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Tyres and rims (Existing series) for agricultural tractors and machines —

Part 4 : Tyre classification and nomenclature

1 Scope and field of application

This International Standard sets out the classification codes and nomenclature of existing series of tyres for agricultural tractors and machines.

Tyre designation and dimensions, load ratings, and rim dimensions are given in ISO 4251/1, ISO 4251/2, and ISO 4251/3 respectively.

2 Tyre classification and type nomenclature

Nomenclature and classification code markings are given in the table.

The classification code is not part of the size marking and its use is optional. When used, the code shall be clearly separated from the size markings on the tyres.

Table — Tyre classification code and type nomenclature

Classification code	Type nomenclature
R	Agricultural drive wheels — Tractor tyres
R — 1	Regular service
R — 2	Cane and rice service
R — 3	Flotation service
R — 4	Industrial service
F	Agricultural steering wheels — Tractor tyres
F — 1	Single rib
F — 2	Two and more rib
F — 3	Flotation multi-rib
I	Agricultural implement tyres
I — 1	Multi-rib
I — 2	Traction service
I — 3	Heavy traction service
I — 4	Plough tail wheel service
I — 5	Steering service
I — 6	Flotation service
G	Garden tractor tyres
G — 1	Traction service
G — 2	Flotation traction service
G — 3	Maximum flotation service