Chinastandards.org

ICS 77.120
CCS H60

YS

NONFERROUS METALS INDUSTRY STANDARD OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA

YS/T 1838-2026

General technical specification for information coding in the nonferrous metal mining and dressing industry

有色金属采选业信息编码通用技术规范

(English Translation)

Issued on: April 15, 2026 **Implemented on: November 1, 2026**

Issued by: Ministry of Industry and Information Technology

Preview: page 1 of 2 shown, 15 in the full document. Complete English PDF, instant download:
https://chinastandards.org/standards/ys-t-1838-2026

Chinastandards.org

Table of Contents

Foreword

1 Scope

2 Normative references

3 Terms and definitions

Foreword

YS/T 1838-2026 is a recommended industry standard of the People's Republic of China in the Nonferrous Metals sector, approved and issued by the Ministry of Industry and Information Technology on 15 April 2026, with effect from 1 November 2026.

Classification: ICS 77.120; CCS H60.

1 Scope

This document sets out the information classification, coding rules and coding management for the nonferrous metal mining and dressing industry. It applies to the collection, processing and exchange of data in the industry, and to the development of the application systems that rely on those data. A common coding scheme lets different enterprises and software systems describe the same mine, process or material in the same way, which is the purpose of the rules set out here.

Mining and ore dressing enterprises, software developers, system integrators and managers of industry information systems can use it to keep codes consistent across systems. It is a voluntary standard (code with /T), issued by the Ministry of Industry and Information Technology on 15 April 2026 and effective from 1 November 2026. It is a new standard.

Preview: page 2 of 2 shown, 15 in the full document. Complete English PDF, instant download:
https://chinastandards.org/standards/ys-t-1838-2026