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Part 6:

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*Descriptif et qualification d'un mode opératoire de soudage pour
les matériaux métalliques —*

Partie 6: Qualification par référence à l'expérience acquise



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- Part 1: *General rules for fusion welding*
- Part 2: *Welding procedure specification for arc welding*
- Part 3: *Welding procedure tests for the arc welding of steels*
- Part 4: *Welding procedure tests for the arc welding of aluminium and its alloys*
- Part 5: *Approval by using approved welding consumables for arc welding*
- Part 6: *Approval related to previous experience*
- Part 7: *Approval by a standard welding procedure for arc welding*
- Part 8: *Approval by a pre-production welding test*

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