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## Certificate of Analyses

OF

STANDARD SAMPLE 19E

### ACID OPEN-HEARTH STEEL, 0.2% CARBON

ANALYST <sup>a</sup>	C	Mn		P		S		Si							
	Direct combustion	Bismuthate (FeSO <sub>4</sub> -KMnO <sub>4</sub> )	Persulfate-Arsenite	Gravimetric (weighed as Mg <sub>2</sub> P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>7</sub> after removal of arsenic)	Alkali-Molybdate <sup>s</sup>	Gravimetric (direct oxidation and precipitation after reduction of iron)	Evolution with HCl (1-1) ZnS-Iodine (theoretical sulfur titre) <sup>b</sup>	Combustion	Sulfuric acid dehydration	COPPER H <sub>2</sub> S-CuS-CuO	NICKEL Weighed as nickel dimethylglyoxime	CHROMIUM FeSO <sub>4</sub> -KMnO <sub>4</sub> titration	VANADIUM	MOLYBDENUM Colorimetric	TIN
1.....	0. 197	0. 488	0. 491	0. 033	<sup>a</sup> 0. 035	0. 029	0. 027	<sup>d</sup> 0. 029	<sup>e</sup> 0. 171	0. 167	0. 092	<sup>f</sup> 0. 038	<sup>g</sup> 0. 009	0. 012	<sup>h</sup> 0. 010
2.....	. 194	. 487	. 487	. 035	<sup>i</sup> . 034	. 031			. 163	<sup>i</sup> . 163	. 094	<sup>k</sup> . 038			<sup>h</sup> . 010
3.....	. 202	. 490	. 490	. 031	. 032	. 031		<sup>d</sup> . 030	<sup>e</sup> . 171	. 174	. 088	. 037			<sup>h</sup> . 009
.....	. 193	. 482			<sup>i</sup> . 034	. 030	. 029	<sup>d</sup> . 029	. 179	<sup>i</sup> . 166	. 100	<sup>l</sup> . 040			
.....	. 200	. 49		. 032	<sup>m</sup> . 034	. 031	. 030	<sup>e</sup> . 031	<sup>p</sup> . 171	<sup>q</sup> . 166	. 094	<sup>f</sup> . 040			<sup>r</sup> . 010
6.....	. 201	. 492	. 491	. 033	<sup>e</sup> . 034	. 032		<sup>s</sup> . 177	<sup>t</sup> . 160	. 091	. 038				<sup>h</sup> . 010
7.....	. 196	. 495			<sup>i</sup> . 033	. 032		<sup>d</sup> . 030	<sup>s</sup> . 176	<sup>u</sup> . 168	<sup>v</sup> . 102	. 037			
8.....	. 192	<sup>w</sup> . 498	. 495	<sup>x</sup> . 035		. 031	<sup>n</sup> . 031	<sup>d</sup> . 030	<sup>*,e</sup> . 174	<sup>i</sup> . 165	. 083	<sup>k</sup> . 039			<sup>h</sup> . 012
Averages.	<b>0. 197</b>	<b>0. 490</b>	<b>0. 491</b>	<b>0. 033</b>	<b>0. 034</b>	<b>0. 031</b>	<b>0. 029</b>	<b>0. 030</b>	<b>0. 173</b>	<b>0. 166</b>	<b>0. 093</b>	<b>0. 038</b>	<b>0. 009</b>	<b>0. 012</b>	<b>0. 010</b>
General average.	<b>0. 197</b>	<b>0. 491</b>		<b>0. 033</b>		<b>0. 030</b>		<b>0. 173</b>	<b>0. 166</b>	<b>0. 093</b>	<b>0. 038</b>				<b>0. 010</b>

<sup>a</sup> Precipitated at 40° C, washed with a 1-percent solution of KNO<sub>3</sub> and titrated with alkali standardized by the use of acid potassium phthalate and the ratio 23 NaOH:1P.  
<sup>b</sup> Value obtained by standardizing the titrating solution by means of sodium oxalate through KMnO<sub>4</sub> and Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> and use of the ratio 2I:1S.  
<sup>c</sup> Molybdenum-blue photometric method. See J. Research NBS, 26, 405 (1941) RP1386.  
<sup>d</sup> 1-g sample burned in oxygen at 1,400° C, and sulfur dioxide absorbed in starch-iodine solution. The iodine was liberated from iodide by titration, during the combustion, with standard KIO<sub>3</sub> solution based on 93 percent of the theoretical factor.  
<sup>e</sup> Double dehydration with intervening filtration.

<sup>f</sup> Persulfate oxidation and potentiometric titration with ferrous ammonium sulfate.  
<sup>g</sup> Vanadium separated from the bulk of iron in a 10-g sample by selective precipitation with sodium bicarbonate, then oxidized with HNO<sub>3</sub> and titrated potentiometrically with ferrous ammonium sulfate.  
<sup>h</sup> Sulfide-iodine method. See BS J. Research, 8, 309 (1932) RP415.  
<sup>i</sup> Titrating solution standardized by use of a standard steel.  
<sup>j</sup> Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> precipitation, finished by electrolysis.  
<sup>k</sup> Perchloric acid oxidation.  
<sup>l</sup> Barba method.  
<sup>m</sup> Vanado-molybdiphosphate photometric method.

<sup>n</sup> Absorbed in ammoniacal cadmium chloride.  
<sup>o</sup> Absorbed in AgNO<sub>3</sub> solution and titrated with NaOH solution standardized with standard steels.  
<sup>p</sup> Molybdisilicate photometric method.  
<sup>q</sup> Diethylthiocarbamate photometric method.  
<sup>r</sup> Silico-molybdenum-blue photometric method.  
<sup>s</sup> Perchloric acid dehydration.  
<sup>t</sup> Finished by electrolysis.  
<sup>u</sup> CuCNS precipitation, KI-Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> titration method.  
<sup>v</sup> Dimethylglyoxime precipitation, cyanide titration method.  
<sup>w</sup> Arsenite titration.  
<sup>x</sup> Weighed as ammonium phosphomolybdate.

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