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system —**

**Part 3:
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Part 3: Colour chart

1 Scope

This document specifies the colour character and appearance of the colour chart used in a computerized tongue image analysis system (CTIS).

This document excludes diagnostic or clinical comparison to the colour chart.

2 Normative references

There are no normative references in this document.

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

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- ISO Online browsing platform: available at <https://www.iso.org/obp>
- IEC Electropedia: available at <http://www.electropedia.org/>

3.1 colour chart

apparatus which consists of an array of 24 single-colour patches used for the evaluation of colour reproduction of CTIS

3.2 colour space

geometric representation of colours in space, usually of three dimensions

[SOURCE: CIE Publication 17.4, 845-03-25]

3.3 CIELAB colour difference

CIE 1976 L*a*b* colour difference

$$\Delta E_{ab}^*$$

difference between two colour stimuli defined as the Euclidean distance between the points representing them in L*a*b* colour space

[SOURCE: CIE publication 17.4, 845-03-55, 56]

3.4 margin

area beyond the colour patch in the colour chart