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Foreword

This Japanese Industrial Standard has been revised by the Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry, through deliberations at the Japanese Industrial Standards Committee in accordance with the Industrial Standardization Act. This edition replaces the previous edition (**JIS Q 1013** : 2009), which has been technically revised.

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Conformity assessment — Conformity assessment for Japanese Industrial Standards — Guidance on a third-party certification system for steel products

1 Scope

This Japanese Industrial Standard specifies the requirements with regard to the certification procedure, the quality management system of a product, etc. peculiar to Japanese Industrial Standard (hereafter referred to as **JIS**) concerning the area of steel products. The structure of this Standard is the same as that of the general guidance on a third-party certification system for products specified in **JIS Q 1001** (hereafter referred to as general guidance on certification system), and the matters to be special cases among the requirements specified in the general guidance on certification system are specified in this Standard based on characteristics of the industrial and mineral products concerned.

The **JISs** concerning the area of steel products which is to be the object of this Standard are given in Table 1.

In addition, this Standard shall be used in conjunction with **JIS Q 1001**.

2 Normative references

Part or all of the provisions of the following standards, 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 G 0415 *Steel and steel products — Inspection documents*

JIS Q 1001 *Conformity assessment — Conformity assessment for Japanese Industrial Standards — General guidance on a third-party certification system for products and these processing technology*

JIS Q 17025 *General requirements for the competence of testing and calibration laboratories*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purpose of this Standard, the terms and definitions given in the general guidance on certification system apply.

4 Condition of certification

The condition specified in the general guidance on certification system apply.

5 Application for certification

5.1 Object standards