

Analysis of aluminium ores —

Part 2: Chemical methods —

Section 2.8 Method for determination of phosphorus content: spectrophotometric method

[ISO title: Aluminium ores — Determination of phosphorus
content — Molybdenum blue spectrophotometric method]

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National foreword

This Section of BS 6870 has been prepared under the direction of the Non-ferrous Metals Standards Committee. It is identical with ISO 8556:1986 “*Aluminium ores — Determination of phosphorus content — Molybdenum blue spectrophotometric method*”, published by the International Organization for Standardization (ISO).

Terminology and conventions. The text of the International Standard has been approved as suitable for publication as a British Standard without deviation. Some terminology and certain conventions are not identical with those used in British Standards; attention is drawn especially to the following.

The comma has been used as a decimal marker. In British Standards it is current practice to use a full point on the baseline as the decimal marker.

Wherever the words “International Standard” appear, referring to this standard, they should be read as “Section of BS 6870”.

Cross-reference

International Standard	Corresponding British Standard
ISO 8558:1985	BS 6870 <i>Analysis of aluminium ores</i> Section 2.1:1987 <i>Method of preparation of pre-dried test samples</i> (Identical)

Additional information. When adopting the text of the International Standard, it was noticed that in 4.7 hydrochloric acid with a density of 1.19 g/ml and nitric acid with a density of 1.41 g/ml are specified, whereas in the UK acids with densities of 1.18 g/ml and 1.42 g/ml respectively are normally used. These differences, which will not affect the determination, have been brought to the attention of ISO in a proposal to amend the International Standard by specifying wider ranges for the densities of the hydrochloric acid and nitric acid required.

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