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Question: What is meant by the following two terms: "Other values" and "other criteria" in the context of section 7.5?

Answer: "Other criteria" refers to further criteria depending e.g. on the type/dimension/product form and strength level of steel or mode of operation, which shall be taken into account to prove its toughness and ductility.

"Other values" refers to those other criteria which can result in more demanding values for elongation or bending rupture energy or specified values for additional properties.

See also CLAP 10 - Guideline 8/6 for the application of section 7.

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