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**Straight cylindrical involute splines —  
Metric module, side fit —**

**Part 2:  
Dimensions**

*Cannelures cylindriques droites à flancs en développante — Module  
métrique, à centrage sur flancs —*

*Partie 2: Dimensions*



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## Foreword

ISO (the International Organization for Standardization) is a worldwide federation of national standards bodies (ISO member bodies). The work of preparing International Standards is normally carried out through ISO technical committees. Each member body interested in a subject for which a technical committee has been established has the right to be represented on that committee. International organizations, governmental and non-governmental, in liaison with ISO, also take part in the work. ISO collaborates closely with the International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC) on all matters of electrotechnical standardization.

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This document was prepared by Technical Committee ISO/TC 14 *Shafts of machinery and accessories*.

This second edition cancels and replaces the first edition (ISO 4156-2:2005), which has been technically revised.

The main changes compared to the previous edition are as follows:

- ISO 4156-1 has been changed from dated to undated reference;
- ISO 4156-3 has been dated to refer to the new edition and moved to Bibliography;
- correction of descriptions of  $D_{ie \min}$  and  $D_{ii \min}$ ;
- correction of the title for Table 32.

A list of all parts in the ISO 4156 series can be found on the ISO website.

Any feedback or questions on this document should be directed to the user's national standards body. A complete listing of these bodies can be found at [www.iso.org/members.html](http://www.iso.org/members.html).

## Introduction

ISO 4156 (all parts) provides the data and indications necessary for the design, manufacture and inspection of straight (non-helical) side-fitting cylindrical involute splines.

Straight cylindrical involute splines manufactured in accordance with ISO 4156 (all parts) are used for clearance, sliding and interference connections of shafts and hubs. They contain all the necessary characteristics for the assembly, transmission of torque, and economic production.

The nominal pressure angles are  $30^\circ$ ,  $37,5^\circ$  and  $45^\circ$ . For electronic data processing purposes, the form of expression  $37,5^\circ$  has been adopted instead of  $37^\circ30'$ . ISO 4156 (all parts) establishes a specification based on the following modules:

- for pressure angles of  $30^\circ$  and  $37,5^\circ$  the module increments are:

0,5; 0,75; 1; 1,25; 1,5; 1,75; 2; 2,5; 3; 4; 5; 6; 8; 10;

- for pressure angle of  $45^\circ$  the module increments are:

0,25; 0,5; 0,75; 1; 1,25; 1,5; 1,75; 2; 2,5

# Straight cylindrical involute splines — Metric module, side fit —

## Part 2: Dimensions

### 1 Scope

This document specifies geometry and inspection dimensions for the design and manufacture of straight (non-helical) side-fitting cylindrical involute splines.

Limiting dimensions, tolerances, manufacturing errors and their effects on the fit between connecting coaxial spline elements are defined and tabulated. Linear dimensions are expressed in millimetres and angular dimensions in degrees.

The specified diameters for external splines in the geometry tables and the values in the inspection dimension tables are only valid for fundamental deviation “h”.

For fundamental deviations other than “h”, diameters and tooth thicknesses are calculated for external splines according to the formulae in ISO 4156-1 and inspection dimensions according to the formulae in ISO 4156-3.

### 2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 4156-1, *Straight cylindrical involute splines — Metric module, side fit — Part 1: Generalities*

### 3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in ISO 4156-1 apply.

ISO and IEC maintain terminological databases for use in standardization at the following addresses:

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