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This Standard was prepared by the Joint Australia/New Zealand Standards Committee WD/3 on Welding of Structures and is issued as a joint Standard under the terms of the Active Cooperation Agreement between Standards Australia and Standards New Zealand. The objective of this Standard is to provide rules for the welding of a wide range of welded fabrications other than pressure vessels and pressure piping, and it applies to statically and dynamically loaded welds.

This Standard requires that weld preparations, welding consumables and welding procedures be qualified before commencement of welding. Prequalified joint preparations, welding consumables and welding procedures are also given in this Standard.

Strength capacity of welds is not covered in this Standard and designers are referred to relevant design codes or specifications for this purpose.

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