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Corrosion of metals - Corrosion likelihood of metallic materials when subject to corrosion from the outside - Part 3: Buried and underwater pipelines and structural components

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