

2 References

2.1 Introduction

The following documents contain provisions which, through reference in this document, constitute provisions of this FITNET FFS Procedure. The referenced documents in this Section are useful for the development and application of this document. For dated references, subsequent amendments to, or revisions of, any of these publications do not apply. However, parties to agreements based on this FFS document are encouraged to investigate the possibility of applying the most recent editions of the normative documents indicated below, Section 2.2. It should be noted that the particular documents such as SINTAP, BS 7910, R6 and API 579 have been used for the development of this unified FFS procedure. For undated references, the latest edition of the normative document referred to applies. Where materials' properties are to be generated for use in an assessment, they should be done so in accordance with recognised standards. Preference should be given to ISO, EN or National Standards in order. Testing of materials is not covered by this procedure.

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Table 2.1 – List of Applicable Test Standards

Property Required		ISO	EN	Other
Tensile	Ambient Temp.	ISO 6892	EN 10002	BS EN 10002
	Elevated Temp	ISO 783		
Charpy	V - Notch	ISO 148	EN 10045	BS EN 10045
Fracture Toughness	K, J, CTOD	ISO/CD/12135	BSENISO 12737 (K_{IC} only)	BS7448: Part 1: 1991 ASTM E 1290-02 ASTM E 399-90 (1997)
	R-Curves	ISO/CD/12135	-	BS7448: Part 4 : 1997 ASTM E 561-98 AITM 1-0043
	Welds	ISO/CD/15653	(1)	BS7448 : Part 2 : 1997
	Dynamic Fracture Toughness K, J, CTOD	--	--	BS7448 : Part 3 : 2005
	K_{Ia}			ASTM E 1221-96:2002
Fatigue Crack Growth Rates				ASTM E 647:2000 AITM 1-0042
Creep Crack Growth Rates in Metals				ASTM E 1457:2000
Creep Crack Growth	Elevated Temp			ASTM E 145
Creep, creep rupture	Elevated Temp			ASTM E 139
K_{ISCC}		ISO 7539		

(1) No recognised standard but IIW draft standard under preparation