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OF STEEL WIRE**

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- BS 1610. Methods for the load verification of testing machines.
- BS 3688. Methods for mechanical testing of metals at elevated temperatures.
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- BS 3846. Methods for calibration and grading of extensometers for testing of metals.

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