
**Preparation of steel substrates before
application of paints and related products —
Specifications for non-metallic blast-
cleaning abrasives —**

**Part 9:
Staurolite**

*Préparation des subjectiles d'acier avant application de peintures et de
produits assimilés — Spécifications pour abrasifs non métalliques destinés
à la préparation par projection*

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Foreword

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ISO 11126 consists of the following parts, under the general title *Preparation of steel substrates before application of paints and related products — Specifications for non-metallic blast-cleaning abrasives*:

- *Part 1: General introduction and classification*
- *Part 3: Copper refinery slag*
- *Part 4: Coal furnace slag*
- *Part 5: Nickel refinery slag*
- *Part 6: Iron furnace slag*
- *Part 7: Fused aluminium oxide*
- *Part 8: Olivine sand*
- *Part 9: Staurolite*
- *Part 10: Almandite garnet*

At the time of publication of this part of ISO 11126, part 10 was in the course of preparation. Part 2 has been deleted.

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WARNING — Equipment, materials and abrasives used for surface preparation can be hazardous if used carelessly. Many national regulations exist for those materials and abrasives that are considered to be hazardous during or after use (waste management), such as free silica or carcinogenic or toxic substances. These regulations are therefore to be observed. It is important to ensure that adequate instructions are given and that all required precautions are exercised.

1 Scope

This part of ISO 11126 specifies requirements for staurolite abrasives, as supplied for blast-cleaning processes. It specifies ranges of particle sizes and values for apparent density, Mohs hardness, moisture content, conductivity of aqueous extract and water-soluble chlorides.

The requirements specified in this part of ISO 11126 apply to abrasives supplied in the “new” condition only. They do not apply to abrasives either during or after use.

Test methods for non-metallic blast-cleaning abrasives are given in the various parts of ISO 11127.

NOTE 1 Information on commonly referenced national standards for non-metallic abrasives is given in annex A.

NOTE 2 Although this part of ISO 11126 has been developed specifically to meet requirements for preparation of steelwork, the properties specified will generally be appropriate for use when preparing other material surfaces, or components, using blast-cleaning techniques. These techniques are described in ISO 8504-2:1992. *Preparation of steel substrates before application of paints and related products — Surface preparation methods — Part 2: Abrasive blast-cleaning.*

2 Normative references

The following normative documents contain provisions which, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of this part of ISO 11126. For dated references, subsequent amendments to, or revisions of, any of these publications do not apply. However, parties to agreements based on this part of ISO 11126 are encouraged to investigate the possibility of applying the most recent editions of the normative documents indicated below. For undated references, the latest edition of the normative document referred to applies. Members of ISO and IEC maintain registers of currently valid International Standards.

ISO 11127-1:1993, *Preparation of steel substrates before application of paints and related products — Test methods for non-metallic blast-cleaning abrasives — Part 1: Sampling.*

ISO 11127-2:1993, *Preparation of steel substrates before application of paints and related products — Test methods for non-metallic blast-cleaning abrasives — Part 2: Determination of particle size distribution.*