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# QUARTERLY INSERT SHEETS FOR NBS MISCELLANEOUS PUBLICATION 260-STANDARD REFERENCE MATERIALS

Catalog and Price List of Standard Materials Issued by the National Bureau of Standards

New and renewal Standard Reference Materials continuously are being prepared while the supply of others may be exhausted. This Quarterly Addendum is issued to bring the Catalog and Price List up-to-date as of April 1, 1967. This supersedes the Insert Sheets dated January 1, 1967, which should now be discarded.

# 3. Standards of Certified Chemical Composition

### 3.1. Steels (Chip Form) (New Standard Reference Materials)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Price	Sample Nos.	Kind	Price
348	Ni26-Cr15 (A286)	\$15.00			

### ANALYSES

Sample Nos.	Kind		Mn	P	Grav.	Comb.	Si	Cu	Ni
348	Ni26-Cr15 (A286)	0.044	1.48	0.015		0.002	0.54	0.22	25.8

### ANALYSES-Continued

Sample Nos.	Cr	v	Мо	w	Co	Ti	As	Sn	Al (total)	N	Nb	Та	В	Se	Fe
<b>3</b> 48	14.54	0.25	1.3			2.24			0.23				0.0031		53.3

# Steels (Chip Form) Carbon Only

Sample Nos.	Kind	Carbon	Price
335	Basic Open Hearth, 0.1 C (carbon only)	0.092	\$5.00
337		1.07	5.00

# 3.1. Steels (Chip Form) (Renewals of Earlier Materials)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Price	Sample Nos.	Kind	Price
15g 11h 12h 152a	Basic Open Hearth, 0.1C Basic Open Hearth, 0.2C Basic Open Hearth, 0.4C Basic Open Hearth, 0.5C, 0.03 Sn	\$12.00 12.00 12.00 12.00	13g 16e 73c 30f	Basic Open Hearth, 0.6C Basic Open Hearth, 1.1C Stainless (Cr13) (SAE 420) Cr-V (SAE 6150)	12.00 $12.00$ $15.00$ $12.00$

### Analyses

Sample Nos.	Kind	С	Mn	P	Grav.	Comb.	Si	Cu	Ni
15g 11h 12h 152a 13g 16e 73c 30f	Basic Open Hearth, 0.1C	0.097 $.200$ $.41$ $.486$ $.61$ $1.09$ $0.310$ $.49$	0.485 .510 .84 .717 .85 .381 .330 .79	0.005 .010 .018 .012 .006 .021 .018		0.026 .026 .027 .030 .030 .029 .036	0.095 .211 .237 .202 .355 .20 .181 .28	0.073 .023 .080 .076	0.033 .056 

### Analyses—Continued

Sample Nos.	Ст	V	Мо	w	Со	Ti	As	Sn	Al (total)	N	Nb	Та	В	Se
15g 11h 12h	0.074	0.009								0.006				
152a 13g 16e	0.074	0.003	0.006 .036					0.032		0.006				
73c 30f	$12.82 \\ 0.95$	.030 .18	.091							.037				

# 3.1. Steels (Chip Form) (Materials Temporarily Out of Stock)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Price	Sample Nos.	Kind	Price
36a	Cr2-Mo 1,(Renewal planned but date indefinite)		125a	High-silicon, 3 Si(Renewal planned but date indefinite)	

### 3.1. Steels (Chip Form) (Materials Out of Stock—Discontinued)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Price	Sample Nos.	Kind	Price
151 159	Boron-bearing, 0.003B (A possible replacement for this is 827—solid form material from which chips can be obtained) Crl-Mo 0.4-Ag 0.1		123b 131a	Cr-Ni-Nb 0.7-Ta 0.2 (SAE 347) Low-carbon, silicon (C only) (Planning 4 high-silicon steels in solid form. Carbon to be certified with others.)	

### 3.1. Steels (Chip Form) (Price Changes)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Price	Sample Nos.	Kind	Price
339 346	Cr17-Ni 9-0.2 Se (SAE 303Se) Valve (Cr22-Ni4-Mn9)	\$20.00 20.00			

(Correction—The catalog and price list of Standard Reference Materials issued by the National Bureau of Standards (NBS Misc. Publ. 260) gives .889 for Ni in the analysis of Sample No. 339. The correct value is 8.89.)

### 3.2. Steels (Solid Form) (New Standard Reference Materials)

SPECIAL INGOT IRONS AND LOW-ALLOY STEELS

Sample Nos.		Pr	ice
Nos.	Kind	400 series	1100 series
1170	Selenium steel (0.3% Se)		\$35.00

### ANALYSES

Sample Nos.	С	Mn	P	s	Si	Cu	Ni	Cr	v	Mo	w	Co	Ti	As
1170	0.089	0.79	0.109	0.207	0.163									

### ANALYSES-Continued

Sample Nos.	Sn	Al (total)	Nb	Та	В	Pb	Zr	Ag	Ge	0	N	Se	
1170												0.293	

### SPECIALTY STEELS

Maraging Steels: These alloys derive their name from the formation of martensite on age hardening. They attain remarkable metallurgical properties by a simple heat treatment. Extensive use of these alloys is expected, particularly in submarines, missiles and aircraft. The Maraging Steel Standard Reference Material NBS 1156 is of the 19 percent nickel type and is designed primarily for optical emission and x-ray spectrochemical analysis.

Sample Nos.	Kind	Price	Sample Nos.	Kind	Price
1156	Maraging steel	\$35.00			

### ANALYSES

Sample Nos.	С	Mn	P	s	Si	Cu	Ni	Cr	Мо
1156	0.023	0.21	0.011	0.012	0.184	0.025	19.0	0.20	3.1

### ANALYSES-Continued

Sample Nos.	Ti	Со	Zr	В	Al	Ca
1156	0.21	7.3	0.004	0.003	0.047	<0.001

### FERROUS MATERIALS (FOR OXYGEN)

This group of standards is intended to provide material of known composition primarily for the determination of oxygen by vacuum fusion or inert gas fusion. The materials are supplied in rods 4 in. long. Standards 1090 and 1092 are 1/4 in. in diameter while Standard 1091 is 5/6 in. in diameter. (Note that two titanium-base standards, Nos. 355 and 356 are available for the determination of oxygen.)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Oxygen, ppm	Price
1090	Ingot iron Stainless steel (AISI 431) Vacuum-melted steel	484	\$20.00
1091		131	20.00
1092		28	20.00

# 3.2. Steels (Solid Form) (Materials Out of Stock—Discontinued)

INGOT IRON AND LOW-ALLOY STEELS

					Price							Pri	ce
Samı	ple Nos.		Kind	400 & 8 series			Sa	mple N	los.	Kir	id -	400 & 800 scries	D800 series
812 812 818	2a	Cr-Ni (NI Cr-Me	o (SAE 130) -Mo E8637) o (SAE 130)	-			421			Cr-W, 0	.9C		
					STAI	NLESS	STEELS	}					
Sample Nos	3.				К	ind (Gro	oup 3)				:		Price
1151 1153	Stainles Stainles	Stainless Steel, AStainless Steel, C											
		(	Carbon S	TEELS ((	CERTIFIED	FOR (	Oxygen	I AND	Nitroge	n Only)			
Sample Nos	3.				Kind					C	)	N	Price
1042 1044 1045	Low-ca	rbon, Si-k	ng illed Si-killed										
Sample Nos.			. Cast Ir	on (Chi		(Re	Sample Nos.	ls of	Earlier N	Material: Kind			Price
4j	White iron Cast iron Nickel-chi				15	5.00							
					1	Analys	SES						
		C				s							
Sample Nos.	Total	Graphitie	Mn	Р	Grav.	Com	b.	Si	Cu	Ni	Cr	V	Мо
3b 4j 82b	2.44 2.99 2.85	2.38 2.37	0.351 .79 .75	0.085 .17 .025		0.00	$32 \mid 1$	.04 .31 2.11	0.050 .24 .036	0.013 .068 1.22	0.052 .09 .34	0.006 .03 .027	0.002 .080 .003
					Analy	ses—C	Continu	ed					
Sample Nos.	Со	Ti	As	Sn	Al (Total)	) Mg	3	N					
3b		0.05	0.03										

	3	3.4. White	e Cast Iro	n (Solid l	Form) (	(New St	andar	d Re	ference l	Materials)	)	
Sample Nos.		K	ind		Price	Sample Nos.			К	ind		Price
1174 1175	34 in. the White cas	White cast iron (special 1) $\sim 1\frac{1}{4}$ in. sq $\times$ $\frac{3}{4}$ in. thick										
					Anai	YSES						
Sample Nos.	. с	Mn	P	S	Si	Cu	1	Ni	Cr	v	Мо	Ti
1174 1175	3.48 1.97	0.175 1.64	0.170 .652	0.168	0.286 3.48	0.171 1.50	0.	035 98	0.018 2.43	0.008 .221	0.008	0.012 .35
		<u>'</u>	•	A	NALYSES-	-Continu	ed		<u>'                                    </u>	·	<u></u>	<u>'                                    </u>
Sample Nos	. Ав	Sb	Sn	Co	Te		В		Bi	Zr	Pb	Al
1174 1175	0.026	0.19	0.23 .025	0.009	0.07		.040		(.008)	(0.01) (.04)	(0.01)	(0.001)
	3.	4. White	Cast Iron	(Solid Fo	orm) (I	Material	s Out	of S	tock—Di	scontinue	d)	
Sample Nos.		Kir	nd		Price	Sample Nos.			Ki	nd		Price
		-										

Sample Nos.	Kind	Price	Sample Nos.	Kind	Price
1176 1177 1178 1179	White cast iron A—piston ring (Replaced by 1174 and 1175—now available) White cast iron B—wear plate (Replaced by 1174 and 1175—now available) White cast iron C—die (Replaced by 1174 and 1175—now available) White cast iron D—brake drum (Replaced by 1174 and 1175—now available)		1180 1181 1182 1183	White cast iron E, Mold. (Replaced by 1174 and 1175—now available) White cast iron F. (Replaced by 1174 and 1175—now available) White cast iron G. (Replaced by 1174 and 1175—now available) White cast iron H. (Replaced by 1174 and 1175—now available)	

# 3.5. Steel-Making Alloys (Materials Temporarily Out of Stock)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt. in grams	Price
61a	Ferrovanadium(Renewal planned but date indefinite)		

# 3.6. Nonferrous Alloys (Chip Form) (Materials Temporarily Out of Stock)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt. in grams	Price	Sample Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt.	Price
12 <b>7</b> a	Solder (Pb70-Sn30) (Renewal planned as Pb60-Sn40)						

# 3.6. Nonferrous Alloys (Chip Form) (Materials Out of Stock—Discontinued)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt. in grams	Price	Sample Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt. in grams	Price
53d 62d	Bearing metal, lead-base Bronze, manganese			167 161	Co43-Mo4-Nb3-W4 Nickel-base casting alloy		

# 3.7. Copper-Base Alloys (Solid Form) (Revision of Text)

Several groups of copper-base alloy standards have been prepared to provide for analytical control by rapid instrumental methods in the copper industry. These standards are intended primarily for calibration of optical emission and x-ray spectroscopic equipment, and have been prepared in chill-cast form for the producer, and wrought form for the consumer—both forms having identical (or nearly identical) composition. Seven principal copper-base alloys are covered by a "nominal-composition" together with a low- and a high-composition standard. To make the standards more widely applicable, a number of trace elements were purposely added to the cartridge brass series, and these have been certified. Three beryllium copper standards have been prepared to be representative of the nominal composition for CABRA alloys 165–170, 25–172, and 10–175, respectively.

The materials are furnished in two basic forms: (1) unidirectional chill-cast samples (C1100 series) in the form of solid sections 1½ inches square, ¾ inch thick, and (2) wrought material (either forged or hot-extruded) in the form of disks 1¼ inches in diameter, ¾ inch thick (1100 series). Details on the preparation and use of the seven principal copper-base alloys can be found in National Bureau of Standards Misc. Publ. 260-2, Preparation of NBS Copper-Base Spectrochemical Standards by R. E. Michaelis, LeRoy L. Wyman, and Richard Flitsch. Methods of chemical analyses employed at NBS for these alloys are described in NBS Misc. Publ. 260-7 by R. K. Bell. The beryllium copper standards were prepared similar to the other copper-base alloys. Further details on the analysis, where different, will appear in a subsequent 260 series publication.

(Values in parentheses are not certified, but are given for additional information on the composition.)

### 3.7. Copper-Base Alloys (Solid Form) (Price Changes)

Sam	ple Nos.	Kind	Price	Sam	ple Nos.	Kind	Price
1101 1102	C1100 C1101 C1102	Cartridge Brass A Cartridge Brass B Cartridge Brass C	\$35.00 35.00 35.00		C1112 C1113 C1114	Gilding Metal AGilding Metal BGilding Metal C	\$35.00 35.00 35.00
1103 1104 1105	C1103 C1104 C1105	Free-Cutting Brass A Free-Cutting Brass B Free-Cutting Brass C	$35.00 \\ 35.00 \\ 35.00$	1115 1116 1117	C1115 C1116 C1117	Commercial Bronze A	$35.00 \\ 35.00 \\ 35.00$
1106 1107 1108	C1106 C1107 C1108	Naval Brass A Naval Brass B Naval Brass C	35.00 35.00 35.00	1118 1119 1120	C1118 C1119 C1120	Aluminum Brass A Aluminum Brass B Aluminum Brass C	$35.00 \\ 35.00 \\ 35.00$
1109 1110 1111	C1109 C1110 C1111	Red Brass A Red Brass B Red Brass C	35.00 35.00 35.00				

# 3.7. Copper-Base Alloys (Solid Form) (New Standard Reference Materials)

Sample Nos.		Kind	Price	Sample Nos.	. Kind	Price
1121	C1121	Beryllium Copper Cabra alloy 165–170	\$45.00			
1122	C1122	Beryllium Copper Cabra alloy 25–172	45.00			
1123	C1123	Beryllium Copper Cabra alloy 10–175	45.00			

### ANALYSES

Samp	ole Nos.	Cu	Zn	Pb	Fe	Sn	Ni	Al	Sb	As
1121 1122 1123	C1121 C1122 C1123	97.49 97.46 97.45 97.10	(0.01) (.01) (.01) .01	(0.002) (.002) (.003) (.001)	0.085 .085 .16 .04	0.01 .01 (.01) (.01)	0.012 .012 (.01) (.01)	0.07 .07 .17 .01		

### ANALYSES

Sample Nos.	Be	Bi	Cd	Mn	P	Si	Ag	Те	Со	Cr
1121	1.89 1.92 1.75 0.46			$egin{array}{c} (0.004) \\ (.004) \\ (.004) \\ (.002) \\ \end{array}$	(0.005) (.005) (.004) (.002)	0.11 .11 .17 .03	(0.005) (.005) (.005) (.009)		0.295 .295 .220 2.35	(0.002) (.002) (.002) (.001)

# 3.8. High Temperature Alloys (Solid Form) (Materials Out of Stock—Discontinued)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Price	Sample Nos.	Kind	Price
1189	Nimonic 80a				

### 3.8. High Temperature Alloys (Solid Form) (New Standard Reference Materials)

Sample Nos.1	Kind¹	Price	Sample Nos.	Kind	Price
1193 1194 1195	W 545	\$35.00 35.00 35.00			

<sup>1</sup> Size: Solid sections, 11/4 in. in diameter and 1/4 in. thick.
1 Issued in the wrought condition.

### ANALYSES

Sample Nos.	С	Mn	Si	Cr	Ni	Со	Мо	w	Nb
1193 1194 1195	0.004 .081 .006	0.65 .67 .38	0.110 .71 1.11	11.95 16.35 13.83	28.35 24.06 26.07	2.7	1.47 1.27 2.97		

### ANALYSES-Continued

Sample Nos.	Ti	Al	Fe	P	s	Cu	Та	Zr	v	В
1193	3.0	0.21	54.2	0.003	0.030	0.103		0.006	0.051	0.0023
1194	1.45	.39	51.3	.011	.008	.047		.026	.32	.0090
1195	1.28	.074	54.0	.016	.008	.016		.004	.45	.0043

### 3.10. Tin Metal (Solid Form) (Materials Out of Stock-Discontinued)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Price	Sample Nos.	Kind	Price
431 433 434 435	Tin A Tin C Tin D Tin E		832 833 834	Tin B Tin C Tin D	

# 3.11. Titanium-Base Alloys (New Standard Reference Materials)

TITANIUM-BASE MATERIALS (FOR OXYGEN)

These standards are intended to provide material of known composition primarily for the determination of oxygen by vacuum fusion or inert gas fusion. The materials are supplied in rods approximately  $\frac{1}{2}$  in. in diameter and 2 in. long. (Note that a group of ferrous materials, NBS standards 1090, 1091, and 1092 also is available for the determination of oxygen.)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Oxygen ppm	Price
355	UnalloyedAlloy, 6Al-4V	3031	\$20.00
356		1332	20.00

### 3.12. Zirconium-Base Alloys (Renewals of Earlier Materials)

Sample Nos.		Price
<b>36</b> 0a	Zircaloy-2	\$30.00

### ANALYSES

Sample Nos.	Sn	Fe	Cr	Ni	Cu	Mn	U	Ti	Si	С	N
	%	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm	ppm
<b>3</b> 60a	1.42	1441	1060	554	140	3	0.15	27	51	136	43

### 3.12. Zirconium-Base Alloys (Materials Temporarily Out of Stock)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Price	Sample Nos.	Kind	Price
1213	Zircaloy-2 D				

# 3.16. Ceramic Materials (Renewals of Earlier Materials)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Approximate weight	Price	Sample Nos.	Kind	Approximate weight	Price
70a	Feldspar, potash	40 g	\$10.00	1b	Limestone, argillaceousLimestone, dolomitic	50 g	\$12.00
99a	Feldspar, soda	40 g	10.00	88a		50 g	12.00

### Analyses

Sample Nos.	Kind	SiO <sub>2</sub>	Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	FeO	TiO <sub>2</sub>	ZrO <sub>2</sub>	MnO	P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>
70a 99a 1b 88a	Feldspar, potash Feldspar, soda Limestone, argillaceous Limestone, dolomitic	$67.1 \\ 65.2 \\ 4.92 \\ 1.20$	$ \begin{array}{c c} 17.9 \\ 20.5 \\ 1.12 \\ 0.19 \end{array} $	0.075 .065 .75 .28		0.01 .007 .046 .02		0.20	0.08

### Analyses—Continued

Sample Nos.	Kind	V <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub>	CaO	MgO	Li <sub>2</sub> O	Na <sub>2</sub> O	K <sub>2</sub> O	Loss on ignition	BaO	Rb <sub>2</sub> O	SrO	CO <sub>2</sub>
70a 99a 1b 88a	Feldspar, potash Feldspar, soda Limestone, argillaceous_ Limestone, dolomitic			$\begin{array}{c} 0.11 \\ 2.14 \\ 5.09 \\ 30.15 \end{array}$	0.36 21.3		2.55 $6.2$ $0.04$ $.01$	11.8 5.2 0.25 .12	0.40 $.26$ $41.1$ $46.7$	0.02	0.06	0.14	40.4

# 3.16. Ceramic Materials (Materials Temporarily Out of Stock)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Approximate weight	Price	Sample Nos.	Kind	Approximate weight	Price
76	Burned Refractory (40% Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> ) (Renewal indefinite at present)						

# 3.18. Metallo-Organic Compounds (Renewals of Earlier Materials)

Sample Nos.	Kind (approximate wt. 5 grams)	Constituents determined	%	Price
1074a 1079a	Calcium 2-ethylhexanoateTris(1-phenyl-1,3-butanediono)iron(III)	CaFe	12.5 10.3	\$15.00 15.00

# 3.18. Metallo-Organic Compounds (Materials Out of Stock-Discontinued)

Sample Nos.	Kind (approximate wt. 5 grams)	Constituents determined %	Price
1056a	Cupric cyclohexanebutyrate		

### 3.19. Microchemical Standards (Renewals of Earlier Materials)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Constituents determined or intended use	Approximate weight of sample in grams	Price
141b	Acetanilide	N, C, H	2	\$9.00

### 3.19. Microchemical Standards (Materials Out of Stock-Discontinued)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Constituents determined or intended use	Approximate weight of sample in grams	Price
145	2-Iodobenzoic acid			

### 3.19. Microchemical Standards (Price Changes)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Constituents determined or intended use	Approximate weight of sample in grams	Price
143b	Cystine	S, C, H, N	2	\$11.00

### 3.20. Chemicals (Renewals of Earlier Materials)

(a) Primary Chemicals

Sample Nos.	Kin	d	Approx. wt.	Price
84h	Acid potassium phthalate	Acidimetric value	60	\$6.50

### 3.20. Chemicals (New Standard Reference Materials)

(b) Intermediate purity chemicals. This group of materials is intended to bridge the gap between commercial materials available in bulk and materials available in primary or purer grades. They should prove useful to the samll research laboratory or individual workers engaged in purification, as a characterized starting material. Such materials are also useful in analytical procedures when a higher-purity primary grade is neither necessary nor available.

Sample Nos.	Kind	Constituents determined or intended use	Approximate weight	Price
726	Selenium	Limits for Al, As, B, Ca, Cr, Cu, halogens, Fe, Pb, Mg, Mn, Mo, Ni, Ag, S, Te, Tl,	1 lb.	\$40.00
727	Rubidium chloride	Sn, Be, Bi, Cd, Co, In, and V. Isotopic ratio, assay	1.0 g	20.00

### 3.21. Special Nuclear Materials (Renewals of Earlier Materials)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Certified for	Unit	Price
949b	Plutonium metal	$Plutonium\ content\ 99.99\%$	$\stackrel{Pu}{0.5~\mathrm{g}}$	\$88.00

### 3.22. Isotopic Reference Standards (New Standard Reference Materials)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Element	Price
979	Chromium Nitrate	Chromium	\$20.00
980		Magnesium	20.00

# 4. Standards of Certified Properties and Purity

### 4.1. pH Standards (Renewals of Earlier Materials)

The standard 186Ic and 186IIb are certified for use in admixture only. At an equimolar (0.025 molal) mixture of the two salts a pH(S) of 6.862 at 25 °C is obtained. Directions are also furnished for the preparation of a physiological reference solution having a pH(S) of 7.410 at 25 °C.

Sample Nos.	Kind	pH (S) (at 25 °C)	Approx. wt.	Price
186Ic	Potassium dihydrogen phosphate	See above	30	\$7.00

### 4.1. pH Standards (Price Changes)

Sample Nos.	Kind	pH (S) (at 25 °C)	Approx. wt. in grams	Price
18 <b>5</b> d	Acid potassium phthalate	4.004	60	<b>\$7.</b> 50

### 4.2. Freezing-Point Standards (New Standard Reference Materials and Revision of Section)

(a) Defining fixed points—International Practical Temperature Scale.

The purity of these materials is such that they are suitable for realizing the defining fixed points on the International Practical Temperature Scale of 1948.

Sample Nos.	Kind	Value assigned to defining fixed point °C (Int. 1948)	Approximate weight in grams	Price
740	Zinc	419.505	350	\$65.00

(b) Secondary reference points.

These are intended for the calibration of resistance thermometers and thermocouples.

Sample Nos.	Kind	Determined freezing point °C (Int. 1948)	Approximate weight in grams	Price
44e	Aluminum	660.0 $1083.3$ $327.417$ $231.88$	200	\$12.00
45d	Copper		450	12.00
49e	Lead		600	12.00
42f	Tin		350	12.00

### 4.3. Thermometric Cells (Materials Out of Stock-Discontinued)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Price
940 941 942	Phenol thermometric cell near 40.8 °C	

### 4.5. Radioactivity Standards

### 4.5.1. Alpha-Ray Standards (Renewals of Earlier Materials)

Sample Nos.	Radionuclide	Approximate $\alpha$ -particle emission rate in $2\pi$ geometry	Price
4904-B	Americium-241	20 αps	\$77.00

# 4.5.3. Beta-Ray, Gamma-Ray and Electron-Capture Solution Standards (New Standard Reference Materials)

Sample Nos.	Radionuelide	Calibration radiation	Approximate activity or emission rate at time of calibration (month, year)	Approximate weight of solution	Price
<b>494</b> 8	Ce-Pr-144	β-	$1.5 \times 10^{5} \mathrm{dps/g} \; (12-65)$	3.3 g	\$80.00

# 4.5.3. Beta-Ray, Gamma-Ray and Electron-Capture Solution Standards (Renewals of Earlier Materials)

Sample Nos.	Radionuclide	Calibration radiation	Approximate activity or emission rate at time of calibration (month, year)	Approximate weight of solution	Price
4932-D 4937-C 4944-D	Mercury-203 Niobium-95 Iodine-125	$_{eta^{-}}^{\gamma}$ x-ray	$\begin{array}{c} 2.1 \times 10^6 \ \mathrm{dps/g} \ (1\text{-}66) \\ 2.6 \times 10^5 \ \mathrm{dps/g} \ (7\text{-}66) \\ 1.1 \times 10^5 \ \mathrm{dps/g} \ (12/66) \end{array}$	5.1 g 5.2 g 5 g	\$50.00 56.00 66.00

# 4.5.3. Beta-Ray, Gamma-Ray and Electron-Capture Solution Standards (Materials Temporarily Out of Stock)

Sample Nos.	Radionuclide	Calibration radiation	Approximate activity or emission rate at time of calibration (month, year)	Approximate weight of solution	Price
4946-B	Cerium-141				

# 4.5.3. Beta-Ray, Gamma-Ray and Electron-Capture Solution Standards (Materials Out of Stock-Discontinued)

Sample Nos.	Radionuclide	Calibration radiation	Approximate activity or emission rate at time of calibration (month, year)	Approximate weight of solution	Price
4941-B 4945-B	Cobalt-57Strontium-89				

### 4.5.5. Point-Source Gamma-Ray Standards (New Standard Reference Materials)

Sample Nos.	Radionuclide	Approximate emission rate at time of calibration (month, year)	Price per sample
4201	Niobium-94	$1 \times 10^4  \gamma \text{ps}  (7/65)$	<b>\$</b> 55.00

### 4.5.5. Point-Source Gamma-Ray Standards (Materials Temporarily Out of Stock)

Sample Nos.	${f Radionuclide}$	Approximate emission rate at time of calibration (month, year)	Price per sample
4993-B	Niobium-95	1.4 × 10 <sup>5</sup> γps (7/66)	\$56.00
4995-B	Mercury-203		63.00
4999-C	Cerium-139		58.00

### 4.5.5. Point-Source Gamma-Ray Standards (Renewals of Earlier Materials)

Sample Nos.	Radionuclide	Approximate emission rate at time of calibration (month, year)	Price per sample
4991-B 4992-C 4997-D 4998-D 4203-A 4203-B	Sodium-22 Zinc-65. Manganese-54 Yttrium-88 Cobalt-60	$\begin{array}{l} 6\times 10^4 \ \gamma ps \ (1/65) \\ 5\times 10^4 \ \gamma ps \ (1/65) \\ 6\times 10^4 \ \gamma ps \ (6/66) \\ 1\times 10^4 \ \gamma ps \ (3/65) \\ 3\times 10^5 \ \gamma ps \ (8/66) \\ 7\times 10^5 \ \gamma ps \ (8/66) \\ \end{array}$	\$57.00 50.00 53.00 53.00 65.00 65.00

# 4.5.6. Radium Rock Samples (Materials Out of Stock-Discontinued)

Sample Nos.	Rock	Average radium content (picogram of radium per gram of rock)	Price
4978	Columbia River Basalt		

### 4.5.8. Radium Gamma-Ray Solution Standards (Renewals of Earlier Materials)

Sample	Radium content (in micrograms)	Approximate weight	Price per
Nos.	as of 1965		sample
4964B	100	5 g	\$43.00

### 4.5.8. Radium Gamma-Ray Solution Standards (Price Changes)

Sample Nos.	Radium content (in micrograms) as of 1947	Approximate weight	Price per sample
4955	0.1	5 g	\$34.00
4956	0.2	5 g	34.00
4957 4958	0.5 $1.0$	5 g 5 g	$\frac{34.00}{34.00}$
4959	$\frac{1.0}{2.0}$	5 g 5 g	34.00
4960	5.0	5 g	34.00
4961	10.0	5 g	34.00
4962	20.0	5 g	34.00
4963	50.0	5 g	34.00

### 4.5.9. Contemporary Standard for Carbon-14 Dating Laboratories (Renewals of Earlier Materials)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Price
4990-B	Carbon-14 dating standard	\$6.00

### 4.6. Standard Rubbers and Rubber Compounding Materials

### 4.6.1. Standard Rubbers (New Standard Reference Materials)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt. in grams	Price
389	Styrene-butadiene, type 1503	34,000	\$49.00

### 4.6.1. Standard Rubbers (Renewals of Earlier Materials)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt. in grams	Price
386f	Styrene-butadiene, type 1500	34,000	\$45.00

### 4.6.1. Standard Rubbers (Materials Temporarily Out of Stock)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt. in grams	Price
385b	Natural rubber (Renewal possibly about middle of 1967)		

### 4.6.2. Rubber Compounding Materials (New Standard Reference Materials)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt.	Price	Sample Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt. in grams	Price
384	N-tertiary-Butyl-2-benzo- thiazolosulfenamide	800	\$5.00				

### 4.6.2. Rubber Compounding Materials (Renewals of Earlier Materials)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt. in grams	Price	Sample Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt.	Price
371e 375f	SulfurChannel Black	1,400 7,000	\$4.50 16.00				

# 4.8. Viscometer Calibrating Liquids

### 4.8.1. CGS Units (Price Changes)

	Viscosity, in poises, at—					Kinematic viscosity, in stokes, at—					Price F.O.B.
Oil	20 °C	25 °	C 10	00 °F	210 °F	20 °C	25	C 1	00 °F	210 °F	Washington, D.C.
D	0.020 .12 .41 1.0 3.0 14.0		10 32 74 1	0.014 .066 .18 .37 1.0 4.0	0.006 .017 .032 .049 .099 .25	0.02 .14 .48 1.1 3.4 16.0			0.019 .081 .22 .43 1.1 4.6	0.008 .022 .040 .060 .12	\$20.00 22.50 22.50 22.50 20.00 25.00
	20 °C	25 °C	30 °C	40 °C	50 °C	20 °C	25 °C	30 °C	40 °C	50 °C	
OB	300	200	450	55 200	95	350	210	510	60 220	100	37.50 36.00

### 4.8.2. Saybolt Units (Price Changes)

Oil	Tempera- ture °F	Viscosity	Price F.O.B. Washington, D.C.
SBSF.	100 122	300 seconds, Saybolt Universal	\$8.00 8.00

## 4.9. Glass Viscosity Standards (New Standard Reference Materials)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Unit of issue	Price
712	Mixed alkali lead silicate glass, ¼ in. patties (6 pcs.)  Dense barium crown 620/603 glass 1¾ in. diam × ½ in. thick gobs (4 pcs.)  Alkaline earth alumina silicate glass ¼ in. diam cane (16 pcs.—6 in. long)  Alkali-free aluminosilicate glass, ¼ in. diam cane (13 pcs.—6 in. long)  Neutral (borosilicate) glass ½ in. diam cane (6 pcs.—6 in. long)	0.5 lb	\$25.00
713		.5 lb	25.00
714		.5 lb	25.00
715		200 g	25.00
716		250 g	25.00

### CERTIFIED PROPERTIES

Viscosity poises	Temperature °C standard 712	Temperature °C standard 713	Temperature °C standard 714	Temperature °C standard 715	Temperature °C standard 716
102					
103					
104					
105					
106					
107					
108					
109					
1010					
1012		790		001	704
Softening point		738	908 710	$961 \\ 764$	794 574
Annealing point Strain point	386 352	631 599	662	714	530

# 4.11. The ISCC-NBS Centroid Color Charts (Price Changes)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Price per set
2106	Centroid color charts	\$5.00

# 4.16. Internal Tearing Resistance Standard Paper (Renewals of Earlier Materials)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Price
704a	Internal tearing resistance of paper	\$7.00 per package

# 4.17. Microcopy Resolution Test Chart (Price Changes)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Unit of issue	Price per chart
1010	Resolution chart for testing the resolving power of microcopying cameras (add \$2.00 per order for handling)	5 (minimum)	\$0.60

# 4.18. Glass Spheres for Sieve Calibration (New Standard Reference Materials)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Weight in grams	Price
1003	Calibrated glass spheres (5–30 micron)	40-45	\$15.00

# 4.18. Glass Spheres for Sieve Calibration (Materials Temporarily Out of Stock)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Weight in grams	Price
1017	Calibrated glass spheres (for calibrating sieves No. 70–270)		

# 4.21. Coating Thickness (New Standard Reference Materials)

Nominal thickness only is given below. The certified thickness appears on the cards accompanying the samples.

Sample Nos.	Prev. Desig.	Nominal Thickness (inch)	Coating	Substrate	Price
	Type I	0-0.08	Nonmagnetic	Magnetic	
1301		0.00010	copper+chromium	steel	<b>\$7.50</b>
1302	AA	.00025	do	do	7.50
1303	AB	.00050		do	7.50
1304	AM	.00075	do	do	7.50
1305	AC	.0010		do	7.50
1306	CA	.0015	do	do	7.50
1307	AD	.0020	do	do	7.50
1308		.0025	do	do	7.50
1309	CM	.0027	do	do	7.50
1310	CB	.0032	do	do	7.50
1311	CC	.0055	do	do	7.50
1312	CD	.0080	do	do	7.50
1313	DA	.010	do	do	7.50
1314	DB	.015	do	do	7.50
1315	DC	.020	do	do	7.50
1316	DD	.025	do	do	7.50
1317	HA	.03	do	do	7.50
1318	HB	.04	do	do	7.50
1319	HC	.06	do	do	7.50
1320	HD	.08	do	do	7.50
	Type II	0-0.0025	Magnetic	Magnetic	
1331	BA	0.00012	nickel	steel	\$7.50
1332	BB	.00035	- do	do	7.50
1333	BC	.00055	do	do	7.50
1334	BD	.00075	do	do	7.50
1335	EA	.0010	do	do	7.50
1336	EB	.0013	do	do	7.50
1337	EC	.0016	do	do	7.50
1338	ED	.0020	do	do	7.50
1339	EE	.0025	do	do	7.50
	Type III	0-0.002	Magnetic	Nonmagnetic	
1341	FA	0.00012	nickel/chromium	brass	\$7.50
1342	FB	.00035	dodo	do	7.50
1343	FC	.00065	do	do	7.50
1344	FD	.0010	do	do	7.50
1345	FE	.0015	do	do	7.50
1346	FF	.0013	do	do	7.50
1010	1.1	.0020			

### 4.22. Thermal Emittance Standards (New Standard Reference Materials)

Standards of normal spectral emittance are available in three materials, platinum-13 percent rhodium alloy having low emittance, sandblasted and oxidized Kanthal (an iron-chromium-aluminum alloy) having intermediate emittance, and sandblasted and oxidized Inconel (a nickel-chromium-iron alloy) having high emittance. Standards of all three materials have been calibrated for normal spectral emittance at 800 and 1100 °K, the Kanthal and Inconel standards at 1300 °K and the platinum-13 percent rhodium at 1400 and 1600 °K. Normal spectral emittance data is supplied at 156 wavelengths in the one to fifteen micron range for all the combinations listed above. In addition, data for the platinum-13 percent rhodium standards is supplied in the fifteen to thirty-five micron range at 1100 °K.

Sample Nos.	Kind	Price
1402	Emittance standards, ½ in. disks Pt-13% Rh	\$175.00
1403	Emittance standards, $\frac{7}{8}$ in. disks Pt-13 $\frac{9}{8}$ Rh	185.00
1404	Emittance standards, 1 in. disks Pt-13% Rh	200.00
1405	Emittance standards, 1½ in. disks Pt-13% Rh.	235.00
1406	Emittance standards, 14 in. disks Pt-13% Rh	250.00
1407	Emittance standards, 2 in. × 2 in. squares Pt-13% Rh	385.00
1408	Emittance standards, 1 in. × 10 in. strips Pt-13% Rh	750.00
1409	Emittance standards, ¾ in. × 10 in. strips Pt-13 % Rh	600.00
1420	Emittance standards, ½ in. disks Kanthal	175.00
1421	Emittance standards, $\frac{7}{28}$ in. disks Kanthal	175.00
1422	Emittance standards, 1 in. disks Kanthal	175.00
1423	Emittance standards, 1½ in. disks Kanthal	175.00
1424	Emittance standards, 1½ in. disks Kanthal.	175.00
1425	Emittance standards, 2 in, × 2 in, squares Kanthal	175.00
1427	Emittance standards, ¾ in. × 10 in. strips Kanthal	175.00
1428	Emittance standards, 1/4 in. × 8 in. strips Kanthal	175.00
1440	Emittance standards, ½ in. disks Inconel	175.00
1441	Emittance standards, 7/8 in. disks Inconel	175.00
1442	Emittance standards, 1 in. disks Inconel	175.00
1443	Emittance standards, 1½ in. disks Inconel	175.00
1444	Emittance standards, 1¼ in. disks Inconel	175.00
1445	Emittance standards, 2 in. × 2 in. squares Inconel	175.00
1447	Emittance standards, ¾ in. × 10 in. strips Inconel	175.00

### 4.22. Thermal Emittance Standards (Materials Out of Stock—Discontinued)

Sample Nos.	Kind	Price
1426 1446	Emittance standards, 1 in. × 10 in. strips Kanthal. Emittance standards, 1 in. × 10 in. strips Inconel	

### 4.23. Permittivity Standards (New Standard Reference Materials)

These standards are furnished in three different shapes and are certified for relative permittivity (approximately 6.3 in the case of the 1723 glass and 3.83 in the case of the 7940 fused silica) in the frequency range 10<sup>3</sup> to 10<sup>10</sup> hertz. These standards are intended for use in checking and improving measurement systems for complex permittivity.

Sample Nos.	Kind	Price
1501	1723 glass, $2\frac{1}{4}$ in. $\times$ $2\frac{1}{4}$ in. $\times$ $\frac{3}{16}$ in. rough cut blank for making 2 in. disk for low-fre-	40F F0
1502	quency, capacity-type holder 1723 glass, 1 in. × ½ in. × ½ in. rough-cut blank for X-band waveguide	\$87.50 87.50
1503	1723 glass, 1½ in. × 1½ in. × ½ in. rough-cut blank for making nominal 1 in. cylindrical waveguide for dielectrometer	87.50
1504	7940 fused silica, 2¼ in. × 2¼ in. × ¼ in. for making 2 in. disk for low-frequency, capacity-type holder	87.50
1505	7940 fused silica, 1 in. × ½ in. × ½ in. rough-cut blank for X-band waveguide	87.50
1506	7940 fused silica, 1¼ in. × 1¼ in. × 3% in. rough-cut blank for making 1 in. cylindrical waveguide for dielectrometer	87.50

### 4.24. Mössbauer Differential Chemical Shift for Iron-57 (New Standard Reference Materials)

This standard reference material is intended to furnish a base (zero) point for Mössbauer spectrometry. It is furnished as a platelet 1 cm x 1 cm x 0.0775 cm cut from a single crystal of sodium nitroprusside along the 100 crystal plane. The natural iron concentration is 25.0 mg/cm<sup>2</sup>  $\pm$  4 percent. This standard reference material has an average value for the chemical shift of 0.0000  $\pm$ 0.0002 cm/sec, and an average value for the electric quadrupole splitting of 0.1726  $\pm$ 0.0002 cm/sec at 25 °C.

Sample Nos.	Kind	Price
725	Mössbauer Differential Chemical Shift for Iron-57 (Sodium Nitroprusside)	\$150.00

### 4.25. Carbon-14 and Hydrogen-3 Labeled Sugars (New Standard Reference Materials)

### 4.25.1. Terminal Carbon-14 Sugars

Sample Nos.	Kind	Amount of Activity	Price
1525 series	Carbon-14 labeled sugars and related products, Type 1 (carbohydrates labeled at carbon 1)	10 micro- curies	\$12.50

### 4.25.2. Interior Carbon-14 Sugars

Sample Nos.	Kind	Amount of Activity	Price
1550 series	Carbon-14 labeled sugars and related products, Type 2 (carbohydrates labeled in positions other than carbon 1)	10 micro- curies	<b>\$17</b> .50

### 4.25.3. Tritium Labeled Sugars

Sample Nos.	Kind	Amount of Activity	Price
1575 series	Tritium-labeled carbohydrates (carbohydrates labeled without extensive alteration of the carbon skeleton)	10 micro- curies	\$12.50

### 4.26. Light-Sensitive Plastic Chips (New Standard Reference Materials)

Standard light-sensitive plastic chips are available for use in calibration and standardization of artificial weathering and fading apparatus. These chips are distributed in two thicknesses (0.060 and 0.124 inch) in units of five plates 2 inches by 4½ inches, and have been standardized by the measurement of the change of transmittance as a function of exposure (in standard fading hours) to the NBS master lamps.

Sample Nos.	Kind	Unit of Issue	Price
702	Light-sensitive plastic chips (0.124 inch) Light-sensitive plastic chips (0.060 inch)	Package of 5 chips	\$15.50
703		Package of 5 chips	15.50

# Standard Reference Materials:

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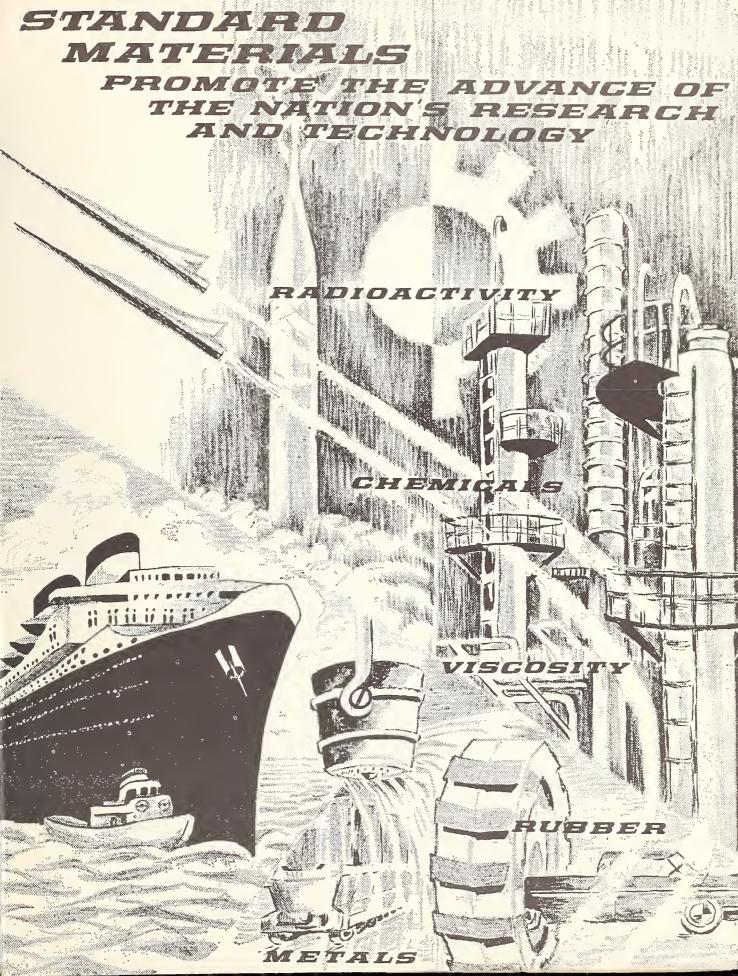
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### **Preface**

Within the framework of the NBS Institute for Materials Research the area of standard reference materials is a broad and important one, including the preparation, characterization, and distribution of a wide variety of materials in such diverse fields as metallurgy, polymers, and inorganic materials. In carrying out such a program there is much interaction with representatives of industry and science, beginning with discussions as to which primary standard materials will do most to advance technology, the furnishing of materials and fabrication of samples, and the characterization and certification of the materials by cooperative efforts. The many groups participating in a standards program are very interested in detailed information on specific aspects of the program—but to date there has been no publication outlet for such written discussions.

To meet this need, the NBS Miscellaneous Publication 260 Series has been reserved for papers in the general area of "standard reference materials." This series begins with a descriptive price list of standard materials available. Succeeding publications present the results of studies and investigations undertaken within the Institute for Materials Research with emphasis on the preparation and characterization of standard reference materials. This subject-oriented series provides a means for rapid dissemination of this detailed information and we hope will stimulate the use of standard reference materials in science and industry.

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# Standard Reference Materials

# Issued by the National Bureau of Standards

This catalog describes the various Standard Reference Materials issued by the National Bureau of Standards. These materials are used to calibrate measurement systems and provide scientific information that can be referred to a common base. A schedule of prices and quantities is included for each material, as well as directions for ordering. Listed are the types and compositions of those chemical standards that are presently available. Announcements of new standard reference materials are made in the Federal Register, in scientific and trade journals, and in the Technical News Bulletin of the National Bureau of Standards. Changes affecting the current status of the various standards will be indicated by an insert sheet available quarterly from the Bureau.

Key words: Analysis, catalog, certificate, characterization, composition, price list, property of material, purity of material, standard reference materials, standards.

### 1. General Information

### 1.1. Introduction

The standard reference materials issued by the National Bureau of Standards, their prices and directions for ordering, are given in this publication. All types of well-characterized materials are available for calibrating measurement systems, and providing scientific information that can be referred to a common base.

Other uses include calibration and standardization of spectrometers, spectrographs, colorimeters, pH meters, Geiger counters, scintillators, ionization chambers, pyrometers, polarimeters, refractometers, viscometers, and other laboratory and plant instruments; checking methods of analysis and analytical techniques; standardization of solutions for volumetric analysis and the development of new or improved methods of analysis, and the evaluation of the accuracy of analytical methods.

The first standard materials issued by the Bureau were a small group of metals certified with respect to their chemical composition. Because of their use as standards in chemical analysis, the term "Standard Samples" was applied to them. This term was extended first to similar composition standards, and later to cover materials certified with respect to chemical purity or to some physical or chemical property. By usage the term has been extended also to certain materials that are issued without certification of composition or properties. More recently, the term "Standard Sample" has been replaced with the more apt description "Standard Reference Material."

In this publication the materials are classified into groups according to the purposes for which they are intended and the kind of certification, if any, that applies to them. More than 600 different standards of metals, ores, ceramics, chemicals, and hydrocarbons are now available for distribution. About 400 of these are certified for chemical composition. Almost half of the composition standards have been prepared specifically for use in spectroscopic analysis. Other standard materials include those certified for such properties as acidity (pH), viscosity, freezingpoint, density, index of refraction, and heat of combustion. Each standard material is accompanied by a certificate of characterization. An example of such a certificate is shown in appendix I.

### 1.2. Standards Out of Stock

The preparation of "renewals" is intended to be completed at the time each kind of material becomes exhausted, but owing to delays encountered in obtaining a proper grade of material, and for other reasons, this is not always possible. If orders are received for standard reference materials that are out of stock, notice will be mailed to that effect. The composition of a "renewal" will not usually be identical with that of its predecessor, but it will be quite similar, especially with regard to the characteristic constituent or constituents, and generally the "renewal" can be used in place of its predecessor.

### 1.3. New Standards

When new standard reference materials or renewals of old ones are issued, announcement will be made in scientific and trade journals, in the Standard Materials column of National Bureau of Standards Technical News Bulletin, and in the Federal Register. This information will also be given in the Quarterly insert sheet for this catalog (NBS Misc. Publ. 260) available from the Bureau. If you wish to be placed on a mailing list to receive these inserts as they are issued, please complete the post card included at the end of this catalog, detach it, and mail to the National Bureau of Standards.

The Office of Standard Reference Materials welcomes suggestions for new standard materials. While it is not possible to produce all of the materials that will be requested by science and industry throughout the country, we will try to make those for which there is the greatest

demonstrated need. Thus we have prepared a "Guide for the Submission of Requests for the Development of New or Renewal Standard Reference Materials" which delineates Bureau policy in this area and establishes a standard format for such requests. This "Guide" is reproduced for your information in appendix II (page 40) of this publication.

NBS calibrating and testing services for a wide variety of standards and instruments are given in a separate publication; NBS Misc. Publ. 250, Calibrating and Testing Services, price \$1.00.

### 2. Purchase Procedure

### 2.1. Identification of Standards

The standards are listed by groups; the numbers represent the issuance of the first representative sample of each kind. Renewals are indicated by the original number with an added letter to denote the relation. Thus, 11a is the first, 11b the second, 11c is the third renewal of No. 11 Basic Open-Hearth Steel, 0.2 percent carbon. In this way, a particular number always represents a material of fixed or approximately fixed composition. Although renewals are not identical with their predecessors, they generally can be used in place of them.

# 2.2. Ordering

Orders should be addressed to the Office of Standard Reference Materials, National Bureau of Standards, Washington, D.C. 20234, and should give the amount, catalog number and name of the standards requested. For example: 150 g of No. 11h Basic Open-Hearth Steel, 0.2 percent C. The list of standard materials, their numbers, prices and composition or intended use are given on the pages which follow. These materials are distributed only in the units listed. Acceptance of orders does not imply acceptance of any provision set forth in this order contrary to the policy, practice or regulations of the National Bureau of Standards in the U.S. Government. Prices as listed in this catalog are subject to change without notice. Price changes, when made are first announced in the Federal Register. Prices in effect at time of shipment will be billed to the purchaser.

### 2.3. Terms and Shipping

### 2.3.1. Domestic Shipments

Shipments of material (other than hydrocarbons, organic sulfur compounds and radioactive standards) intended for the United States, Mexico, and Canada are normally shipped prepaid parcel post (providing that the parcel does not exceed the weight limits as prescribed by Postal Laws and Regulations) unless the purchaser requests a different mode of shipment, in which case the shipment will be sent collect. It is impractical for the Bureau to prepay shipping charges and add this cost to the billing invoice. Hydrocarbons, organic sulfur compounds, rubber compounding materials, viscometer calibrating oils, and radioactive standards are shipped express collect. No discounts are given on NBS Standard Reference Materials.

### 2.3.2. Foreign Shipments

Small shipments will be forwarded as a U.S. Government shipment via International Parcel Post, providing that the parcel does not exceed the weight limits as prescribed by Postal Laws and Regulations to foreign countries. Shipments exceeding the parcel post weight limit must be handled through an agent (shipping or brokerage firm) located in the United States as designated by the purchaser. Parcels will be packed for overseas shipment and forwarded via express collect to the U.S. firm designated as agent.

### 2.3.3. Payment for Foreign Orders

Remittances in payment of foreign orders must be made payable to the National Bureau of Standards, and are required in advance. These remittances must be drawn on a bank in the United States and payable at the standard rate of U.S. currency.

# 3. Standards of Certified Chemical Composition

### 3.1. Steels (Chip Form)

This group of standard reference materials has been prepared for the steel industry primarily for use in checking chemical methods of analysis both for production control, and for customer acceptance. The group consists of nominal composition steel alloys and is selected to provide a wide range of analytical values for the various elements which are of vital concern to the chemist. They are furnished in 150 g units of chips, usually sized between 16- and 40-mesh sieves, prepared from selected portions of commercial ingots.

Certificates of analyses, provided with these standards, give the composition as determined at the National Bureau of Standards, and most also include values obtained by industrial and other outside laboratories cooperating in the certification of the standards.

tification of the standards.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Price	SRM Nos.	Kind	Price
8i	Bessemer, 0.1 C	\$12.00	111b	Ni-Mo (SAE 4620)	\$12. 0
10g	Bessemer, 0.2 C	12. 00	106b	Cr-Mo-Al (Nitralloy G)	12, 0
170a	Basic Open Hearth, 0.05 C, 0.3 Ti	12.00	139a	Cr-Ni-Mo (AISI 8640)	12, 0
15g	Basic Open Hearth, 0.1 C		156	Cr-Ni-Mo (NE 9450)	12.0
335	Basic Open Hearth, 0.1 C (carbon only)_	5. 00	50c	W18-Cr4-V1	15. 0
11h	Basic Open Hearth, 0.2 C		132a	Mo5-W6-Cr4-V2	15. 0
12h	Basic Open Hearth, 0.4 C	12. 00	134a	Mo8-W2-Cr4-V1	15. 0
152a	Basic Open Hearth, 0.5 C, 0.03 Sn	12.00	153a	Co8-Mo9-W2-Cr4-V2	_ 15. 0
13g	Basic Open Hearth, 0.6 C	12. 00	155	Cr 0.5-W 0.5	. 15. 0
14e	Basic Open Hearth, 0.8 C	12, 00	73c	Stainless (Cr13) (SAE 420)	15. 0
16e	Basic Open Hearth, 1.1 C	12. 00	133a	Stainless (Cr13-Mo0.3-S0.3)	15. 0
337	Basic Open Hearth, 1.1 C (carbon only)	5. 00	101e	Cr18-Ni9 (SAE 304)	_ 20. 0
19g	Acid Open Hearth, 0.2 C	12.00	121c	Cr18-Ni10 (Ti-bearing) (SAE 321)	15. 0
$20\tilde{\mathbf{f}}$	Acid Open Hearth, 0.4 C	12. 00	160a	Cr19-Ni14-Mo3 (SAE 316)	15. 0
51b	Electric furnace, 1.2 C	12. 00	166b	Cr19-Ni9 (carbon only)	_ 15. 0
65d	Basic electric, 0.3 C		339	Cr17-Ni9-0.2Se (SAE 303Se)	_ 20. 0
100b	Manganese (SAE T1340)	12. 00	343	Cr16-Ni2 (SAE 431)	_ 15. 0
105	High-sulfur, 0.2 C (carbon only)	6. 00	344	Cr15-Ni7-Mo2-A1 1	
129b	High-sulfur, (SAE X1112)		345	Cr16-Ni4-Cu3	_ 15. 0
30f	Cr-V (SAE 6150)		346	Valve (Cr22-Ni4-Mn9)	_ 20. 0
32e	Ni-Cr (SAE 3140)		348	Ni26-Cr15 (A286)	15. 0
33d	Ni-Mo (SAE 4820)		126b	Ni36 (High nickel)	
72f	Cr-Mo (SAE X4130)			, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	

# 3.1. Steels (Chip Form)—Continued

### ANALYSES

SRM Nos.	Kind	C	Mn	P		s	Si	Cu	Ni
					Grav.	Comb.			
8i	Bessemer	0. 077	0. 511	0. 080	0. 063	0.063	0. 020	0. 016	0, 009
10g	Bessemer	. 240	. 850	. 086	. 109	. 109	. 020	. 008	005
170a	B.O.H. (Ti-bearing)	. 052	. 325	. 005	. 021	. 021	. 036	. 059	. 026
15g	B.O.H. 0.1C.	. 097	. 485	. 005		. 026	. 095		
335	B.O.H. 0.1C	. 092							
11h	B.O.H. 0.2C	. 200	. 510	. 010		. 026	. 211		
12h	B.O.H. 0.4C	. 41	. 84	. 018		. 027	. 237	. 073	. 033
152a	B.O.H. 0.5C, 0.03 Sn	. 486	. 717	. 012		. 030	. 202	. 023	. 056
13g	B.O.H. 0.6C	. 61	. 85	. 006		. 030	. 355		
14e	B.O.H. 0.8C	. 751	. 404	. 008	. 039	. 039	. 177	. 072	. 052
16e	B.O.H. 1.1C	1. 09	. 381	. 021		. 029	. 20		
337	B.O.H. 1.1C	1. 07							
19g	A.O.H. 0.2C	0. 223	. 554	. 046	. 032	. 033	. 186	. 093	. 066
20f	A.O.H. 0.4C	. 380	. 754	. 028	. 034	. 034	. 299	. 238	. 243
51b 65d	Electric furnace	1. 21 0. 264	. 573	. 013	. 014	. 014	. 246	. 071	. 053
100b	Basic electric Manganese (SAE T1340)	. 397	. 730 1. 89	. 015	. 010	. 010	. 370	. 051	. 060
1005	High-sulfur (Carbon only)	. 193	1. 09	. 025	. 029	. 028	. 210	. 064	. 030
103 129b	High-sulfur (SAE X1112)	. 094	0. 763	. 085	. 221	. 226	. 021	. 015	012
30f	Cr-V steel (SAE 6150)	. 49	. 79	. 010	. 221	. 010	$\frac{.021}{.28}$	. 076	. 013
32e	Ni-Cr steel (SAE 3140)	. 409	. 798	. 008	. 022	. 021	. 278	. 127	1. 19
33d	Ni-Mo steel (SAE 4820)	. 173	. 537	. 006	. 010	. 011	$\frac{213}{253}$	. 123	3. 58
72f	Cr-Mo steel (SAE X4130)	. 301	. 545	.014	. 024	0.011	$\frac{.256}{.256}$	. 062	0. 055
111b	Ni-Mo Steel (SAE 4620)	. 193	. 706	. 012	. 015	. 015	. 302	. 028	1. 81
106b	Cr-Mo-Al (Nitralloy G)	. 326	. 506	. 008	. 016	. 017	. 274	. 117	0. 217
139a	Cr-Ni-Mo (AISI 8640)	. 404	. 780	. 013	. 019	. 019	. 241	. 096	. 510
156	Cr-Ni-Mo (NE 9450)	. 515	1. 40	. 032	. 017	. 018	. 226	. 053	. 475
50c	W18-Cr4-V1	. 719	. 342	. 022	. 010	. 009	. 311	. 079	. 069
132a	Mo5-W6-Cr4-V2	. 825	. 268	. 029	. 005	. 006	. 190	. 120	. 137
134a	Mo8-W2-Cr4-V1	. 808	. 218	. 018	. 007	. 007	. 323	. 101	. 088
153a	Co8-Mo9-W2-Cr4-V2	. 902	. 192	. 023	. 007	. 007	. 270	. 094	. 168
155	Cr 0.5-W 0.5	. 905	1. 24	. 015	. 010	. 011	. 322	. 083	. 100
73e	Cr13 (SAE 420)	. 310	0.330	. 018		. 036	. 181	. 080	. 246
133a	Cr13-Mo 0.3-S 0.3	. 120	1.03	. 026	. 326	. 330	. 412	. 118	. 241
101e	Cr18-Ni9 (SAE 304)	. 054	1. 77	. 025	. 010	. 010	. 43	. 359	9. 48
121c	Cr18-Ni10-Ti 0.4 (SAE 321)	. 038	1. 31	. 028		. 009	. 64	. 14	10. 51
160a	Cr19-Ni14-Mo3 (SAE 316)	.062	1. 62	. 027	. 015	. 016	. 605	. 174	1 <b>4</b> . 13
166b	Cr19-Ni9 (Carbon only)	. 0191							
339	Cr17-Ni9-Še (SAE 303Se)	. 052	0. 738	. 129		. 013	. 654	. 199	8. 89
343	Cr16-Ni2 (SAE 431)	. 150							2. 14
344	Cr15-Ni7-Mo2-Al 1	. 069	. 57	. 018		. 019	. 395	. 106	7. 28
345	Cr16-Ni4-Cu3	. 048	. 224	. 018	. 012	. 012	. 610	3. 44	4. 24
346	Valve (Cr22-Ni4-Mn9)	. 541	9. 15	. 018		. 063	. 234		3. 94
348	Ni26-Cr15 (A286)	. 044	1. 48			. 002	. 54	0. 22	25. 8
126b	Ni36	. 090	0.380				. 200	. 082	35. 99

# 3.1. Steels (Chip Form)—Continued

### Analyses—Continued

SRM Nos.	Cr	V	Мо	W	Со	Ti	As	Sn	Al (total)	N	Nb	Та	В	Se	Fe
8i	0. 009	0. 012	0. 003							0. 018					
10g	. 008	. 007	. 002												
170a	. 014	. 009	. 005	${ {\rm Zirconium} \atop 0.037}$		0. 281		0.006	0.046	. 005					
15g															
11h															
12h	. 074	. 003	. 006			-,				. 006					
152a	. 046	. 001	. 036					. 032							
13g 14e	. 072	. 002	013						. 059						
14e 16e	. 072	. 002	. 010						. 000						
19g	. 374	. 012	. 013					. 008	. 031		0. 026				
20f	. 097	. 007						. 021		. 005					
51b	. 455	. 002						. 008		. 011		cid-insc		11)	
65d	. 049	. 002						. 004	. 059	. 013		as Al <sub>2</sub> C		}	
100b	. 063	. 003	. 237												
105															
129b	. 016	. 004	. 003							. 014					
30f	. 95	. 18	. 023					011							
32e 33d	. 678	. 002						. 011							
72f	. 891	. 002													
111b	. 070	. 003								. 000					
106b	1. 18	. 003	. 199						1. 07					}	
139a	0. 486	. 003	. 183							. 008					
156	. 429	. 002	. 138												
50c	4. 13	1. 16	. 082	18. 44			0. 022	. 018		. 012					
132a	4. 21	1. 94	4. 51	6. 20											
134a	3. 67	1. 25	8. 35	2. 00											
153a	3. 72 0. 485	2. 06	8. 85 0. 039	1. 76 0. 517						. 024					
155 73e	12. 82	0. 014	. 091	0. 517											
133a	12. 89	. 026	. 294							. 032					
101e	17. 98	. 043	. 426	. 056	0. 18		111113								
121c	17. 58	. 048				. 42									
160a	18. 74	. 051			. 071			. 013			(Lead	0.001)			
166b															
339	17. 42	. 058	0. 248		. 096									0. 247	
	15. 76	. 036								. 074					
344	14. 95	. 040	2. 40			. 076			1. 16		. 231				
345	16. 04	. 041										1			
346 348	21. 61 14. 54	. 058	1. 3			2 24			0.22	. 441			0 0021		53 2
126b	0. 066	. 25			. 032								0, 0031		00. 0
1200	0. 000	. 001	0. 000		. 002										

### 3.2. Steels (Solid Form)

Several groups of standards have been prepared and designed to meet the basic needs of the steel industry for analytical control primarily by optical emission and x-ray spectroscopic methods of analysis. Both nominal composition and

analytical range standards are provided for ingot iron, low-alloy steel, stainless steel, and tool steel.

These standard reference materials are furnished in three basic forms: (1) rods ½ in in diameter, 4 in long (400 series); (2) rods ½ in in diameter, 2 in long (800 series); and (3) disks 1¼ in in diameter and either ¾ in or ¼ in thick (1100 series or D 800 series). The 400 series is intended for optical emission spectroscopic methods of analysis utilizing the "point-to-point" technique. The 800 and 1100 series are intended for "point-to-plane" optical emission spectroscopic methods of analysis. The D 800 series, and the 1100 series also, are intended for x-ray spectroscopic methods of analysis.

Because of the special homogeneity requirements, most of these materials have been prepared by using the most

modern techniques of melting, casting, fabrication, and heat treatment to insure adequate uniformity of composition. The standards are furnished with Certificates of Analyses which give the composition as determined at the National Bureau of Standards; some also include values by outside laboratories cooperating in the certification of the standards. (Values in parentheses are not certified, but are given for additional information on the composition.)

### 3.2.1. Ingot Iron and Low-Alloy Steels

				Pr	ice
	SRM Nos.		Kind	400 & 800 series	D800 series
404a 405a 407a 408a 409b 410a 413 414 417a 418 418a 420a	817a 	D803a  D805a D807a  D809b  D820a	B.O.H., 0.8C A.O.H., 0.6C Basic electric Medium manganese Chromium-vanadium Chromium-nickel Nickel Cr2-Mol A.O.H., 0.4C Cr-Mo (SAE 4140) B.O.H., 0.4C Cr-Mo (SAE X4130) Cr-Mo (SAE X4130) Ingot iron Cr-W, 0.9C	\$10. 00 10. 00	\$15. 00 15. 00 15. 00 15. 00
427	827		Cr-Mo (SAE 4150) (boron only)	10. 00	

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SRM Nos.	Mn	Si	Cu	Ni	Cr	v	Мо	w	Со	Sn	Al Total	В
802	0. 46 1. 04 0. 88 1. 90 0. 76 . 76 . 46 	0. 060 . 34 . 44 . 27 . 29 . 28 . 27 . 36 . 22 . 26 . 27	0. 025 . 096 . 050 . 032 . 132 . 10 . 104 . 11 . 25 . 11 . 13	0. 010 . 190 . 040 . 065 . 169 1. 20 3. 29 0. 24 . 18 . 080 . 062 . 11 . 125 . 0092 . 10	0. 025 . 101 . 025 . 037 . 92 . 655 . 072 2. 39 0. 055 . 99 . 050 . 96 1. 02 0. 0032 . 49	0. 005 . 002 . 146 . 002 . 002 . 002 . 003 	0. 033 . 007 . 005 . 065 . 009 . 91 . 006 . 32 . 013 . 22 . 21 . 0013	0. 52		0. 012 	0.056	0. 002

### 3.2.2. Special Ingot Irons and Low-Alloy Steels

					U.W.W. L	opeciai ii	iigot mo	IIIS AIII	u Low-Ai	ioy ste	eis					
s	RM Nos						Kin	ıd						Price		
													400 serie	es 1100	) series	
46 46 46 46	62 63 64 65 66 67 68	1161 1162 1163 1164 1165 1166 1167 1168 1169 1170	Low-alloy steel A (modified TS46B12) Low-alloy steel B (modified TS86B45) Low-alloy steel C (modified TS94B17) Low-alloy steel D (modified 14B52) Ingot iron E Ingot iron F Low-alloy steel G (modified C1010) Low-alloy steel H (modified TS4720) Leaded steel (0.2% Pb) Selenium steel (0.3% Se)											00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00	\$35, 00 35, 00 35, 00 35, 00 35, 00 35, 00 35, 00 35, 00 35, 00	
							Ana	LYSES								
SRM	1 Nos.	С	Mn	Р	S	Si	Cu	Ni	Cr	v	Mo	w	Со	Ti	As	
461 462 463 464 465 466 467 468	1161 1162 1163 1164 1165 1166 1167 1168 1169 1170	0. 15 . 40 . 19 . 54 . 037 . 065 . 11 . 26 . 077 . 089	0. 36 . 94 1. 15 1. 32 0. 032 . 113 . 275 . 47 . 992 . 79	0. 053 . 045 . 031 . 017 . 008 . 012 . 033 . 023 . 064 . 109	(0. 02) (. 02) (. 02) (. 02) (. 01) (. 01) (. 01) (. 02) . 318 . 207	. 28 . 41 . 48 . 029 . 025 . 26 . 075 . 011	0. 34 . 20 . 47 . 094 . 019 . 033 . 067 . 26 . 083	1. 73 0. 70 . 39 . 135 . 026 . 051 . 088 1. 03 0. 032	. 004 . 011 . 036 . 54	0. 024 . 058 . 10 . 295 . 002 . 007 . 041 . 17 . 001	0. 30 . 080 . 12 . 029 . 005 . 011 . 021 . 20	. 105 . 022 (. 001) (. 006) . 20 . 077	0. 26 . 11 . 013 . 028 . 008 . 046 . 074 . 16	(0. 01) . 037 . 010 . 004 . 20 . 057 . 26 . 011	0. 028 . 046 . 10 . 018 . 010 . 014 . 14 . 008	
SRM	I Nos.	Sn	Al (total)	Nb	Та	В	Pb		Zr	A	g	Ge	О	N	Se	
461 462 463 464 465 466 467 468	1162	. 066 . 013 . 043 . 001	(0. 005) . 023 . 027 . 005 . 19 . 015 . 16 . 042	0. 011 . 096 . 195 . 037 (. 001) . 005 . 29 . 006	0. 002 . 036 . 15 . 069 . 001 . 002 . 23 . 005	0. 0002 . 0005 . 0012 . 005 . 0001 (. 0002) (. 0002)		06 12 20 005) 013) 006 005)	<0. 005) . 063 . 20 . 010 (. 002) (<. 005) . 094 (<. 005)		0002) 0030) 00025) 00045) 0040)	(0. 0015) (. 0030) (. 0025) (. 0015) (. 0035) (. 0030) (. 0030) (. 0010)	(0. 020) (. 006) (. 007) (. 006) (. 003) (. 005) (. 004) (. 004)	(. 008) (. 006) (. 007) (. 005) (. 006) (. 004)	)	

### 3.2.3. Stainless Steels

SRM Nos.	Kind (Group 1)	Price
443	Cr16-Ni10 Cr18.5-Ni9.5 Cr20.5-Ni10	\$15. 00 15. 00 15. 00

SRM Nos.			Kind (Group 2)	·	Price					
				400 series	800 series	D800 series				
445 446 447 448 449 450	845 846 847 848 849 850	D845 D846 D847 D848 D849 D850	Cr13- Mo0.9 (Modified AISI 410)	\$15. 00 15. 00 15. 00 15. 00 15. 00 15. 00	\$20. 00 20. 00 20. 00 20. 00 20. 00 20. 00 20. 00	\$25. 00 25. 00 25. 00 25. 00 25. 00 25. 00				

SRM Nos.	Kind (Group 3)	Price
1152 1154	Stainless Steel, B (Cr18-Ni10) Stainless Steel, D (Cr19-Ni10)	\$35. 00 35. 00

### STAINLESS STEELS GROUP 1—ANALYSES

SRM Nos. Mn	Si	Cu	Ni	Cr	v	Мо	w	Co	Ti	Sn	Nb	Та	В	Pb	Zr	Zn
442 2. 88 443 3. 38 444 4. 62	(. 15)	. 14	9. 4	18. 5	. 064	. 12	(.09)	. 12	. 003	. 006	. 056	(.0008)	. 0012	. 0025		(. 005)

### STAINLESS STEELS GROUP 2—ANALYSES

SRM Nos.	Mn	Si	Cu	Ni	Cr	v	Мо	w	Ti	Sn	Nb	Та
445 845 D84 446 846 D84 447 847 D84 448 848 D84 449 849 D83 450 850 D85	6 . 53 7 . 23 8 2. 13 9 1. 63	0. 37 1. 25	. 19 . 19 . 16 . 21	0. 28 9. 11 13. 26 0. 52 6. 62 24. 8	13. 31 18. 35 23. 72 9. 09 5. 48 2. 99	(0. 05 ) (. 03 ) (. 03 ) (. 02 ) (. 01 ) (. 006)	. 43 . 059 . 33 . 15	(0. 42) (. 04) (. 06) (. 14) (. 19) (. 21)		(0. 02) (. 05) (. 07) (. 09)	0. 11 . 60 . 03 . 49 . 31 . 05	(0. 002) (. 030) (. 002) (. 026) (. 021) (. 002)

### STAINLESS STEELS GROUP 3—ANALYSES

SRM Nos.	C	Mn	P	s	Si	Cu	Ni	Cr	v	Мо
1152	0. 163	1. 19	0. 017	0. 017	0. 654	0. 497	10. 21	18. 49	0. 044	0. 366
1154	. 094	1. 74	. 038	. 033	1. 09	. 560	10. 25	19. 58	. 061	. 463

SRM Nos.	Ti	Nb	Та	Al	Zr	Co	Sn	Pb	As	В
1152		(0. 20)	(0. 085)	(0. 003)	(0. 03)	(0, 095)	(0, 004)	(0, 001)	(0. 01)	(0. 005)
1154		(. 26)	(. 045)	(. 035)	(. 022)	(, 12)	(, 023)	(, 012)	(. 03)	(.0006)

	SRM Nos.		Kind	Price			
				400 series	D800 series		
436 437 438 439 440 441	836 837 838 839 840 841	D836 D837 D838 D839 D840 D841	Special (Cr6-Mo3-W10) Special (Cr8-Mo2-W3-Co3)_ Mo High Speed (AISI-SAE-M30)_ Mo High Speed (AISI-SAE-M36)_ Special W High Speed (Cr2-W13-Co12) W High Speed (AISI-SAE T1)	\$15. 00 15. 00 15. 00 15. 00 15. 00 15. 00	\$20 00 20, 00 20, 00 20, 00 20, 00 20, 00 20, 00	\$25. 00 25. 00 25. 00 25. 00 25. 00 25. 00	

				1	Analyses					
	SRM Nos	3.	Mn	Si	Cu	Cr	V	Мо	W	Со
436 437 438 439 440 441	836 837 838 839 840 841	D836 D837 D838 D839 D840 D841	0. 21 . 48 . 20 . 18 . 15 . 27	0. 32 . 53 . 17 . 21 . 14 . 16	0. 075 	6. 02 7. 79 4. 66 2. 72 2. 12 4. 20	0. 63 3. 04 1. 17 1. 50 2. 11 1. 13	2. 80 1. 50 8. 26 4. 61 0. 070 . 84	9. 7 2. 8 1. 7 5. 7 13. 0 18. 5	2. 9 4. 9 7. 8 11. 8

#### 3.2.5. Ferrous Materials (For Oxygen and Nitrogen)

These standards are intended to provide materials for checking analytical methods for determining oxygen and nitrogen only.

SRM No. 1041 is supplied in rods 1 in in diameter and 3 in long weighing approximately 300 g. Because the rods are radially segregated, care must be taken so that the sample used for an analysis represents the entire cross section of the rod

SRM Nos. 1090 to 1092 are intended primarily to provide standards for determining oxygen by the vacuum fusion or inert gas fusion methods. They are supplied in rods 4 in long. Nos. 1090 and 1092 are ¼ in in diameter and 1091 is  $\frac{1}{100}$  in in diameter. (Note that two titanium-base SRMs, Nos. 355 and 356, section 3.11.3, page 18, also are available for the determination of oxygen.)

Details on the preparation and analysis of SRMs 1090, 1091, and 1092 are given in NBS Misc. Publ. 260–14 "Determination of Oxygen in Ferrous Materials SRM 1090, 1091, and 1092" by Oscar Menis and J. T. Sterling. (See inside back cover for ordering instructions.)

SRM	Kind		)	N	Price
Nos.		Percent	ppm		
1041 1090 1091 1092	Medium-carbon	0. 017	434 131 28	0. 004	\$20. 00 20. 00 20. 00 20. 00

#### 3.2.6. Specialty Steels

Maraging Steels: These alloys derive their name from the formation of martensite on age hardening. They attain remarkable metallurgical properties by a simple heat treatment. Extensive use of these alloys is expected, particularly in submarines, missiles and aircraft. The Maraging Steel Standard Reference Material No. 1156 is of the 19 percent nickel type and is designed primarily for optical emission and x-ray spectrochemical analysis.

SRM No.	Kind	Price
1156	Maraging Steel (Disk form)	\$35. 00

#### ANALYSIS

SRM No.	С	Mn	P	s	Si	Cu	Ni	Cr	Мо
1156	0. 023	0. 21	0. 011	0. 012	0. 184	0. 025	19. 0	0. 20	3. 1
	1		1	1					
SRM No.	Ti	Со	Zr	В	Al	Ca			
1156	0. 21	7. 3	0. 004	0. 003	0.047	<0.001			

# 3.3. Cast Irons (Chip Form)

This group of standard reference materials is similar to the steels described in 3.1 and has been prepared for use in checking chemical methods in the cast iron industry. These materials, except White Iron No. 3b are furnished as 150 g portions in the form of chips, usually sized between 16- and 25-mesh sieves. They are prepared from thin-wall cylindrical castings specially made for this purpose by lathe cutting the chips with a multiple-tooth cutting tool. Supplied with each material is a Certificate of Analyses listing the composition as determined at the National Bureau of Standards and by outside laboratories.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Price	SRM Nos.	Kind	Price
3b 4j 5k 6f 7g 55e 82b	White iron (approx. wt. 110 g) Cast iron Cast iron Cast iron Cast iron Ingot iron Nickel-chromium cast iron	\$15. 00 15. 00 15. 00 15. 00 15. 00 15. 00 15. 00	107b 115a 122d 341 342	Nickel-chromium-molybdenum cast iron Copper-nickel-chromium cast iron Cast iron (car-wheel) Ductile iron Nodular iron	\$15. 00 15. 00 15. 00 15. 00 15. 00

#### ANALYSES

SRM Nos.	С			s								
	Total	Graphitic	Mn	P	Grav.	Comb.	Si	Cu	Ni	Cr	V	Mo
3b 4j 5k 6f 7g 55e 82b 107b 115a 122d 341 342	2. 44 2. 99 2. 71 2. 69 0. 0112 2. 85 2. 75 2. 62 3. 28 1. 81 2. 45	2. 38 1. 99 2. 19 2. 59 2. 37 1. 87 1. 96 2. 49 1. 23 2. 14	0. 351 . 79 . 536 . 499 . 612 . 035 . 745 . 510 1. 00 0. 504 . 92 . 369	0. 085 . 17 . 263 . 530 . 794 . 003 . 025 . 058 . 086 . 280 . 024	0. 100 . 106 . 061 . 012 . 067 . 064 . 092 . 007	0. 090 . 062 . 100 . 106 . 060 . 011 . 007 . 067 . 065 . 091 . 007	1. 04 1. 31 2. 08 1. 85 2. 41 0. 001 2. 10 1. 35 2. 13 0. 624 2. 44 2. 85	0. 050 . 24 1. 50 0. 252 . 128 . 065 . 038 . 235 5. 52 0. 054 . 152	0. 013 . 068 . 051 . 060 . 120 . 038 1. 22 2. 12 14. 49 0. 029 20. 32 0. 023	0. 052 . 09 . 109 . 442 . 048 . 006 . 333 . 560 1. 98 0. 032 1. 98 0. 032	0. 006 . 03 . 014 . 032 . 010 <. 001 . 027 . 008 . 014 . 011 . 012 . 005	0. 002 . 080 . 007 . 009 . 012 . 011 . 002 . 750 . 050 . 004 . 010

SRM Nos.	Co	Ti	As	Sn	Al (Total)	Mg	N
3b							
4j 5k		0.05	0. 03				
5k 6f		0.028 0.063	. 027				0. 009 . 005
$^{\rm 6f}_{\rm 7g}$		. 003	. 032 . 014				. 003
55e	0. 007		. 007	0.007	0.002		. 004
82b		. 027					
107b 115a		. 016 . 020					. 008
122d		. 007	. 021				. 004
341		. 018				0.068	
342		. 019				. 053	

# 3.4. White Cast Irons (Solid Form)

These cast iron SRMs were prepared for use in analytical control by rapid instrumental methods. Although often employed in x-ray spectroscopic analysis, they are particularly useful for calibrating vacuum optical emission spectrometers because they permit the determination of carbon, phosphorus, and sulfur, in addition to the metallic elements.

These materials are furnished as chill-cast sections approximately 1½ in sq and ½ in thick. Details of the preparation and intended use of the standards are in the NBS Misc. Publ. 260-1, Preparation of NBS White Cast Iron Spectrochemical Standards by R. E. Michaelis and LeRoy L. Wyman. (See inside back cover for ordering instructions.)

(Values in parentheses are not certified, but are given for additional inf	formation on the composition.)	
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SRM Nos.	Kind	Price
1174 1175	White cast iron (special 1)	\$35. 00 35. 00

#### ANALYSES

SRM Nos.	С	Mn	P	S	Si	Cu	Ni	Cr	v	Мо	Ti
1174	3. 48	0. 175	0. 170	0. 168	0. 286	0. 171	0. 035	0. 018	0. 008	0. 008	0. 012
1175	1. 97	1. 64	. 652	. 017	3. 48	1. 50	2. 98	2. 43	. 221	1. 51	. 35

SRM Nos.	As	Sb	Sn	Co	Te	В	Bi	Zr	Pb	Al
1174 1175	0. 026 . 22	0. 19 . 020	0. 23 . 025	0. 009 . 11	0. 073 . 009	0. 040 . 005	(0. 008) (. 017)	(0. 01) (. 04)	(0. 01)	(0. 001)

# 3.5. Steel-Making Alloys

These SRMs provide materials of known composition for checking the performance of chemical methods of analysis for the major constituents and for selected minor elements covered by ASTM specifications. They are furnished as fine powders, sized to about 100 mesh or finer. A Certificate of Analyses accompanies each standard.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt. in grams	Price
57	Refined silicon	60	\$10. 00
64b		100	10. 00
66a		100	10. 00
71		60	10. 00
90		75	10. 00
172		100	10. 00

#### ANALYSES

SRM Nos.	C	Mn	P	s	SI	Мо	Ti	Al	Са
57 64b 66a	0. 087 4. 30 4. 39	0. 034 . 208 19. 77	0. 008 . 012 . 049	0. 005 . 062 . 021	96. 8 1. 42 2. 26		0. 10	0. 67	0. 73
71 90			26. 2			35. 3	. 06		
172	0. 234				3. 63			. 05	

#### ANALYSES—Continued

SRM Nos.	Fe	Cr	В	v	N	Cu	Ni	Zr	Mg
57 64b 71	0. 65	0. 025 68. 03		0. 15	0. 033	0. 02	0. 002	0. 025	0. 01
$1\overline{72}$			13. 68			~			

# 3.6. Nonferrous Alloys (Chip Form)

These SRMs provide materials of known composition for checking the performance of chemical methods of analysis The bearing-metal standard is furnished as approximately 60- to 200-mesh powder prepared by air-blowing a stream of molten metal. The aluminum-, magnesium-, and zinc-base alloys are furnished in the form of approximately 10- to 20-mesh chips. The remaining standards in the group are furnished as approximately 14- to 40-mesh chips prepared by cutting thin-wall castings or wrought bar stock. A Certificate of Analyses accompanies each material.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt. in grams	Price	SRM Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt. in grams	Price
85b 86c 87a	Aluminum alloy, wrought_ Aluminum alloy, casting Aluminum-silicon alloy	75	\$10. 00 10. 00 10. 00	168 349	Co41-Mo4-Nb3-Ta1-W4_ Nickel-base (Ni57-Co14- Cr20)	150 150	\$15. 00 15. 00
54d 37e 52c	Bearing metal, tin-base Brass, sheet Bronze, cast	170 150 150	15. 00 15. 00 15. 00	157a 162a	Nickel silver (Cu58- Ni12-Zn29) Monel-type (Ni64-Cu31)	135 150	15. 00 15. 00 15. 00
184 164a 124d	Bronze, leaded-tin Bronze, aluminum Bronze (Cu85-Pb5-Sn5-	150 150	15. 00 15. 00	169 171 94b	Ni77-Cr20 alloy Magnesium-base alloy Zinc-base die-casting	150 100	15. 00 10. 00
158a	Zn5) ounce metal Bronze, silicon	150 150	15. 00 15. 00		alloy	150	10. 00

#### ALUMINUM-BASE ALLOY ANALYSES

SRM Nos.	Cu	Mn	Si	Mg	Fe	Ti	Zn	Pb	v	Ga	Ni	Cr	Sn
85b 86c 87a	3. 99 7. 92 0. 30	0. 61 . 041 . 26	0. 18 . 68 6. 24	1. 49 0. 002 . 37	0. 24 . 90 . 61	0. 022 . 035 . 18	0. 030 1. 50 0. 16	0. 021 . 031 . 10	0. 006	0. 019	0. 084 . 030 . 57	0. 211 . 029 . 11	0. 05

#### COPPER-BASE ALLOY ANALYSES

SRM Nos.	Cu	Zn	Sn	Pb	Ni	Fe	Al	Mn
37e 52c 124d 158a 164a 184 157a	69. 61 89. 25 83. 60 90. 93 82. 25 88. 96 58. 61	27. 85 2. 12 5. 06 2. 08 0. 07 2. 69 29. 09	1. 00 7. 85 4. 56 0. 96 . 04 6. 38 0. 021	1. 00 0. 011 5. 20 0. 097 . 04 1. 44 0. 034	0. 53 . 76 . 99 . 001 3. 72 0. 50 11. 82	0. 004 . 004 . 18 1. 23 4. 05 0. 005 . 174	0. 46 9. 59	1. 11 0. 22

SRM Nos.	Sb	As	Ag	Si	s	Р	Со
52c 124d 158a 164a 184 157a	0. 17	0. 02	0. 02	3. 03 0. 03	0. 002	0. 001 . 02 . 26 . 009 . 009	<0. 01

					Co	BALT-E	BASE A	LLOY AN	ALY	sis						
SRM No.	Со	Ni	С	r	Мо	w		Nb	Т	'a	Fe	М	n		С	Р
168	41. 20	20. 2	25 20	33	3. 95	3.	95	2. 95	0	. 95	3. 43	1.	50		0. 37	0. 008
SRM No.	s	Si	C	u	V	Т	i		-							
168	0. 005	0.	80 0.	035	0. 03	0.	06									
					Magi	NESIUM	-Base	ALLOY A	NAL	YSIS						
SRM No.		Al		Zn		Mn		Si		Cu		Pb			Fe	Ni
171	2	98	1.	05		0. 45		0. 0118		0. 011		0. 00	033	0.	0018	0. 0009
					Nie	CKEL-B	ase A	LLOY An	ALYS	s <b>e</b> s						
SRM Nos.	Ni		Cu	Mn		Si	Co	Fe		Cr	A		Т	i	С	S
169 162a 349	77, 26 63, 98 57, 18	5   8	0. 015 30. 61 0. 006	0. 07 1. 60 0. 43	)	1. 42 0. 93 . 29	0. 19 . 07 13. 95		19	20. 26 0. 042 19. 50		095 50 23		006 005 05	0. 043 . 079 . 08	
SRM Nos.	Р	-	Zr	V	,	Ca		N	1	Mo	w	.	В		Nb	Та
									-		- "		ъ			l a
169 349	0. 00	2	0. 042		018	0. (		0. 031	-	4. 04	< 0.	01	0. 00	)46	<0. 01	<0.01
					7	Γιν-Ba	se Ali	OY ANAI	LYSI	s						
SRM No.	Pk	,	Sn		Sb		Bi	Cu		Fe		As			Ag	Ni
54d	(	0. 62 88. 57 7. 04				1	0. 044	3.	62	0. 0	27	0. (	088	(	0. 0032	0. 0027
				$\mathbf{Z}_{1}$	inc-Ba	se Die	E-CAST	ING ALLO	oy A	NALYSIS						
SRM No.	A		Cu		Mg		Fe	Mn		Pb		Ni			Sn	Cd
94b	4	. 07	1. (	)1	0. 04:	2	0. 018	0. (	)14	0. 0	06	0. (	006		0. 006	0. 002

# 3.7. Copper-Base Alloys (Solid Form)

Several groups of copper-base alloy standards have been prepared to provide for analytical control by rapid instrumental methods in the copper industry. These standards are intended primarily for calibration of optical emission and x-ray spectroscopic equipment, and have been prepared in chill-cast form for the producer, and wrought form for the consumer—both forms having identical (or nearly identical) composition. Seven principal copper-base alloys are covered by a "nominal-composition" together with a low- and a high-composition standard. To make the standards more widely applicable, a number of trace elements were purposely added to the cartridge brass series, and these have been certified. Three beryllium copper standards have been prepared to be representative of the nominal composition for CABRA alloys 165–170, 25–172, and 10–175, respectively.

The materials are furnished in two basic forms: (1) unidirectional chill-cast samples (C1100 series) in the form of

The materials are furnished in two basic forms: (1) unidirectional chill-cast samples (C1100 series) in the form of solid sections 1¼ in sq, ¾ in thick, and (2) wrought material (either forged or hot-extruded) in the form of disks 1¼ in in diameter, ¾ in thick (1100 series). Details on the preparation and use of the seven principal copper-base alloys are given in NBS Misc. Publ. 260-2, Preparation of NBS Copper-Base Spectrochemical Standards by R. E. Michaelis, LeRoy L. Wyman, and Richard Flitsch. Methods of chemical analyses employed at NBS for these alloys are described in NBS Misc. Publ. 260-7 by R. K. Bell. The beryllium copper standards were prepared similar to the other copper-base alloys.

Further details on the analysis, where different, will appear in a subsequent 260 series publication.

(Values in parentheses are not certified, but are given for additional information on the composition.)

SRI	M Nos.	Kind	Price	SRM	1 Nos.	Kind	Price
1101 1102	C1100 C1101 C1102	Cartridge Brass A Cartridge Brass B Cartridge Brass C	\$35. 00 35. 00 35. 00	1112 1113 1114	C1112 C1113 C1114	Gilding Metal AGilding Metal BGilding Metal C	\$35. 00 35. 00 35. 00
1103 1104 1105	C1103 C1104 C1105	Free-Cutting Brass AFree-Cutting Brass BFree-Cutting Brass C		1115 1116 1117	C1115 C1116 C1117	Commercial Bronze A	35. 00 35. 00 35. 00
1106 1107 1108	C1106 C1107 C1108	Naval Brass A Naval Brass B Naval Brass C	35. 00 35. 00 35. 00	1118 1119 1120	C1118 C1119 C1120	Aluminum Brass AAluminum Brass BAluminum Brass C	35. 00 35. 00 35. 00
1109 1110 1111	C1109 C1110 C1111	Red Brass A	35. 00 35. 00 35. 00	1121 1122 1123	C1121 C1122 C1123	Beryllium Copper CABRA alloy 165–170 Beryllium Copper CABRA alloy 25–172 Beryllium Copper CABRA alloy 10–175	45. 00 45. 00 45. 00

# ANALYSES

SRM Nos.		Cu	Zn	Pb	Fe	Sn	Ni	Al	Sb	As
	C1100	67, 43	32, 20	0. 106	0.072	0, 055	0. 052	0. 008	0, 018	0, 019
1101		69. 60	30. 26	. 05	. 037	. 016	. 013	. 0006	. 012	. 009
	C1101	69, 50	30, 34	. 05	. 037	. 016	. 013	. 0006	. 012	. 009
1102	C1102	72, 85	27. 10	. 020	. 011	. 006	. 005	. 0007	. 005	. 004
1103		59. 27	35, 7	3, 73	. 26	. 88	. 16			. 001
	C1103	59. 19	35. 7	3, 81	. 26	. 88	. 16			
1104	C1104	61. 33	35. 3	2, 76	. 090	. 43	. 071			
1105		63. 7	34. 0	2. 0	. 044	. 21	. 043			
	C1105	63, 72	34. 0	2, 01	. 044	. 21	. 043			
1106	C1106	59. 08	40, 08	0.032	. 004	. 74	. 025			
1107	C1107	61, 21	37, 34	. 18	. 037	1.04	. 098			
	C1108	64, 95	34, 42	. 063	. 050	0.39	. 033			
1109		82, 2	17. 4	. 075	. 053	. 10	. 10			
	C1109	82, 22	17, 43	. 075	. 053	. 10	. 10			
1110	C1110	84, 59	15, 20	. 033	. 033	. 051	. 053			
1111	C1111	87. 14	12. 81	. 013	. 010	. 019	. 022			
1112	C1112	93, 38	6, 30	. 057	. 070	. 12	. 100			
1113	C1113	95, 03	4. 80	. 026	. 043	. 064	. 057			
	C1114	96, 45	3, 47	. 012	. 017	. 027	. 021			
	C1115	87. 96	11. 73	. 013	. 13	. 10	. 074			
	C1116	90, 37	9, 44	. 042	. 046	. 044	. 048			
	C1117	93. 01	6, 87	. 069	. 014	. 021	. 020			
1118		75. 1	21. 9	. 025	. 065			2. 80	. 010	. 007
	C1118	75, 07	21. 91	. 024	. 068			2. 80	. 010	. 007
1119		77. 1	20. 5	. 050	. 030			2. 14	. 050	. 040
	C1119	77. 12	20. 53	. 051	. 032			2. 14	. 053	. 040
1120		80. 1	18. 1	. 105	. 015			1. 46	. 100	. 090
	C1120	80. 14	18. 10	. 105	. 015			1. 46	. 104	. 088
1121		97. 49	(0.01)	(.002)	. 085	. 01	. 012	0. 07		
	C1121	97. 46	(, 01)	(.002)	. 085	. 01	. 012	. 07		
	C1122	97. 45	(.01)	(. 003)	. 16	(.01)	(.01)	. 17		
	C1123	97. 10	. 01	(.001)	. 04	(. 01)	(.01)	. 02		
		211 20		()		(. 5-)	( = )			

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SRM	Nos.	Be	Bi	Cd	Mn	P	Si	Ag	Те	Со	Cr
1101 1102 1103	C1100 C1101 C1102 C1103	0. 0015 . 00055 . 00003	0. 0010 . 0004 . 0005	0. 013 . 0055 . 0045	0. 003 . 0055 . 0045	0. 010 . 0020 . 0048 . 003	(0. 010) (. 005) (. 002)	0. 019 . 003 . 0010	0. 0035 . 0015 . 0003		
1104 1105 1106 1107	C1104 C1105 C1106 C1107				. 005	. 005					
1108 1109 1110	C1108 C1109 C1110				. 025	. 006					
$\begin{array}{c c} 1111 \\ 1112 \\ 1113 \\ 1114 \end{array}$	C1111 C1112 C1113 C1114					. 009 . 008					
1115 1116 1117 1118	C1115 C1116 C1117					0.00					
1119 1120	C1118 C1119 C1120					. 125 . 070 . 018	. 0021 . 0015 . 0011				
1121 1122 1123	C1121 C1122 C1123	1. 89 1. 92 1. 75 0. 46			(. 004) (. 004) (. 004) (. 002)	(. 005) (. 005) (. 004) (. 002)	. 11 . 11 . 17 . 03	(. 005) (. 005) (. 005) (. 009)		. 295	(0. 002 (. 002 (. 002 (. 001

# 3.8. High Temperature Alloys (Solid Form)

High temperature alloy standards have been prepared to meet the critical needs of industry and government, particularly the Department of Defense and the aerospace industries, for alloys of this type. These standards are useful in instrument calibration, primarily for optical emission and x-ray spectroscopic methods of analysis.

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Some samples are issued in the wrought form (1184, 1185, 1193, 1194, and 1195); some as disks 1¼ inches in diameter and ¾ in thick; and others in chill-cast form (1190, 1204, and 1205) as sections 1¼ inches sq. and ¾ in thick.

(Values in parentheses are not certified, but are given for additional information on the composition.)

SRM Nos.	Kind	Price	SRM Nos.	Kind	Price
1184	19-9DL	\$35, 00	1194	A 286	\$35, 00
1185		35, 00	1195	Disealoy 24	35, 00
1190		35, 00	1204	Inco 713-B	35, 00
1193		35, 00	1205	Inco 713-C	35, 00

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SRM Nos.	С	Mn	Si	Cr	Ni	Со	Мо	W	Nb
1184 1185 1190 1193 1194 1195 1204 1205	(0. 25) . 11 (. 10) . 004 . 081 . 006 (. 03) (. 19)	1. 04 1. 22 0. 61 . 65 . 67 . 38 . 41 . 29	0. 70 . 40 . 22 . 110 . 71 1. 11 0. 56 . 63	19. 44 17. 09 17. 00 11. 95 16. 35 13. 83 12. 75 13. 82	9. 47 13. 18 51. 9 28. 35 24. 06 26. 07 70. 6 67. 5	19. 1	1. 46 2. 01 3. 80 1. 47 1. 27 2. 97 4. 28 5. 75	1. 39 0. 08 	0. 49 <. 001 <. 01 1. 31 1. 95

SRM Nos.	Ti	Al	Fe	Р	S	Cu	Та	Zr	v	В
1184 1185 1190 1193 1194 1195 1204 1205	0. 056 <. 001 3. 57 3. 0 1. 45 1. 28 0. 63 . 36	2. 83 0. 21 . 39 . 074 5. 60 6. 68	(0. 6) 54, 2 51, 3 54, 0 (3, 1) (1, 55)	0. 015 . 019 . 003 . 011 . 016	0. 012 . 016 . 030 . 008 . 008	0. 067 . 093 . 103 . 047 . 016 . 12 . 056		0. 11 . 006 . 026 . 004 . 12 . 46	0. 051 . 32 . 45	0. 0023 . 0090 . 0043

#### 3.9. Nickel Oxides

Three nickel oxide standards are available primarily for application in the electronics industry to the analysis of eathode grade nickel. The ASTM Standard Method for Spectrochemical Analysis of Thermionic Nickel Alloys by the Powder-D-C Arc Technique (E129) is based on ealibration with these standards. The values given are for the percentage of the element in nickle oxide.

SRM Nos.	Kind												
671 672 673	Nickel oxide 1 Nickel oxide 2 Nickel oxide 3												
				Analy	SES								
SRM Nos.	Co	Cu	Fe	Mg	Mn	Si	Ti	Al	Cr				
671 672 673	0. 31 . 55 . 016	0. 20 . 018 . 002	0. 39 . 079 . 029	0. 030 . 020 . 003	0. 13 . 095 . 0037	0. 047 . 11 . 006	0. 024 . 009 . 003	0. 009 . 004 . 001	0. 025 . 003 . 0003				

# 3.10. Tin Metal (Solid Form)

This tin metal SRM has been prepared primarily for the tin-plate industry; it is useful for the calibration of optical emission spectroscopic equipment by the "point-to-point" technique. It is furnished as rods ¼ in in diameter and 4 in long with a provisional Certificate of Analysis.

SRM No.		Kind											
432	Tin B	n B											
	Analysis												
SRM No.	M No. Cu Pb As Sb Ni Zn Ag Bi Cd												
432	0. 097	097         0.094         0.075         0.095         0.020         0.020         0.0095         0.0098         0.0095											

# 3.11. Titanium-Base Alloys

A number of titanium-base alloy standard reference materials, primarily for the aerospace industries, are available for analytical control and equipment calibration purposes. Included are materials intended for chemical analysis, for spectroscopic analysis, and for vacuum fusion analysis.

Titanium-base alloy standards 173a, 174, and 176 are furnished in 100-g portions as chips sized between 16 and 35 mesh sieves, and are intended to furnish material of known composition to check the accuracy of chemical methods of analysis of these alloys. Standards 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 653, and 654 are furnished in the forms of disks 1¼ in in diameter ¾ in thick, and are intended as calibration materials for optical emission and x-ray spectroscopic methods of analysis of similar materials. Standards 352, 353, and 354 are furnished in 20-g portions of ¼ in square cut from a sheet about 0.05 in thick, and are intended to check methods for the determination of hydrogen only.

SRMs 355 and 356 provide material of known composition primarily for the determination of oxygen by vaucum fusion or inert gas fusion. The materials are supplied in rods approximately ½ in in diameter and 2 in long. (Note that a group of ferrous materials, section 3.2.5, page 9, SRMs 1041, 1090, 1091, and 1092, also are available for the determination of oxygen.)

#### 3.11.1. Titanium-Base Materials (Chip Form)

SRM Nos.	Kind Approx. wt. 100 g)	Price	SRM No.	Kind (Approx. wt. 100 g)	Price
173a 174	6Al-4V	\$15. 00 15. 00	176	5Al-2.5Sn	\$15. 00

#### ANALYSES

SRM Nos.	Al	v	Mn	Fe	Si	Мо	С	N	Sn	Cu
173a 174 176	6. 47 4. 27 5. 16	4. 06	4. 57 0. 0008	0. 15 . 175 . 070	0. 037 . 015	0. 005	0. 025	0. 018 . 012 . 010	2. 47	0. 002

#### 3.11.2. Titanium-Base Materials (Solid Form)

SRM Nos.	Kind (disks)	Price	SRM Nos.	Kind (disks)	Price
641 642 643 644	8Mn (A) 8Mn (B) 8Mn (C)	\$25. 00 25. 00 25. 00 25. 00	645 646 653 654	2Cr-2Fe-2Mo (C) 6A1-4V (A)	\$25. 00 25. 00 25. 00 25. 00

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SRM Nos.	Mn	Cr	Fe	Мо	Al	V
641 642 643 644 645 646 653 654	6, 68 9, 08 11, 68	1. 03 1. 96 3. 43	1, 36 2, 07 2, 14	3. 61 2. 38 1. 11	7. 25 6. 03	2. 58 3. 83

### 3.11.3. Titanium-Base Materials (For Oxygen and Hydrogen)

SRM Nos.	Kind	Oxygen, ppm	Hydrogen, percent	Price
352 353 354 355 356	Unalloyed titanium for hydrogen Unalloyed titanium for hydrogen Unalloyed titanium for hydrogen Unalloyed  Alloy, 6Al-4V		0. 0032 . 0098 . 0215	\$20. 00 20. 00 20. 00 20. 00 20. 00

# 3.12. Zirconium-Base Alloys

Several zirconium-base standard reference materials of particular importance to the field of atomic energy have been prepared and are available for analytical control and instrumental calibration. A number of trace elements at the parts-per-million level critical to the application of zirconium metal and Zircaloy-2 have been certified in these standards. Standard 360a is furnished in the form of chips (18- to 40-mesh) to check chemical methods of analysis for Zircaloy-2. Standards 1210, 1211, 1214, and 1215 are furnished as wrought disks 1¼ in in diameter and ¾ in. thick, to provide material of known composition for the calibration of optical emission and x-ray spectroscopic methods of analysis for zirconium metal (SRM Nos. 1210 and 1211) and Zircaloy-2 (SRM Nos. 1214 and 1215).

(Values in parentheses are not certified, but are given for additional information on the composition.)

SRM No.					Ki	nd					Price
360a	Zircaloy-2										\$30. 00
					Ana	LYSIS					
SRM No.	Sn	Fe	Cr	N	Cu	Mn	U	Ti	Si	С	N
360a	% 1. 42	%     1. 42     1441     1060     554     140     ppm     ppm     ppm     ppm     ppm     ppm     ppm     ppm     51     136									ppm 43
						1					
SRM Nos.		Kind Price SRM Kind Nos.									Price
$1210 \\ 1211$		irconium metal A						2 E 2 F			\$60.00 60.00

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SRM					Parts	per milli	on						Percent			
Nos.	Al	В	Cr	Cu	Mn	Мо	Ni	Si	Ti	U	w	Sn	Cr	Fe	Ni	
1210 1211 1214 1215	(60) (90)	(<0. 25)	95 95	10 44 55 140	(5) (7) 38	22 30 (100)	8 26	(30) (100) (120) (350)	26 50 (50)	1. 8 2. 3 45 9	(4) (40) (40)	1. 60 0. 95	0. 108 . 190	0. 25 . 102 . 067 . 259	0. 051	

# 3.13. Zinc-Base Die-Casting Alloys and Zinc Spelter (Solid Form)

These standards are intended for instrument calibration by optical emission spectroscopic methods of analysis primarily for ASTM alloys AG40A and AC41A. The materials are supplied as bar segments 1% in square and % in thick. They were prepared by a continuous chill-casting process. The certified portion of each standard is that part included between  $\%_6$  in and  $\%_6$  in from each side of the square sample. The center core,  $\%_6$  in square; and the outer portion,  $\%_6$  in from the outer surface, are parts which may differ in composition for some elements from the certified portion, and should not be used.

A Certificate of Analysis supplied with the standard gives the chemical composition determined at the National Bureau of Standards, and all except the spelter include values obtained by outside laboratories cooperating in the certifi-

cation of the standards.

(Values in parentheses are not certified, but are given for additional information on the composition.)

SR M Nos.		Kii	nd		Price	SRM Nos.		Kind			
625 626 627 628	Zinc-base	B C			\$25.00 25.00 25.00 25.00	629 630 631	Zinc-ba Zinc-ba Zinc sp	\$25.00 25.00 25.00			
					Anal	YSES					
SRM Nos.	Cu	Al	Mg	Fe	Pb	Cd	Sn	Cr	Mn	Ni	Si
625 626 627 628 629 630 631	0. 034 . 056 . 132 . 611 1. 50 0. 976 . 0013	3. 06 3. 56 3. 88 4. 59 5. 15 4. 30 0. 50	0.070 .020 .030 .0094 .094 .030 (<.001)	0. 036 . 103 . 023 . 066 . 017 . 023 . 005	0. 0014 . 0022 . 0082 . 0045 . 0135 . 0083 (. 001)	0.0007 .0016 .0051 .0040 .0155 .0048 .0002	0.0006 .0012 .0042 .0017 .012 .0040 .0001	0. 0128 . 0395 . 0038 . 0087 . 0008 . 0031 . 0001	0. 031 . 048 . 014 . 0091 . 0017 . 0106 . 00015	0.0184 .047 .0029 .030 .0075 .0027 (<.0005)	$\begin{array}{c} 0.017 \\ .042 \\ .021 \\ .009 \\ .078 \\ .022 \\ (<.002) \end{array}$

SRM No.	In	Ga	Са	Ag	Ge		
631	0.0023	(0.002)	(<0.001)	(<0.0005)	(0,0002)		

# 3.14. Ores

These materials of known composition are intended for use in checking the accuracy of assay methods. They are certified for the element(s) of economic interest, and occasionally have additional data given as a matter of information. This group is furnished in the form of fine powders, usually passing a 100-mesh or finer sieve.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt. in grams	Price	SRM Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt.	Price
69a 27e 28a 181 182	Bauxite	50 100 50 45 45 45	\$10.00 10.00 5.00 10.00 10.00	25c 120a 138 113	Manganese orePhosphate rock Tin ore (N.E.I. concentrate) Zinc ore (Tri-State concentrate)	100 45 50 50	\$10.00 10.00 10.00

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SRM Nos.	Kind	Elements certified
27e 28a 181 182 183 25c 138 113	Iron, Sibley	Fe, 66.58; P, 0.042; SiO <sub>2</sub> , 3.65 Mn, 0.435 Li <sub>2</sub> O, 6.4 Li <sub>2</sub> O, 4.3 Li <sub>2</sub> O, 4.1 Mn, 57.85; available O <sub>2</sub> , 16.70 Sn, 74.8 Zn, 61.1

SRM Nos.	SiO <sub>2</sub>	Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	TiO <sub>2</sub>	ZrO	MnO	P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	CaO	BaO	MgO
69a 120a	6.0	$55.0 \\ 0.94$	5.8 1.00	$\frac{2.8}{0.12}$	0.18	<0.01	0.08 34.4	0.05	$0.29 \\ 50.3$	0.01	0.02

SRM Nos.	Na <sub>2</sub> O	K <sub>2</sub> O	SO <sub>3</sub>	F	CO <sub>2</sub>	Loss on ignition
69a 120a	<0.01	<0.01	0.04	3.92	3.18	29.55

# 3.15. Cements

These materials are furnished as standards for x-ray spectroscopic analysis and for chemical analysis of cements and related materials. Because these materials are hygroscopic, each unit consists of three sealed vials each containing approximately 5 g of material.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Price	SRM Nos.	Kind	Price
1011 1013 1014	Portland cement Portland cement Portland cement	\$10.00 10.00 10.00	1015 1016	Portland cementPortland cement	\$10.00 10.00

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SRM Nos.	SiO <sub>2</sub>	Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	F <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	TiO <sub>2</sub>	P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	CaO (+SrO)	SrO	MgO	SO <sub>3</sub>	Mn <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	Na <sub>2</sub> O	K <sub>2</sub> O	Loss on ignition
1011	21. 03	5. 38	2. 07	0. 25	0. 33	66. 60	0. 11	1. 12	1. 75	0. 03	. 24	0. 26	1. 13
1013	24. 17	3. 30	3. 07	. 20	. 20	64. 34	. 08	1. 39	1. 80	. 05		. 32	0. 99
1014	19. 49	6. 38	2. 50	. 25	. 32	63. 36	. 26	2. 80	2. 70	. 07		. 99	. 81
1015	20. 65	5. 04	3. 27	. 26	. 05	61. 48	. 11	4. 25	2. 28	. 06		. 87	1. 70
1016	21. 05	4. 97	3. 71	. 34	. 13	65. 26	. 25	0. 42	2. 27	. 04		. 04	1. 20

# 3.16. Ceramic Materials

This group of standards is supplied in the form of powders, usually 100 mesh or finer. They are inteded to provide materials for checking the accuracy of methods used in the analysis of similar materials, primarily in the glass, ceramics, and steel industries. Note that Silica brick No. 102 is a density sample with density of 2.33 g/cm³ at 25 °C.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt. in grams	Price	SRM Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt. in grams	Price
1b 70a	Limestone, argillaceous Feldspar, potash	50 40	\$12. 00 10. 00	99a 102	Feldspar, soda Silica brick	40 60	\$10. 00 10. 00
77	Burned refractory (60% Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> )	60	10. 00	103a 104	Chrome refractory Burned magnesite	60 60	10. 00 10. 00
78	Burned refractory (70% Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> ) Limestone, dolomitic	60 50	10. 00 12. 00	112 154a	Silicon carbide Titanium dioxide	85 40	10. 00 10. 00
88a 89 91	Glass, lead-barium Glass, opal	45 45	12. 00 10. 00 10. 00	198 199	Silica refractory $(0.2\%$ Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> ) Silica refractory $(0.5\%$	45	10. 00
92 93	Glass, low boron Glass, high boron	45 45	10. 00 10. 00	155	Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> )	45	10. 00

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SRM Nos.	Kind	SiO <sub>2</sub>	Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	FeO	TiO <sub>2</sub>	ZrO <sub>2</sub>	MnO	P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>
77 78 103a 198 199	Alumina refractory	32. 4 20. 7 4. 6	59. 4 70. 0 29. 96 0. 16 . 48	0. 90 . 79 . 66 . 74	12. 43	2. 9 3. 4 0. 22 . 02 . 06	0. 09 . 12 . 01 <. 01 . 01	0. 11 <. 01 <. 01	0. 45 . 62 . 01 . 02 . 01

SRM Nos.	Kind	V <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	CaO	MgO	Li <sub>2</sub> O	Na <sub>2</sub> O	K <sub>2</sub> O	Loss on ignition
77 78 103a 198 199	Alumina refractory	0. 03 . 05	32. 06	0. 26 . 38 . 69 2. 71 2. 41	0. 50 . 51 18. 54 0. 07 . 13	0. 35 . 20 . 001 . 002	0. 06 . 06 . 01 . 01	2. 11 2. 83 0. 02 . 09	0. 21 . 26 . 21 . 17

# GLASS ANALYSES

SRM Nos.	Kind	SiO <sub>2</sub>	PbO	Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	ZnO	MnO	TiO <sub>2</sub>	ZrO <sub>2</sub>	CaO	BaO	Loss on ignition
89 91 93	Lead-barium Opal High-boron	65. 35 67. 53 80. 60	17. 50 0. 097	0. 18 6. 01 1. 94	0. 049 . 081 . 076	0. 08	0. 088	0. 01 . 019 . 027	0. 005 . 01 . 013	0. 21 10. 48	1. 40	0. 32

SRM Nos.	Kind	MgO	K2O	Na <sub>2</sub> O	B <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	As <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	As <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	SO <sub>3</sub>	Cl	F
89 91 92	Lead-barium Opal Low-boron	0. 03 . 008	8. 40 3. 25	5. 70 8. 48	0. 70	0. 23 . 022	0. 36 . 102	0. 03 . 091	0. 03	0. 05 . 014	5. 72
93	High-boron	. 026	0. 16	4. 16	12. 76		. 14	. 085	. 009	. 036	

# FELDSPAR, LIMESTONE, SILICA BRICK, BURNED MAGNESITE AND TITANIUM DIOXIDE ANALYSES

SRM Nos.		Kind		SiO <sub>2</sub>	Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	TiC	D <sub>2</sub> Mr	10 Ca	.0	SrO	MgO
1b 70a 88a 99a 102 104 154a	Feldspar, po Limestone, o Feldspar, so Silica brick Burned mag	otashdolomitic da ;nesite		67. 1 1. 20 65. 2 93. 94 2. 54	. 075 . 28 . 065 . 66	1. 12 17. 9 0. 19 20. 5 1. 96 0. 84	. 00	$egin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{bmatrix} 0.\\ 30.\\ 2.\\ 2. \end{bmatrix}$	11	0. 14	0. 36 21. 3 . 21 85. 67
SRM Nos.		Kind		Na <sub>2</sub> O	K <sub>2</sub> O	BaO	Rb <sub>2</sub> O	P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	C O <sub>2</sub>	Loss on ignition	1	Density
1b 70a 88a 99a 102	Feldspar, po	otashdolomitic da		2. 55 0. 01 6. 2	0. 25 11. 8 0. 12 5. 2 . 32 . 015	0. 02	0. 06	0. 08 . 01 . 025 . 057	40. 4	41. 1 0. 40 46. 7 . 26 0. 38	2.3	38 g/cm <sup>3</sup> 25 °C.
	SILICON CARBIDE ANALYSIS											
SRM No.	Total Si	Total C	Free C	SiC	Fe	Al		Ti	Zr	C	a	Mg
112	69. 11	29. 10	0. 09	96. 85	0. 45	0	0. 23	0. 025	0. 027	0.	03	0. 02

# 3.17. Hydrocarbon Blends

These standard hydrocarbon blends were prepared for calibration of mass spectrometric and other instrumental procedures used in the analysis of gasolines, naphthas, and blending stocks. Each SRM comprises ten ampoules, each ampoule containing about 0.03 ml of the blend. To retard the effects of possible fractionation of the components after the ampoule is opened, each ampoule is intended to provide material for only one calibration analysis. For the individual components present in the mixtures in the amount of 10 percent or less, the limits of error in composition are not greater than  $\pm 0.01$  percent and for components present in over 10 percent, the limits of error are not greater than  $\pm 0.10$  percent. The composition of each blend is given in volume percent. A certificate is supplied with each of these samples.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Unit of issue	Price
592 593 594 595 596 597 598 599	Blend no. 1. C <sub>7</sub> Paraffins in typical virgin naphthas	10 ampoules 10 amp	\$12. 00 12. 00 12. 00 12. 00 12. 00 12. 00 12. 00

SRM Nos.	592	593	594	595	596	597	598	599
Blend No.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
n-Heptane	23 16 4	17 25 30						
2,3-Dimethylpentane	_ 5	20 8						
n-Octane			39 19	12 25				
3-Methylheptane 4-Methylheptane 3-Ethylhexane 3-Ethylhexane 4-Methylhexane 4-Meth			8 3	23 8 3				
2,3-Dimethylhexane 2,4-Dimethylhexane 2,5-Dimethylhexane				9 5 9				
3,4-Dimethylhexane Methylcyclohexane Ethylcyclopentane					57 9	32 14		
1,1-Dimethylcyclopentane	-				4 14	30		
1,trans-3-Dimethylcyclopentane Ethylcyclohexane 1,trans-2-Dimethylcyclohexane	-				16	21	20 18	17
1, cis-3-Dimethyleyclohexane 1, trans-4-Dimethyleyclohexane 1-Methyl-cis-2-ethyleyclopentane							25 11 7	19 14 20
1,1,3-Trimethylcyclopentane 1,trans-2-cis-3-Trimethylcyclopentane 1,trans-2-cis-4-Trimethylcyclopentane							5 9 5	4 6 13

# 3.18. Metallo-Organic Compounds

This group of standards is intended to provide oil-soluble materials of known and reproducible composition. Possession of an adequate collection will permit preparation of any desired blend of known concentration in any appropriate lubricating oil. It has been prepared primarily for the transportation industry and the defense program for the analysis of lubricating oils to determine wear of engine parts. Details of the selection, preparation, and analysis of the compounds can be found in National Bureau of Standards Monograph 54, Analytical Standards for Trace Elements in Petroleum Products (1962). A certificate is supplied with each standard giving the amount of the element of interest present, and directions for the preparation of a solution of known concentration in lubricating oil.

RM Nos.	Kind (approximate wt. 5 grams)	Constituents determined	%	Price
1075a	Aluminum 2-ethylhexanoate	Al	7. 5	\$15.
1051a	Barium cyclohexanebutyrate	Ba	29. 1	15.
1063a	Menthyl borate	B	2.4	15.
1053	Cadmium cyclohexanebutyrate	Cd	24. 0	15.
1074a	Calcium 2-ethylhexanoate	Ca	12. 5	15.
1078a	Tris(1-phenyl-1,3-butanediono)chromium (III)	Cr	9. 6	15.
1055a	Cobalt cyclohexanebutyrate	l Co	17. 4	15.
1080	Bis(1-phenyl-1,3-butanediono) copper (II)	Cu	16. 5	15.
1079a	Tris(1-phenyl-1,3-butanediono)iron (III)	Fe	10. 3	15.
1059a	Lead cyclohexanebutyrate	Pb	36. 9	15.
1060a	Lithium cyclohexanebutyrate	Li		15.
1061a	Magnesium cyclohexanebutyrate			15.
1062a	Manganous cyclohexanebutyrate			15.
1064	Mercuric cyclohexanebutyrate			15.
1065b	Nickel cyclohexanebutyrate	Ni	16.8	15.
1071a	Triphenyl phosphate	P	9. 5	15.
1066	Octaphenylcyclotetrasiloxane			15.
1076	Potassium erucate	K	10 1	15.
1077	Silver 2-ethylhexanoate			15.
1069a	Sodium cyclohexanebutyrate	Na	11 0	15.
1009a 1070a	Strontium cyclohexanebutyrate			15.
1070a 1057a	Dibutyltin bis(2-ethylhexanoate)			15.
1057a 1052a	Pig(1 phone) 1.2 buttonedione) and the (IV)	V	12 1	15.
1052a 1073a	Bis(1-phenyl-1,3-butanediono) oxovanadium (IV) Zinc cyclohexanebutyrate	Zn	16.7	15.

### 3.19. Microchemical Standards

This group of materials is furnished as fine crystals of suitable homogeneity for use as standards in the conventional microchemical methods of analysis employing samples of approximately 5 mg.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Constituents determined or intended use	Approx. wt.	Price
140b 141b 142 143b 147	Benzoic acid Acetanilide Anisic acid Cystinc Triphenyl phosphate	C, H N, C, H Methoxyl S, C, H, N	2 2 2 2 2 2	\$9. 00 9. 00 9. 00 11. 00 9. 00

# 3.20. Chemicals

#### 3.20.1. Primary Chemicals

These chemicals are primary standards. The sucrose and dextrose, standards 17 and 41, are useful in the assay of sugar-containing materials. The remaining standards are furnished for the preparation or standardization of solutions used in titrimetric methods of chemical analysis.

SRM Nos.	Kin	Approx. wt. in grams	Price	
17 41 40g 83c 84h 136b 350 950a	$\begin{array}{c} \text{Sucrose (cane sugar)}\\ \text{Dextrose (glucose)}\\ \text{Sodium oxalate}\\ \text{Arsenic trioxide}\\ \text{Acid potassium phthalate}\\ \text{Potassium diehromate}\\ \text{Benzoic acid}\\ \text{Uranium oxide ($U_3O_8$)}\\ \end{array}$	Oxidimetric value Oxidimetric value Acidimetric value Oxidimetric value Acidimetric value Acidimetric value	60 75 60 60	\$6. 00 6. 00 6. 00 6. 50 6. 00 6. 00 7. 50

SRM Nos.	Kind	Purity on basis of titration
40g 83c 84h 136b 350 950a	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Percent 99. 95 99. 99 99. 99 99. 98 99. 98 99. 94

SRM Nos.	Kind	Moisture, percent	Reducing substances, percent	Ash, percent
17	Sucrose	<0.01	<0.02	0. 003
41	Dextrose	< .01		. 003

# 3.20.2. Intermediate Purity Chemicals

This group of materials is intended to bridge the gap between commercial materials available in bulk and materials available in primary or purer grades. They should prove useful to the small research laboratory or individual engaged in purification, as a characterized starting material. Such materials are also useful in analytical procedures when a high-purity primary grade is neither necessary nor available.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Constituents determined or intended use	Approx. wt.	Price
726	Selenium	Limits for Al, As, B, Ca, Cr, Cu, halogens, Fc, Pb, Mg, Mn, Mo, Ni, Ag, S, Te, Tl, Sn, Be, Bi, Cd,	1 lb	\$40.00
727	Rubidium chloride	In, and V. Isotopic ratio, assay	1. 0 g	20, 00

# 3.21. Special Nuclear Materials

This group of standards consists of a plutonium metal standard issued to check chemical methods of assay, a plutonium sulfate isotopic standard with an isotopic analysis by mass spectrometry and intended for the calibration of such instruments, and a group of 16 uranium oxide isotopic standards ranging from 0.5% U-235 to 93.27% U-235. Certificates of Analysis giving isotopic percentage determined by mass spectrometry are furnished and the standards are intended to serve as calibration materials for the standardization of mass spectrometers.

Standards are available to AEC contractors, AEC or State licensees, and forcign governments which have entered an Agreement for Cooperation with the U.S. Government concerning the Civil Uses of Atomic Energy. The purchase request for these standards must be made on special forms obtainable from the National Bureau of Standards, Office of Standard Reference Materials, Washington, D.C. 20234.

SRM No.	Kind		Unit	Price
		Plutonium content	Pu	
949b	Plutonium metal	99. 99%	0. 5g	\$88. 00

SRM Nos.	Kind		Isotopic abundance (wt. %)					Price
		Pu-238	Pu-239	Pu-240	Pu-241	Pu-242	Pu	
948	Plutonium sulfate hydrate	0. 011	91. 417	7. 911	0. 628	0. 033	0. 25	\$40.00
	Uranium cxide U3O8		U-234	U-235	U-236	U-238	U	
U-005 U-010 U-015 U-020 U-030 U-050 U-100 U-150	U-235-depleted		. 012 . 018 . 028 . 0666	0. 483 . 991 1. 51 2. 01 3. 01 4. 95 10. 075 15. 143	0. 0046 . 0067 . 016 . 016 . 020 . 048 . 038 . 0656	99. 51 98. 99 98. 47 97. 96 96. 95 94. 98 89. 821 84. 693	1. 0   1.	20. 50 20. 50 20. 50 21. 00 21. 00 21. 00 22. 00 23. 00
U-200 U-350 U-500 U-750 U-800 U-850 U-900 U-930	U-235-enriched U-235-enriched U-235-enriched U-235-enriched U-235-enriched U-235-enriched U-235-enriched U-235-enriched		. 1225 . 2467 . 5 26 . 5580 . 6519	19. 811 34. 903 49. 383 75. 129 80. 088 84. 988 90. 098 93. 276	. 2103 . 1667 . 0754 . 2502 . 2450 . 3713 . 3337 . 2034	79. 856 64. 684 50. 029 24. 033 19. 015 14. 001 8. 795 5. 445	1. 0 1. 0 1. 0 1. 0 1. 0 1. 0 1. 0	23. 50 26. 50 29. 00 33. 50 34. 50 35. 00 36. 00 37. 50

# 3.22. Isotopic Reference Standards

Standard reference materials for chlorine, copper, bromine, silver, chromium, and magnesium are natural-ratio materials furnished in 0.25 g units with a certificate of isotopic composition. The lead standards, SRM Nos. 981, 982, and 983, are furnished as purified (99.9+ percent) metal, consisting of 1 g of 50-mil wire sealed in a 10-ml ampoule, and are available only as a set of three.

The isotopic composition of all the standards has been determined by mass-spectrometry, by comparison with mixtures prepared from high-purity separated isotopes. These are useful as standard reference materials for those looking for small variations in the isotopic composition of the elements, and for the measurement of mass-discrimination effects

encountered in the operation of mass spectrometers.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Element	Price
975 976 977 978 979 980 981 982	Sodium chloride	Bromine	20.00

# 3.23. Analyzed Gases

These standard reference materials are intended for the calibration of apparatus used for the measurement of various components in gas mixtures. Each sample is certified accurately within limits and is primarily intended to monitor and correct for long-term drifts in instruments used.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Constituents determined (ppm)	Volume (liters at STP)	Price
1601	Carbon dioxide in nitrogen	CO <sub>2</sub> 308 ±3	68	\$145. 00
1602		CO <sub>2</sub> 346 ±3	68	145. 00
1603		CO <sub>2</sub> 384 ±4	68	145. 00

# 4. Standards of Certified Properties and Purity

# 4.1. pH Standards

These materials are furnished as crystals for the preparation of solutions of known hydrogen ion concentration for calibrating and checking the performance of commercially available pH materials. The samples are furnished with certificates giving directions for preparation of the solutions and tables of pH values at various temperatures.

The standards 186Ic and 186IIb arc certified for use in admixture only. At an equimolar (0.025 molal) mixture of the two salts a pH(S) of 6.865 at 25 °C is obtained. Directions are also furnished for the preparation of a physiological reference solution having a pH(S) of 7.413 at 25 °C.

SRM Nos.	Kind	pH(S) (at 25 °C)	Approx. wt.	Price
185d 186Ic 186IIb 187a 188	Acid potassium phthalate	See above 9. 180	60 30 30 30 60 65	\$7. 50 7. 00 5. 00 5. 00 5. 00 5. 00

#### 4.2. Freezing-Point Standards

# 4.2.1. Defining fixed pionts-International Practical Temperature Scale

The purity of these materials is such that they are suitable for realizing the defining fixed points on the International Practical Temperature Scale of 1948.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Value assigned to defining fixed point °C (Int. 1948)	Approximate weight in grams	Price
740	Zine	419. 505	350	<b>\$65.</b> 00

#### 4.2.2. Secondary Reference Points

These are intended for the calibration of resistance thermometers and thermocouples.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Determined freezing point °C (Int. 1948)	Approx. wt. in grams	Price
44e	Aluminum	660. 0	200	\$12. 00
45d		1083. 3	450	12. 00
49e		327. 417	600	12. 00
42f		231. 88	350	12. 00

# 4.3. Thermometric Cells (Discontinued)

#### 4.4. Calorimetric Standards

These standards are issued primarily to check the performance of calorimetric methods for the determination of the heat of combustion and the heat of solution. Standard 724 is a homogeneous material for use in interlaboratory correlation and standardization of solution calorimeters. It is not certified with a value for the heat of solution. 217b-8S is contained in a special ampoule with an internal break-off tip, the others are sealed "in vacuum" in a plain glass ampoule.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Amount	Price	SRM Nos.	Kind	Amount	Price
39i 217b-5 217b-8S	Benzoic acid, 26.434 absolute kilojoules	30 g 5 ml 8 ml	\$6. 00 35. 00 60. 00	217b-25 217b-50 724		25 ml 50 ml 50 g	\$175. 00 325. 00 15. 00

# 4.5. Radioactivity Standards

Because of the nature of these materials, all, except the radium rock samples and the carbon 14 dating standard, are shipped by express only (shipping charges collect) to destinations in the United States and Canada.

In the case of shipments to other countries, consignee should apply to the National Bureau of Standards for pro forma invoices, and establish credit in advance at any bank in the United States, or send payment by international money order or UNESCO coupons, to cover the cost of the standards. Consignee can either appoint an agent in the United States to handle shipments abroad, or shipments can be made by air freight or express (shipping charges collect) subject to the laws and regulations of the importing country.

A certificate containing pertinent information is sent under separate cover. Information concerning the standard appears on the standard or centainer

pears on the standard or container.

Prices of certain materials may change as current stocks are depleted and are replaced by new issues. In these instances, buyers will be notified before orders are filled.

#### 4.5.1. Alpha-Ray Standards

Standard Reference Material No. 4902 consists of a practically weightless deposit of polonium-210 on a monel disk 2.54-cm in diameter and 0.16-cm thick. SRM No. 4904-C consists of a practically weightless deposit of americium-241 on a platinum foil 1.27-cm in diameter and 0.015-cm thick. The foil is cemented onto a monel disk 2.54-cm in diameter and 0.16-cm thick. The activities are restricted to a 0.3-cm diameter in the center of the mount.

These samples can now be ordered under the general licensing provisions of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954 (Please

refer to Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations).

SRM Nos.	Radionuclide	Approximate $\alpha$ -particle emission rate in 2 $\pi$ geometry	Price
4902	Polonium-210Americium-241	500 αps	\$50. 00
4904-C		20 αps	76. 00

Samples in the 100-250 αps range will now be made on request only, as a special test, see item 204.202z on page 94 of the "Calibration and Test Services (MP 250). Radioactivity Section."

#### 4.5.2. Beta-Ray and Gamma-Ray Solution Standards (Combined with 4.5.3.)

### 4.5.3. Beta-Ray, Gamma-Ray and Electron-Capture Solution Standards

These Standard Reference Materials are contained in flame-sealed glass ampoules. The calibration radiation listed is the radiation for which the radionuclide is intended to be used as a standard.

Standards 4944-D (iodine-125) and 4948 (cerium-praseodymium-144) can be issued only under the special licensing provisions of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, and it is therefore required that a copy of the purchaser's current AEC By-Product Material License be on file at the National Bureau of Standards. The activity of the other standards in this group is such that they may be ordered singly under the general licensing provisions of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954.

SRM No.	Radionuclide	Calibration radiation	Approximate activity or emission rate at time of calibration (month, year)	Approximate weight of solution, g	Price
4921-C 4922-E 4924 4925 4926 4927 4929-B 4940 4943 4944-D 4947 4948	Sodium-22 Sodium-22 Carbon-14 (water) Carbon-14 (benzoic acid in toluene) Hydrogen-3 (water) Hydrogen-3 (water) Iron-55 Promethium-147 Chlorine-36 Iodine-125 Hydrogen-3 (tritiated toluene) Cerium-Praseodymium-144	$\beta^+$ $\gamma$ $\beta^ \beta^ \beta^ X$ $\beta^ X$ $\beta^ X$ $\beta^ X$ $\beta^ X$	$\begin{array}{c} 1\times 10^4 \ \beta^+ ps/g \ (8/64) \\ 2\times 10^5 \ \beta^+ ps/g \ (3/67) \\ 1\times 10^3 \ dps/g \ (7/58) \\ 2\times 10^4 \ dps/g \ (7/58) \\ 9\times 10^3 \ dps/g \ (9/61) \\ 9\times 10^5 \ dps/g \ (9/61) \\ 2\times 10^4 \ dps/g \ (5/64) \\ 8\times 10^4 \ dps/g \ (5/61) \\ 1\times 10^6 \ \beta^- ps/g \ (1962) \\ 1\times 10^5 \ dps/g \ (12/66) \\ 3\times 10^5 \ dps/g \ (12/65) \\ \end{array}$	3 5 25 3 25 3 3 3 3 5 4 3.3	\$37. 00 62. 00 32. 00 32. 00 45. 00 46. 00 40. 00 26. 00 30. 00 80. 00

#### 4.5.4. Beta Gas Standard

Sample No. 4935–B contains krypton-85 in inert krypton at a pressure of approximately one atmosphere in a 10 ml break-seal glass ampoule.

SRM No.	Radionuclide	Calibration radiation	Approximate activity at time of calibration (month, year)	Volume	Price
4935-B	Krypton-85	β-	$6 \times 10^7$ dps per gram mole $(10/62)_{}$	10 ml	\$23. 00

#### 4.5.5. Point-Source Gamma-Ray Standards

These standards are deposited between two layers of polyester tape approximately 0.006-cm thick and mounted on aluminum annuli, 0.8-cm wide and 5.5-cm outside diameter. Standard 4203-B (cobalt-60) can be issued only under the special licensing provisions of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, and it is therefore required that a copy of the purchaser's current AEC By-Product Material License be on file at the National Bureau of Standards. The activity of the other standards in this group is such that they may be ordered singly under the general licensing provisions of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954.

SRM No.	Radionuclide	Approximate emission rate at time of calibration (month, year)	Price
4991-B 4997-D 4999-D 4200 4201 4203-A 4203-B	Sodium-22 Manganese-54 Cerium-139 Cesium-137 Niobium-94 Cobalt-60	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	\$57. 00 53. 00 65. 00 46. 00 55. 00 65. 00

#### 4.5.6. Radium Rock Samples

This sample consists of 100 g of pulverized rock taken from bulk material analyzed for radium content. Petrographic data and the chemical analysis of a typical specimen of the rock is also given in a certificate accompanying the sample. The sample is shipped parcel post prepaid.

SRM No.	Rock	Avcrage radium content (picogram of radium per gram of rock)	Price
4984	Triassic Diabase	0.18±0.03	\$11.00

# 4.5.7. Radium Solution Standards (for Radon Analysis)

These samples are contained in flame-sealed glass ampoules.

SRM Nos.	Radium content (in grams) as of 1956	Approximate weight, g	Price
4950–A	10 <sup>-9</sup>	100	\$42.00
4951	10 <sup>-11</sup>	100	32.00
4952	Blank solution	100	7.50

# 4.5.8. Radium Gamma-Ray Solution Standards

These samples are contained in flame-sealed glass ampoules.

SRM Nos.	Nominal radium content (in micrograms)	Approximate weight, g	Price
4955	0. 1	5	\$34.00
4956	0, 2	5	34, 00
4957	0. 5	5	34. 00
4958	1. 0	5	34, 00
4959	2. 0	5	34, 00
4960	5, 0	5	34, 00
4961	10	5	34, 00
4962	20	5	34. 00
4963	50	5	34. 00
4964-B	102	5	43. 00

#### 4.5.9. Contemporary Standard for Carbon-14 Dating Laboratories

SRM No.	Description	Price
4990–B	1 lb. of oxalic acid; no specific activity is given	\$6.00

# 4.6. Standard Rubbers and Rubber Compounding Materials

These standards have been established to provide the rubber industry with standard materials for rubber compounding. They are useful for the testing of rubber and rubber compounding materials in connection with quality control of raw

materials and for the standardization of rubber testing.

Each material has been statistically evaluated for uniformity by mixing rubber compounds and vulcanizing them in accordance with ASTM Designation D-15 and determining the stress-strain properties of the resulting vulcanizates. Certificates are issued for the rubbers since the properties of different lots are not the same. Replacement lots of rubber compounding materials impart essentially the same characteristics to rubber vulcanizates so that certificates are not issued for these materials.

#### 4.6.1. Standard Rubbers

SRM Nos.	Kind	Approx, wt. in grams	Priec
386f	Styrene-butadiene, type 1500	34, 000	\$45. 00
388d		27, 000	105. 00
389		34, 000	49. 00
390		27, 000	95. 00

#### 4.6.2. Rubber Compounding Materials

SRM Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt. in grams	Price	SRM Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt.	Price
370e 371e	Zinc oxide	2, 000 1, 400	\$6.50 4.50	378a 379	Oil furnace black	7, 000 5, 500	\$7.0 7.0
372d	Stearic acid	600	3.80	380	Calcium carbonate	6, 000	5.0
373e	Benzothiazyl disulfide	500	9.00	381	Calcium silicate	4, 000	5.0
374b	Tetramethylthiuram			382	Gas furnace black	7, 500	7.0
	disulfide	500	8.00	383	Mercaptobenzothiazole	800	5.5
375f	Channel Black	7, 000	16.00	384	N-tertiary-Butyl-2-benzo-		
376a	Light magnesia	450	4.80		thiazolesulfenamide	800	5.0
377	Phenyl-beta-naphthylamine_	600	8.00				

# 4.7. Polystyrene Molecular Weight Standards

Two samples of polystyrene are available for use in calibrating non-absolute techniques of measuring the numberaverage  $(M_n)$  and weight-average  $(M_w)$  molecular weights. Also these polymeric samples can be used for determining the feasibility of some fractionating techniques since the ratios of the  $M_n$ ,  $M_w$ , and z-average molecular weight are also given. The intrinsic viscosities at a high rate of shear both in benzene and cyclohexane are also stated.

In addition, these samples represent highly purified polystyrene samples for polymeric research requiring the following

chemical characteristics:

Standard 705 has a relatively narrow molecular weight distribution with a  $M_w$  1.8×105. The sample was prepared by the polymerization of styrene in benzene using butyl lithium as an intiator. Ash content and volatiles are 0.05 and 0.5 percent, respectively. The polystyrene is in pellet form, each pellet weighing about 10 mg.

Standard 706 has a reasonably broad molecular weight distribution, the ratio  $M_w/M_\pi$  being 2.1, and an  $M_w$  of  $2.7 \times 10^5$ . The sample was prepared by the thermal polymerization of styrene at 140 °C to 37 percent conversion. Ash content and volatile content are 0.001 percent and 0.8 percent respectively. The polystyrene is in pellet form, each pellet weighing about 80 mg.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Weight in grams	Price
705	Polystyrene, narrow molecular weight distribution	2	\$18.00
706	Polystyrene broad molecular weight distribution	18	12.00

# 4.8. Viscometer Calibrating Liquids

As of July 1, 1967, the National Bureau of Standards has discontinued the sale of the viscometer calibrating liquids identified as oils D, H, I, J, K, L, M, N, OB, P, SB, and SF. Liquids of comparable viscosity are available elsewhere.

# 4.9. Glass Viscosity Standards

Standard Reference Materials 710 and 711 are furnished as rectangular-shaped bars, and are certified for viscosity between values of 10<sup>2</sup> and 10<sup>12</sup> poises. They are furnished to check the performance of high-temperature viscosity equipment (rotating cylinders) and low-temperature viscosity equipment (fiber elongation). In addition, values are furnished for the softening point, annealing point, and strain point by ASTM Designations (C388-61 and C336-61). Certificates of data from 8 laboratories are furnished for these two glasses.

Standards 712, 713, 714, 715, and 716 are furnished in cone, gobs, or patties as listed, and are certified only for softening point, annealing point, and strain point. Certificates of data from three laboratories are furnished for these glasses.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Unit of issue	Price
710	Soda-lime silica glass-type 523/586	2 lb	\$40.00
711		3 lb	60.00
712		0. 5 lb	25.00
713		. 5 lb	25.00
714		. 5 lb	25.00
715		200 g	25.00
716		250 g	25.00

CERTIFIED PROPERTIES							
Viscosity poises	SRM 710 (Temp. °C)	SRM 711 (Temp. °C)	SRM 712 (Temp. °C)	SRM 713 (Temp. °C)	SRM 714 (Temp, °C)	SRM 715 (Temp. °C)	SRM 716 (Temp. °C)
10 <sup>2</sup> 10 <sup>3</sup>	1434. 3 1181. 7 1019. 0	1327. 1 1072. 8 909. 0					
10 <sup>5</sup>	905. 3 821. 5	794. 7 710. 4					
10 <sup>7</sup>	757. 1 706. 1 664. 7	645. 6 594. 3 552. 7					
10 <sup>10</sup>	630. 4 601. 5	518. 2 489. 2					
Softening point Annealing point	576. 9 724 546	464. 5 602 432	528 386	738 631	908 710	961 764	794 574
Strain point	504	392	352	599	662	714	530

# 4.10. Color Standards for Spectrophotometer-Tristimulus Integrator Systems

This set of 5 transparent colored glass standards is available to check the performance of spectrophotometer-tristimulus integrator systems, the automatic recording and computing devices used in routine color measurements. The set consists of five 2-inch square glass filters (approximately 3.0 mm thick) with polished faces. A chart of tristimulus values for CIE sources A, B, and C, representing incandescent-lamp light, noon sunlight, and average daylight; and a detailed report on the changes in tristimulus values caused by errors in the 100-percent and zero adjustments of the photometric scale, wavelength errors, slit-width errors, errors due to stray energy, and inertia errors of the recording mechanism, are furnished with each set of glasses. Through the use of these standards the user of a spectrophotometer-integrator combination will be able not only to determine when the instrument goes out of adjustment, but also from the pattern of the discrepancies between measured and reported tristimulus values, to obtain some clue as to the type of maladjustment.

The glasses are available only in sets of five.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Price
2101 2102 2103 2104 2105	Orange-red glass	\$250.00 per set.

#### 4.11. The ISCC-NBS Centroid Color Charts

The ISCC-NBS centroid colors are available to illustrate a characteristic color for each of the ISCC-NBS color-name blocks in the Color Names Dictionary, NBS Circular 553. This chart set along with the table containing the history of the color-names project, the centroid number and the Munsell renotation of each of the 251 color chips included, constitute the Supplement to the Color Names Dictionary. Each chart set contains 18 constant-hue centroid color charts. These centroid colors represent a systematic sampling of the whole color solid, each color of which has been carefully measured. Each centroid color has its own specification and can be used as a color standard. The centroid color charts can also be used for approximate color specifications wherever the ISCC-NBS color designations are applicable, for statistical studies of trends in industrial color usage, or for planning lines of merchandise intended to have coordinated colors.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Price per set
2106	Centroid color charts	\$5.00

# 4.12. Standard Colors for Kitchen and Bathroom Accessories

These commercial standards establish certain colors having the greatest general acceptance. They provide references whereby manufacturers can produce, and buyers can stock, items of colored kitchen and bathroom accessories with assurance that the purchaser can obtain from different sources and at different times, materials that will match one another in color. Calibration of these standards for use with 3-filter reflectometers may be obtained by applying to NBS.

SRM No.	Kind	Unit of issue	Price per set
1000	Enameled iron plaques, 3 by 5 inches, in accordance with Commercial Standards CS62-38 and CS63-38.	Set of 10	\$10. 00

# 4.13. Paint Pigment Standards for Color and Tinting Strength

Material standards are the most practical means of designating color, tinting strength, and character of tint of paint pigments. The present series of color pigment standards has been developed for that purpose, Reference is made to these standard materials in the Federal Specifications for pigments. Methods of making the required color comparisons between standard and the delivered product are set forth in detail in the certificate supplied with each sample. The procedures given are similar to those covered by Methods 4220 and 4221 of Federal Standard 141 and by ASTM Designation D 387–60.

#### PAINT-PIGMENT STANDARDS FOR COLOR AND TINTING STRENGTH ONLY

SRM Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt. in grams	Price	SRM Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt. in grams	Price
300 301	Toluidine red tonerYellow ocher	40 45	\$3. 00 3. 00	315 316	Yellow iron oxide, lemonYellow iron oxide, orange	20 25	\$3. 00 3. 00
302 303 304	Raw sienna Burnt sienna Raw umber	$   \begin{array}{r}     45 \\     50 \\     45   \end{array} $	3. 00 3. 00 3. 00	317 318	Yellow iron oxide, dark orange Lampblack	40 15	3. 00 3. 00
305 306 307	Burnt umber Venetian red Metallic brown	50 60 60	3. 00 3. 00 3. 00	$   \begin{array}{r}     319 \\     320 \\     321   \end{array} $	Primrosc chrome yellow Lemon chrome yellow Medium chrome yellow	65 60 65	3. 00 3. 00 3. 00
308 309	Indian red Mincral red	50 65	3. 00 3. 00	322 323	Light chrome orange Dark chrome orange	100 100 37	3. 00 3. 00
310 311 312	Bright red oxide Carbon black (high color) Carbon black (all-purpose)	50 10 20	3. 00 3. 00 3. 00	324 325 326	Ultramarine blue Iron blue Light chrome green	$\frac{25}{60}$	3. 00 3. 00 3. 00
313 314	Black iron oxideYellow iron oxide, light	42 20	3. 00 3. 00	327 328	Medium chrome green Dark chrome green	50 45	3. 00 3. 00

# 4.14. Phosphors

These materials are issued without certification. They are issued so that those interested in developing methods of measurement for phosphor materials can work on a common source of materials.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt. in grams	Price	SRM Nos.	Kind	Approx. wt.	Price
$1020 \\ 1021$	Zinc sulfide phosphor Zinc silicate phosphor	14 28	\$3.00 3.00	1026 1027	Calcium tungstate phosphor_ Magnesium tungstate	28	\$3.00
1022	Zinc sulfide phosphor	14	3.00	1000	phosphor	28	3.00
1023	Zinc-cadmium sulfide phosphor (Ag activator)	14	3.00	$\frac{1028}{1029}$	Zinc silicate phosphor Calcium silicate phosphor	28 14	$\frac{3.00}{3.00}$
1024	Zinc-cadmium sulfide	1.4		1030	Magnesium arsenate	20	
1025	phosphor (Cu activator) Zinc phosphate phosphor	14 28	$\frac{3.00}{3.00}$	1031	phosphorCalcium halophosphate	28	3.00
1020	ame pheephate pheephate		3,00		phosphor	28	3.00
				1032	Barium silicate phosphor	28	3.00
				1033	Calcium phosphate phosphor	28	3.00

# 4.15. Light-Sensitive Papers and Plastic Chips

#### 4.15.1. Light-Sensitive Papers

Standard light-sensitive paper and booklets of standard faded strips of this paper are available for use in standardizing the dosage of radiant energy when testing textiles for color fastness by exposure in commercial carbon-arc fading lamps. The paper is distributed in units of 100 pieces 25% in by 3½ in. The booklets contain six strips of the paper 1½ in wide that have been faded by exposure in the NBS master lamp. A copy of NBS Misc. Publ. 260–15 which describes the preparation and use of the materials, is furnished with each booklet.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Unit of issuc	Pricc
700b 701b	Light-sensitive paperBooklet of standard faded strips	Pkg. of 100 piecesBooklet	\$25.00 110.00

#### 4.15.2. Light-Sensitive Plastic Chips

Standard light-sensitive plastic chips are available for use in calibration and standardization of artificial weathering and fading apparatus. These chips are distributed in two thicknesses (0.060 and 0.124 in) in units of five plates 2 in by 4½ in, and have been standardized by the measurement of the change of transmittance as a function of exposure (in standard fading hours) to the NBS master lamps.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Kind Unit of Issue	
702 703	Light-sensitive plastic chips (0.124 in) Light-sensitive plastic chips (0.060 in)	Package of 5 chipsPackage of 5 chips	\$35. 00 35. 00

#### 4.16. Internal Tearing Resistance Standard Paper

This standard is available for calibration of instruments used for the determination of the internal tearing resistance of paper according to methods ASTM Designation D689 and TAPPI Standard T414. Sufficient material is furnished in each unit to provide 40 or more measurements. Initial distribution is in a set of twelve packages, one package shipped at approximately monthly intervals. Packages are also available on a four month cycle, or by individual package. The tearing strength value of the material is approximately 40 g. The exact value will be given in the certificate accompanying the standard.

SRM No.	Kind	Price
704a	Internal tearing resistance of paper	\$7.00 per package.

# 4.17. Microcopy Resolution Test Chart

This chart is used to test the resolving power of whole microcopying systems. It is printed photographically on paper, and has high-contrast five line patterns ranging in spatial frequency from one cycle per millimeter to ten cycles per millimeter. Instructions for the use of this chart are supplied with each order.

SRM No.	Kind	Unit of issue (minimum)	Price per chart
1010	Resolution chart for testing the resolving power of microcopying cameras.	5 charts	\$0. 60

# 4.18. Glass Spheres for Particle Size

Standard Reference Materials 1018 and 1019 are issued for evaluating the effective openings of testing sieves in the size range U.S. Standard No. 8 through No. 70. These standards are used by placing the entire sample on a clean sieve or on the top of a stack of clean sieves and shaking them in a shaking device or by hand. Each of the sieve fractions of glass spheres is weighed to the nearest 0.01 gram, and the weight percent retained on each sieve is calculated. The effective opening of each sieve is then determined from the calibration data on the certificate supplied with each sample. The reproducibility of calibrations made with these standards varies from  $\pm 2$  to  $\pm 5$  percent of the nominal width of the sieve openings.

SRM 1003 is furnished to calibrate equipment used to determine particle sizes in the 5 to 30 micron range. A certificate is supplied showing particle size distribution by volume and by weight, and Stoke's Law distribution for air and water.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Weight in grams	Price
1003	Calibrated glass spheres (5–30 micron) Calibrated glass spheres (for calibrating sieves No. 20–70) Calibrated glass spheres (for calibrating sieves No. 8–18)	40–45	\$15. 00
1018		40	9. 50
1019		100	9. 50

# 4.19. Turbidimetric and Fineness Standard

This standard is available to calibrate the Blaine fineness meter according to the latest issue of Federal Test Method Standard 158, Method 2101 or ASTM Designation C204; to calibrate the Wagner turbidimeter according to ASTM Designation C115; and to determine sieve residue according to ASTM Designation C430. Each unit consists of two sealed vials, each containing approximately 10 grams of cement.

SRM No.	Kind	Certification	Price
114k	Cement	No. 325 sieve residue, 7.1 percent	<b>\$2.</b> 50

# 4.20. Surface Flammability Standard

This standard is issued for checking the operation of radiant panel test equipment in accordance with Interim Federal Standard No. 00136 and later revisions. Flame spread Index,  $I_s$ , = 131; Heat Evolution Factor,  $Q_s$  = 27.0; Smoke Deposit, weight in mg, = 0.7.

SRM No.	Kind	Unit	Price
1002a	Hardboard sheet	4 specimens, 6 x 18 inches	\$8.00

# 4.21. Coating Thickness

Nominal thickness only is given below. The certified thickness appears on the cards accompanying the samples.

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SRM Nos.	Prev. Desig.	Nominal Thickness (inch)	Coating	Substrate	Price
	Type I	0-0.08	Nonmagnetic	Magnetic	
1301		0.00010	copper+chromium	steel	\$7.50
1302	AA	.00025	do	do	7.50
1303	AB	. 00050	do	do	7.50
1304	$\overline{\mathbf{A}}\mathbf{M}$	. 00075	do	do	7.50
1305	AC	. 0010	do	do	7.50
1306	CA	. 0015	do		7.50
1307	AD	. 0020	do	do	7.50
1308		. 0025	do	do	7.50
1309	$_{\mathrm{CM}}$	. 0027	do	do	7.50
1310	$^{\mathrm{CB}}$	. 0032	do	dod	7.50
1311	CC	. 0055	dod		7.50
1312	$^{\mathrm{CD}}$	. 0080	do		7.50
1313	DA	. 010	do	do	7.50
1314	DB	. 015	do		7.50
1315	$\overline{\mathrm{DC}}$	. 020	do	do	7.50
1316	DD	. 025	do	do	7.50
1317	HA	. 03	do		7.50
1318	HB	. 04	do	do	7.50
1319	HC	. 06	do		7.50
1320	HD	. 08	do	do	7.50
	Type II	0-0.0025	Magnetic	Magnetic	
1331	BA	0.00012	nickel	steel	\$7.50
1332	BB	. 00035	do	do	7.50
1333	BC	. 00055	do	do	7.50
1334	$\overline{\mathrm{BD}}$	. 00075	do		7.50
1335	ĒĀ	.0010	do	do	7.50
1336	EB	. 0013	do	do	7.50
1337	$\overrightarrow{\mathbf{EC}}$	. 0016	do	do	7.50
1338	ED	. 0020	do	do	7.50
1339	EE	. 0025	do		7.50
	Type III	0-0.002	Magnetic	Nonmagnetic	
1341	FA	0.00012	nickel/chromium	brass	\$7.50
1342	FB	. 00035	do	do	7.50
1343	FC	. 00065	do	do	7.50
1344	FD	. 0010	do	do	7.50
1345	FE	. 0015	do		7.50
1346	FF	.0020	do		7.50
1010	1.1	.0020			1.00

#### 4.22. Thermal Emittance Standards

Standards of normal spectral emittance are available in three materials, platinum-13 percent rhodium alloy having low emittance, sandblasted and oxidized Kanthal (an iron-chromium-aluminum alloy) having intermediate emittance, and sandblasted and oxidized Inconel (a nickel-chromium-iron alloy) having high emittance. Standards of all three materials have been calibrated for normal spectral emittance at 800 and 1100 °K, the Kanthal and Inconel standards at 1300 °K and the platinum-13 percent rhodium at 1400 and 1600 °K. Normal spectral emittance data is supplied at 156 wavelengths in the one to fifteen micron range for all the combinations listed above. In addition, data for the platinum-13 percent rhodium standards is supplied in the fifteen to thirty-five micron range at 1100 °K.

SRM Nos.	Unit	Price
1402	Emittance standards, ½ in disks Pt-13% Rh	\$175.00
1403	Emittance standards, % in disks Pt-13% Rh	
1404	Emittance standards, 1 in disks Pt-13% Rh.	200.00
1405	Emittance standards, 11/8 in disks Pt-13 % Rh	235.00
1406	Emittance standards, 1¼ in disks Pt-13% Rh	250.0
1407	Emittance standards, 2 in x 2 in squares Pt-13% Rh	385.0
1408	Emittance standards, 1 in x 10 in strips Pt-13% Rh	750.0
1409	Emittance standards, ¾ in x 10 in strips Pt-13% Rh	600.0
1420	Emittance standards, ½ in disks Kanthal	175.0
1421	Emittance standards, 7/8 in disks Kanthal	175. 0
1422	Emittance standards, 1 in disks Kanthal	175. 0
1423	Emittance standards, 11/8 in disks Kanthal	175.0
1424	Emittance standards, 1¼ in disks Kanthal	175.0
1425	Emittance standards, 2 in x 2 in squares Kanthal	175.0
1427	Emittance standards, ¾ in x 10 in strips Kanthal	175.0
1428	Emittance standards, ¼ in x 8 in strips Kanthal.	175.0
1440	Emittance standards, ½ in disks Inconel	175. 0
1441	Emittance standards, $\frac{7}{6}$ in disks Inconel	175.0
1442	Emittance standards, 1 in disks Inconel	175.0
1443	Emittance standards, 11/8 in disks Inconel	175.0
1444	Emittance standards, 1½ in disks Inconel	175. 0
1445	Emittance standards, 2 in x 2 in squares Inconel	175.0

# 4.23. Permittivity Standards

These standards are furnished in three different shapes and are certified for relative permittivity (approximately 6.3 in the case of the 1723 glass and 3.83 in the case of the 7940 fused silica) in the frequency range 10<sup>3</sup> to 10<sup>10</sup> hertz. These standards are intended for use in checking and improving measurement systems for complex permittivity.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Price
1501	1723 glass, 2¼ in x 2¼ in x ¾ <sub>6</sub> in rough cut blank for making 2 in disk for low-frequency, capacity-type holder	\$87. 5
1502	1723 glass, 1 in x ½ in x ½ in rough-cut blank for X-band waveguide	87. 5
1503	1723 glass, 1¼ in x 1¼ in x ¾ in rough-cut blank for making nominal 1 in cylindrical wayeguide for dielectrometer.	87. 5
1504	7940 fused silica, 2¼ in x ½ in for making 2 in disk for low-frequency, capacity-type holder	87. 5
1505	7940 fused silica, 1 in x ½ in x ½ in rough-cut blank for X-band waveguide	87.5
1506	7940 fused silica, 1¼ in x 1¼ in x ¾ in rough-cut blank for making 1 in cylindrical wave- guide for dielectrometer	87. 5

#### 4.24. Mössbauer Differential Chemical Shift for Iron-57

This standard reference material is intended to furnish a base (zero) point for Mössbauer spectrometry. It is furnished as a platelet 1 cm x 1 cm x 0.0775 cm cut from a single crystal of sodium nitroprusside along the 100 crystal plane. The natural iron concentration is 25.0 mg/cm<sup>2</sup>  $\pm$  4 percent. This standard reference material has an average value for the chemical shift of 0.0000  $\pm$  0.0002 cm/see, and an average value for the electric quadrupole splitting of 0.1726  $\pm$  0.0002 cm/sec at 25 °C.

SRM No.	Kind	Price
725	Mössbauer Differential Chemical Shift for Iron-57 (Sodium Nitroprusside)	\$150.00

# 4.25. Carbon-14 and Hydrogen-3 Labeled Sugars

These standards are furnished to supply a series of carbohydrates, labeled with carbon-14 and tritium, which are unavailable elsewhere. They are intended primarily for use as radioactive tracers in chemical and biochemical research.

#### 4.25.1. Terminal Carbon-14 Sugars

SRM Nos.	Kind	Amount of activity	Price
1525 series	Carbon-14 labeled sugars and related products, Type 1 (carbohydrates labeled at carbon 1).	10 micro- curies.	\$12.50
	4.25.2. Interior Carbon-14 Sugars		
SRM Nos.	Kind		Price
1550 series	Carbon-14 labeled sugars and related products, Type 2 (carbohydrates labeled in positions other than carbon 1).	10 micro- curies.	\$17.50
	4.25.3. Tritium Labeled Sugars		
SRM Nos.	Kind		Price
1575 series	Tritium-labeled carbohydrates (carbohydrates labeled without extensive alteration of the carbon skeleton).	10 micro- curies.	\$12.50

# 4.26. Density and Refractive Index Standards

These standard reference materials are certified with respect to values of density, for air-saturated material at 1 atm, at 20, 25, and 30 °C, to  $\pm 0.00002$  g/ml, and also with respect to values of refractive index, for each of seven wavelengths (helium 668 and 502, hydrogen 656(C) and 486(F), mercury 546(e) and 436(g), and sodium 589(D<sub>1</sub>,D<sub>2</sub>) at 20, 25, and 30 °C to  $\pm 0.00002$ . These standards may be used to calibrate refractometers, picnometers, and density balances, as well as spectrometers. A certificate is supplied with each of these samples. 217b–8S is contained in a special ampoule with an internal breakoff tip, the others are sealed "in vacuum" in plain glass ampoules.

SRM Nos.	Kind	Approx. d <sup>20</sup>	Approx. n <sup>20</sup>	Amount, ml	Pricc
217b-5	2,2,4-Trimethylpentane	0.6918	1.3915	5	\$35.00
217b-8S		.6918	1.3915	8	60.00
217b-25		.6918	1.3915	25	175.00
217b-50		.6918	1.3915	50	325.00

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# Certificate of Analysis

# Standard Reference Material 131a Low-Carbon Silicon Steel

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# 7. Appendix II. Guide for Submission of Requests

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#### INTRODUCTION

The National Bureau of Standards presently has available more than 500 standard reference materials. It is also working on the development of about 50 new ones and has on hand requests for the preparation of many others. The requests have always far exceeded the Bureau's capacity to produce and certify these materials.

#### Policy

One of the main functions of the NBS Institute for Materials Research is to develop, produce, and distribute standard reference materials which provide a basis for comparison of measurements on materials and aid in the control of production processes in industry. To help carry out this function the Office of Standard Reference Materials evaluates the requirements of science and industry for carefully characterized reference materials, and directs their production and distribution. Emphasis is given to providing NBS Standard Reference ence Materials (a) where attainment of needed accuracy of analysis or accuracy of measurement of characteristics is not economically or technically feasible elsewhere, and where such accuracy is generally important to users, (b) where industry-wide standards for commerce are needed from a neutral supplier who is not otherwise available, and (c) where continuing availability of highly characterized material from a common source is important to science or industry.

The National Bureau of Standards recognizes the need for broadening the present program on reference materials to include all types of well-characterized materials that can be used to calibrate a measurement system or to produce scientific data that can be readily referred to a common base. With this broadening, however, it still remains apparent that the demand for new Standard Reference Materials will continue to far exceed the Bureau's capacity for development. Therefore, requests for new Standard Reference Materials which will have limited use and for which the need is not very great will have to be passed by in favor of requests clearly showing a critical need. For the purpose of determining which requests are to receive top priority, the National Bureau of Standards will need, and will rely heavily upon, the information supplied by industry, either through its own representatives or through interested committees, such as those of the American Society for Testing and Materials, the American Standards Association, the International Organization for Standardization, etc.

Accordingly, while the Bureau welcomes all requests for the development of new Standard Reference Materials, it will help both the Bureau, and industry as well, if requests are accompanied by such information as will permit an assessment of the urgency and importance of proposed new reference materials.

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