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**Metallic materials — Hardness test — Calibration of
standardized blocks to be used for Rockwell hardness
testing machines (scales A — B — C — D — E — F —
G — H — K)**

*Matériaux métalliques — Essai de dureté — Étalonnage des blocs de référence à utiliser pour les
machines d'essai de dureté Rockwell (échelles A — B — C — D — E — F — G — H — K)*

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International Standard ISO 674 was prepared by Technical Committee ISO/TC 164, *Mechanical testing of metals*.

It cancels and replaces ISO Recommendation R 674: 1968, of which it constitutes a technical revision.