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STANDARD SAMPLE 5i

### CAST IRON

ANALYST*	C		Mn		P		S		Si	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	TITANIUM Colorimetric	ARSENIC	
	Total	Graphitic	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>a</sup>	Gravimetric (direct oxidation and final precipitation in reduced solution)	Evolution with HCl (sp or 1.18) <sup>b</sup> ZnS-Iodine (theoretical sulfur titre) <sup>c</sup>	Sulfuric acid dehydration								
1	2.52	2.06	0.693	0.698	0.243	<sup>d</sup> 0.241	0.101	0.101	<sup>e</sup> 2.45	0.99	0.017	<sup>f</sup> 0.021	<sup>g</sup> 0.012	0.004	0.045	<sup>h</sup> 0.022	
2	2.56	2.04		.695		.247	.104	<sup>i</sup> 0.101	2.45	1.01	.011	.020	<sup>k</sup> .018	.005	.044	<sup>l</sup> 0.028	
3	2.49	2.07		.702		<sup>d</sup> .238			<sup>1</sup> 2.43	<sup>m</sup> 1.01	<sup>n</sup> .015	.018					
	2.49	2.02		.69		.242		.105	<sup>e</sup> 2.42	1.00	.019	.02			.044		
	2.53	2.02	.695	.700	.238	.245	.102	<sup>i</sup> .100	<sup>1</sup> 2.46	<sup>m</sup> 1.00	<sup>p</sup> .016	.021			.046	<sup>k</sup> 0.023	
6	2.52	2.01	.691		.239	.239	.099	.099	<sup>e</sup> 2.44	<sup>r</sup> 1.02	.017	<sup>f</sup> .019		.005	.044		
7	2.54	2.03		.702	.239	.241	.099	.100	<sup>e</sup> 2.43	1.01	.018	<sup>s</sup> .019			.043	<sup>k</sup> 0.025	
8	2.49	2.07		.692	.237	.238	.100	<sup>i</sup> .095	<sup>t</sup> 2.42	<sup>u</sup> .99	.018	.020			.044	<sup>k</sup> 0.029	
Averages	2.52	2.04	0.693	0.697	0.239	0.241	0.101	0.100	0.103	2.44	1.00	0.016	0.020	0.015	0.005	0.044	0.025
General averages	2.52	2.04	0.696		0.241		0.101		2.44	1.00	0.016	0.020	0.015	0.005	0.044	0.025	

<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 23NaOH:1P.  
<sup>b</sup> Sample annealed by covering with a layer of graphite, and heating for 20 minutes at 685° C.  
<sup>c</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 21:18.  
<sup>d</sup> Molybdenum-blue photometric method. See J. Research NBS 26, 405 (1941) RP1386.  
<sup>e</sup> Double dehydration with intervening filtration.

<sup>f</sup> Persulfate oxidation and potentiometric titration with ferrous ammonium sulfate.  
<sup>g</sup> Nitric acid oxidation and potentiometric titration with ferrous ammonium sulfate.  
<sup>h</sup> Distillation-molybdenum-blue photometric method. See J. Research NBS 24, 7 (1940) RP1267.  
<sup>i</sup> Solution in diluted HCl (1+1).  
<sup>j</sup> Gases absorbed in NaOH-H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> solution, and excess NaOH titrated with H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>.  
<sup>k</sup> Distilled as AsCl<sub>3</sub>, weighed as As<sub>2</sub>S<sub>3</sub>.  
<sup>l</sup> Perchloric acid dehydration.  
<sup>m</sup> Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> precipitation, finished by electrolysis.

<sup>n</sup> Dimethylglyoxime colorimetric method.  
<sup>o</sup> Absorbed in ammoniacal cadmium chloride solution.  
<sup>p</sup> Glyoxime-KCN titration method.  
<sup>q</sup> Burned in oxygen at 2,600° F, sulfur dioxide absorbed in acidified starch-iodine solution, the iodine being liberated from iodide by titration during the combustion with KIO<sub>3</sub> solution standardized with a standard iron.  
<sup>r</sup> Finished by electrolysis.  
<sup>s</sup> Diphenylcarbazide colorimetric method.  
<sup>t</sup> Sulfuric-nitric acid dehydration.  
<sup>u</sup> KI-Na<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> titration.

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