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## Foreword

This translation has been made based on the original Japanese Industrial Standard established by the Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry through deliberations at the Japanese Industrial Standards Committee according to the proposal for establishment of Japanese Industrial Standard submitted by The Japanese Society for Non-destructive Inspection (JSNDI)/Japanese Standards Association (JSA) with the draft being attached, based on the provision of Article 12 Clause 1 of the Industrial Standardization Law.

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**JIS Z 2316** series consists of the following 4 parts under the general title “*Non-destructive testing—Eddy current testing*”:

*Part 1: General principles*

*Part 2: Instrument characteristics and verification*

*Part 3: Probe characteristics and verification*

*Part 4: System characteristics and verification*

# Non-destructive testing— Eddy current testing— Part 3: Probe characteristics and verification

## Introduction

This Japanese Industrial Standard has been prepared based on the first edition of **ISO 15548-2** published in 2008 with some modifications of the technical contents.

The portions given sidelines or dotted underlines are the matters in which the contents of the corresponding International Standard have been modified. A list of modifications with the explanations is given in Annex JA.

## 1 Scope

This Standard identifies the functional characteristics of eddy current testing probe (hereafter referred to as “probe”) and its interconnecting elements and provides methods for their measurement and verification.

The evaluation of these characteristics permits a well-defined description and comparability of the eddy current instrument. By careful choice of the necessary characteristics, a consistent and effective eddy current test system can be designed for a specific application.

Where accessories are used, these should be characterised using the principles of this Standard.

This Standard does not give the extent of verification nor acceptance criteria for the characteristics, which are given in the application documents<sup>1)</sup>.

**NOTE :** The International Standard corresponding to this Standard and the symbol of degree of correspondence are as follows.

ISO 15548-2:2008 *Non-destructive testing—Equipment for eddy current examination—Part 2: Probe characteristics and verification* (MOD)

In addition, symbols which denote the degree of correspondence in the contents between the relevant International Standard and **JIS** are IDT (identical), MOD (modified), and NEQ (not equivalent) according to **ISO/IEC Guide 21-1**.

Note<sup>1)</sup> Application document refers to a document made between the user and the manufacturer.

## 2 Normative references

The following standards contain provisions which, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of this Standard. The most recent editions of the standards (including amendments) indicated below shall be applied.

JIS Z 2300 *Terms and definitions of nondestructive testing*

JIS Z 2316-2 *Non-destructive testing—Eddy current testing—Part 2: Instrument characteristics and verification*