following apply.

ISO and IEC maintain terminological databases for use in standardization at the following addresses:

- IEC Electropedia: available at <http://www.electropedia.org/>
- ISO Online browsing platform: available at <http://www.iso.org/obp>

3.1

heat

molten metal poured from a single furnace or molten metal from two or more furnaces poured into a single ladle

3.2

lot

forgings of the same cross-sectional dimensions, from the same *heat* (3.1), heat treated together or sequentially heat treated in a continuous furnace, but in no case for no longer than 16 h of production

Note 1 to entry: For forgings not identified by heat, the lot either consists of one piece or is less than 500 kg.

4 Alloy identification

For the purposes of this document, the principles for alloy identification are given in [Annex A](#).

5 Information to be supplied by the purchaser

The purchaser shall give clear information in the enquiry and order, in particular, on the following:

- a) the number of this document, i.e. ISO 9725;
- b) quantity (mass or number of pieces) of forgings required;