
Dental tweezers —

Part 2:
Meriam types

*Précelles dentaires —
Partie 2: Type Meriam*



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Foreword

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ISO 15098 consists of the following parts, under the general title *Dental tweezers*:

- *Part 1: General requirements*
- *Part 2: Meriam types*
- *Part 3: College types*

Dental tweezers —

Part 2: Meriam types

1 Scope

This part of ISO 15098 specifies specific requirements, including dimensions, for Meriam type dental tweezers.

2 Normative references

The following normative documents contain provisions which, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of this part of ISO 15098. For dated references, subsequent amendments to, or revisions of, any of these publications do not apply. However, parties to agreements based on this part of ISO 15098 are encouraged to investigate the possibility of applying the most recent editions of the normative documents indicated below. For undated references, the latest edition of the normative document referred to applies. Members of ISO and IEC maintain registers of currently valid International Standards.

ISO 1942-3, *Dental vocabulary — Part 3: Dental instruments*.

ISO 15098-1:1999, *Dental tweezers — Part 1: General requirements*.

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this part of ISO 15098, the terms and definitions given in ISO 1942-3 and the following apply.

3.1

guide pin

pin for guiding the tweezer halves when the tweezers are pressed together

4 Design and dimensions

4.1 General

General requirements for dental tweezers are specified in ISO 15098-1.

Meriam type dental tweezers shall have the designs shown in Figure 1 and the dimensions as given in Table 1. The points of measurement associated with the dimensions are listed in Table 2.

Annex A of ISO 15098-1:1999 provides details of one method of measurement applicable to most types of dental tweezers.

4.2 Length

Meriam type dental tweezers shall have a length l of (160 ± 5) mm.