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## **Metal wire for industrial wire screens and woven wire cloth**

*Fils métalliques pour tamis et tissus métalliques industriels*

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## Foreword

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International Standard ISO 4782 was prepared by Technical Committee ISO/TC 24, *Sieves, sieving and other sizing methods*.

This second edition cancels and replaces the first edition (ISO 4782 : 1981); in addition to the specifications laid down in ISO 4782 : 1981, this second edition also specifies tolerances on the nominal diameters of wires, requirements and testing.

Users should note that all International Standards undergo revision from time to time and that any reference made herein to any other International Standard implies its latest edition, unless otherwise stated.

# Metal wire for industrial wire screens and woven wire cloth

## 1 Scope and field of application

This International Standard specifies the diameters of and the requirements for metal wire to be used for the manufacturing of wire screens and woven wire cloth for industrial purposes. It applies to metal wire with circular cross-section from 25 to 0,02 mm in diameter.

## 2 References

ISO 3, *Preferred numbers — Series of preferred numbers.*

ISO 3611, *Micrometer callipers for external measurement.*

## 3 Diameters

The nominal diameters of wire according to the R 10 and R 20 series of preferred numbers specified in ISO 3, with the addition of the 0,03 mm value from the R 40 series, are listed in column 1 in table 1; values in the R 10 series (printed in bold type) should be given preference.

## 4 Requirements

### 4.1 General appearance

The surface of the wire shall be smooth and shall not display any burrs or any other roughness, corrosion or cleansing stains. The wire in one coil or drum or on one spool shall be in one length without any knots or any welded or soldered spots with reduced tensile strength.

The wire in one delivery shall be of uniform colour.

### 4.2 Tolerance on diameter

The measured diameter of the wire shall not deviate from the nominal diameter by more than the tolerance given in columns 2 or 3 in table 1.

Two measurements of diameter made at right angles on any cross-section of the wire shall not differ by more than half of the tolerance specified in table 1.

## 5 Testing

### 5.1 Sampling

The method of sampling and the number of delivery units to be tested shall be agreed between supplier and purchaser.

### 5.2 General appearance

The general appearance of the wire shall be examined visually with the aid of a low-magnification lens.

### 5.3 Diameter

The diameter of the wire shall be measured with a micrometer calliper, preferably in accordance with ISO 3611. For diameters below 0,1 mm, the calliper shall be equipped with optical magnification of the reading scale.

### 5.4 Test report

The test report shall make reference to this International Standard and shall comprise the following information :

- a) the nominal diameter of the wire;
- b) the wire material;
- c) the quantity of delivery units tested;
- d) any deviations from the general appearance specified in 4.1;
- e) the maximum and minimum values, and the arithmetic mean of the wire diameter measured for each delivery unit tested.