Spark Spectrometer



Overview

High-quality spark spectrometers enable metal analysis for all metal industry process stages, from metal production through processing and recycling.

Key Takeaways

Spark spectrometers are advanced analytical instruments used for elemental analysis in metallurgy, providing precise and rapid results for various metal compositions.

Working Principle

Spark spectrometers operate using optical emission spectroscopy (OES), where a high-energy spark is discharged between the sample and a counter-electrode in an argon atmosphere. This process creates a plasma that excites the atoms in the sample, causing them to emit light. The emitted light is then analyzed to determine the concentration of various elements present in the sample.

This method allows for simultaneous quantitative analysis of multiple elements in less than 30 seconds.

Types of Spark Spectrometers

Portable Spark Spectrometers: These are designed for field use, allowing for on-site analysis of metals. They are lightweight and rugged, making them suitable for various environments, including construction sites and manufacturing facilities. Stationary Spark Spectrometers: Typically used in laboratories, these instruments offer high precision and are ideal for routine quality control and research applications.

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Applications

Metallurgical Analysis: Spark spectrometers are widely used in the metal industry for analyzing alloys, ensuring compliance with material specifications, and preventing grade mix-ups during production and recycling processes. Quality Control: They play a crucial role in quality assurance by providing reliable data on the chemical composition of metals, which is essential for maintaining product standards. Research and Development: In R&D settings, spark spectrometers are used to develop new materials and improve existing ones by analyzing their elemental composition.

Advantages

Rapid Analysis: Spark spectrometers can deliver results quickly, making them suitable for high-throughput environments. Wide Element Detection: They can detect a broad range of elements, including difficult-to-analyze ones like carbon, phosphorus, and sulfur, which are critical in alloy analysis.

User-

Friendly: Many modern spark spectrometers come equipped with extensive databases and intuitive interfaces, simplifying the analysis process for users. In summary, spark spectrometers are essential tools in the metallurgy field, providing fast and accurate elemental analysis that supports quality control and material verification across various industries.

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Optical Emission Spectroscopy

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Spark emission spectroscopy (OES): method for the

What is spark emission spectroscopy? Spark emission spectroscopy (OES, also termed optical emission spectrometry) is a method for the chemical analysis of

Spark optical emission spectrometry

In the analysis of metallic materials, spark OES is superior to other, often significantly more expensive methods in several respects. Thanks to the

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Spark-OES instruments are used for: throughput is routinely achieved (> 400 detected and transformed into electrical samples analyzable per day). signals with PMT''s (Photomultiplier

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Spark spectrometry (spark OES) works by igniting the plasma created by a high-energy spark discharged in an argon atmosphere between the sample and the counter-electrode. Measuring the

The Working Principle of Arc/Spark OES Elemental Analysis

The principle of the analysis method of SPECTRO´s portable, mobile and stationary metal analyzers is optical emission spectroscopy (arc spark OES or spark OES). Sample material is vaporized with the

Arc Spark Spectrometer (Spark Emission Spectrometer)

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Arc spark spectrometers (or also referred to as spark emission spectrometers) analyze metallic samples through the application of an electric arc or spark, causing analytes to emit light and thereby

Optical Emission Spectroscopy | SPECTRO Analytical

Optical emission spectroscopy using arc and spark excitation (Arc Spark OES) is the preferred method for trace metal analysis to determine the chemical composition of metallic samples. This process is

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These spark spectrometers allow you to analyze all main alloying elements and identify exceptionally low levels of tramp, trace and treatment elements in metals, such as nitrogen in steel.

ARL iSpark Plus OES Spectrometer

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