



STS Directory

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Testing laboratory for metal fasteners

Group of products or materials, field of activity	Principle of measurement ²⁾ (characteristics, measuring ranges, type of test)	Test methods, remarks (national, international standards, in-house test methods)
Hardness Testing	Vickers Hardness HV0.1 - HV30	ISO 6507-1; ISO 898-1
	Steel - Determination of the thickness of surface-hardened layers	DIN EN ISO 18203
	Case Hardness Depth	ISO 2639 – invalid standard
	Depth of hardening after surface heating	DIN EN 10328 – invalid standard
	Case Depth after nitriding	DIN 50190-3 - invalid standard
Tensile Testing	Metallic materials: Axial Tensile Strength for full-size screws (without extensometry)	ISO 6892-1; ISO 898-1,
	Metallic materials: Wedge Tensile Strength for full-size screws (without extensometry)	ISO 6892-1; ISO 898-1,



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Metallography/Microstructure	Carburization/Decarburization test	ISO 898-1
	Determination of the content of non-metallic inclusions	DIN 50602; ISO 4967-A
	Steel: Determination of the apparent grain size	ISO 643
	Steel: Determination of decarburization depth	ISO 3887- 4.2
	Fasteners: Discontinuities	ISO 6157-3; DIN 26157-3
	Measurements of coating thickness, microscopical method	ISO 1463
Corrosion Testing	Corrosion tests in artificial atmospheres - Salt spray test	ISO 9227
	Corrosion of metals and alloys - Sulfur dioxide test in a humid atmosphere	DIN EN ISO 22479
	Determination of resistance to humidity - Condensation	ISO 6270-2
Chemical Analysis	Optical Emission Spectrometry Fe-Matrix / steels	DIN 51008-1 DIN 51009
Torsional Testing	Torsion test and minimum fracture torque for bolts and screws with nominal diameter 1 mm to 10 mm	ISO 898-7
Wind Uplift Test	Flexible sheets for waterproofing – Determination of the resistance to wind load of mechanically fastened flexible sheets for roof waterproofing	SN EN 16002

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