

Title (en)

Process for preventing surface oxidation during steel carburizing

Title (de)

Verfahren zur Vermeidung von Randoxidation beim Aufkohlen von Stählen

Title (fr)

Procédé pour empêcher l'oxydation superficielle pendant la carburation des aciers

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Abstract (en)

[origin: EP0662525A1] Preventing of surface oxidn. in the carburisation of steels under a carbon-contg. gas mixt. at carburisation temp. is novel in that the steels are heated up to the carburisation temp. under a nitrogen/hydrogen gas mixt. or with pure hydrogen and during the carburisation the nitrogen/hydrogen gas mixt. or the hydrogen is replaced by a carbon-contg. gas mixt with an oxygen activity smaller than that necessary for the formation of manganese (II) or chromium (III) oxide.

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