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# Foreword

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

— Clause 2 has been updated;

— Clause 3 has been added as it is now a mandatory element;

— Annex A has been added to address new, non-standard plate sizes, which do not align with the sizes of the dry plate and wet plate area.

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# Introduction

The purpose of this document is the inclusion of an annex to cover the dimensions of sheet films, which are being used in newly manufactured holders for antique glass plate cameras.

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## 1 Scope

This document specifies the nominal sizes of photographic glass plates, together with cutting dimensions and their tolerances. It also specifies the nominal substrate thicknesses and their tolerances, as well as providing a cross-reference for sheet films being used in newly manufactured holders for 19th century glass plate cameras.

## 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 1, *Geometrical product specifications (GPS) — Standard reference temperature for the specification of geometrical and dimensional properties*

ISO 554, *Standard atmospheres for conditioning and/or testing — Specifications*

## 3 Terms and definitions

No terms and definitions are listed in this document.

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 https://www.electropedia.org/

## 4 Conditions for measurement of dimensions

### 4.1 Dimensions

The dimensions and tolerances specified in this document shall apply at the time of manufacture (except where specifically stated otherwise), when measured under atmospheric conditions of (23 ± 2) °C and (50 ± 5) % relative humidity, as specified in ISO 554.

### 4.2 Calibration of measuring instruments

All measuring instrument calibrations shall be conducted at a temperature of 20 °C as specified in ISO 1, and a relative humidity of 50 %.

## 5 Dimensions

### 5.1 Cutting dimensions

Cutting dimensions and tolerances of plates shall conform to the values given in Tables 1 and 2.

### 5.2 Substrate thickness

Substrate thicknesses of glass plates shall conform to the values given in Table 3.

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