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Standard Test Method for Evaluating Degree of Rusting on Painted Steel Surfaces¹

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1. Scope*

1.1 This test method covers the evaluation of the degree of rusting on painted steel surfaces using surfaces. The visual examples which depict the percentage of rusting given in the written specifications form part of the standard. In the event of a dispute, the

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