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1 SCOPE AND FIELD OF APPLICATION

This International Standard specifies the terms of acceptance for drawn wire intended for the manufacture of general purpose non-alloy steel wire ropes, as specified in ISO 2232.

2 REFERENCE

ISO 2232, *Drawn wire for general purpose non-alloy steel wire ropes — Specifications.*

3 DEFINITIONS

For the purpose of this International Standard, the following definitions apply.

3.1 lot : A definite quantity of wire of the same nominal diameter, grade and finish, presented for control and manufactured under conditions which are presumed uniform.

3.2 unit; unit of product :

- Coil of single length of wire of which the mass or length is variable or fixed, or
- Bobbin : variable or fixed quantity of single length of wire which is put on a bobbin with flanges, or
- Cheese wound coil : variable or fixed quantity of single length of wire, which is wound on a cardboard centre.

3.3 basic sampling unit : A mass (m_1), expressed in kilograms, having by convention a value equal to $100 d$, d being the diameter of the wire, expressed in millimetres.

3.4 size of lot (N) : A number deduced from the convention mentioned in 3.3.¹⁾ This number is calculated using the formula

$$N = 10 \times \frac{m}{d}$$

where m is the mass of the lot, in tonnes.

3.5 test piece : A length of wire sufficient for one test of one characteristic.

3.6 test length : A length of wire sufficient to provide all the test pieces needed for one test of all characteristics.

3.7 sample : All test lengths intended to provide information on the lot.

3.8 size of sample (n) : The number of test lengths.

3.9 defect : Non-conformity of the result of a test with the specification for a characteristic.

3.10 defective length : A test length showing one or more defects.

4 TESTS AND RETESTS

Tests are carried out for each characteristic given in ISO 2232.

A retest shall be carried out if a defect is due to an error in the manner in which the test piece was taken or the test carried out.

1) Relation between the size of lot and the basic sampling unit :

$$m = N \times m_1 \times 10^{-3} = N \times 100 d \times 10^{-3}$$

Hence,

$$N = 10 \frac{m}{d}$$