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Standard Specification for Precipitation Hardening Cobalt-Containing Alloys (UNS R30155 and UNS R30816) Rod, Bar, Forgings, and Forging Stock for High-Temperature Service¹

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1. Scope

1.1 This specification covers hot- and cold-worked precipitation hardenable cobalt-containing alloys (UNS R30155 and UNS R30816) rod, bar, forgings, and forging stock for high-temperature service.

1.2 The values stated in inch-pound units are to be regarded as the standard. The values given in parentheses are for information only.

1.3 *This standard does not purport to address all of the safety concerns, if any, associated with its use. It is the responsibility of the user of this standard to become familiar with all hazards including those identified in the appropriate Material Safety Data Sheet for this product/material as provided by the manufacturer, to establish appropriate safety and health practices, and determine the applicability of regulatory limitations prior to use.*

2. Referenced Documents

2.1 ASTM Standards:

E 8 Test Methods

B 880 Specification for Tension Testing of Metallic Materials General Requirements for Chemical Check Analysis Limits for Nickel, Nickel Alloys and Cobalt Alloys²

E 29 Practice 8 Test Methods for Using Significant Digits in Test Data to Determine Conformance with Specifications Tension Testing of Metallic Materials³

E 38 Methods 29 Practice for Chemical Analysis of Nickel-Chromium and Nickel-Chromium-Iron Alloys Using Significant Digits in Test Data to Determine Conformance with Specifications⁴

E 139 Practice 139 Test Methods for Conducting Creep, Creep-Rupture, and Stress-Rupture Tests of Metallic Materials³

E 1473 Test Methods for Chemical Analysis of Nickel, Cobalt, and High-Temperature Alloys⁵

3. Terminology

3.1 Definitions of Terms Specific to This Standard:

3.1.1 *bar*—material of rectangular (flats), hexagonal, octagonal, or square solid section in straight lengths.

3.1.2 *rod*—material of round solid section furnished in straight lengths.

4. Ordering Information

4.1 It is the responsibility of the purchaser to specify all requirements that are necessary for the safe and satisfactory performance of material ordered under this specification. Examples of such requirements include, but are not limited to, the following:

² Annual Book of ASTM Standards, Vol 03.01, 02.04.

³ Annual Book of ASTM Standards, Vol 14.02, 03.01.

⁴ Discontinued—See 1989 Annual

⁴ Annual Book of ASTM Standards, Vol 03.05, 14.02.

⁵ Annual Book of ASTM Standards, Vol 03.065.