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This first edition of ISO 19069-1 cancels and replaces ISO 1873-1:1995, which has been technically revised to introduce a new designation system.

ISO 19069 consists of the following parts, under the general title *Plastics — Polypropylene (PP) moulding and extrusion materials*:

- *Part 1: Designation system and basis for specifications*
- *Part 2: Preparation of test specimens and determination of properties*

Plastics — Polypropylene (PP) moulding and extrusion materials —

Part 1: Designation system and basis for specifications

1 Scope

This part of ISO 19069 establishes a system of designation for polypropylene (PP) thermoplastic material, which can be used as the basis for specifications.

The types of polypropylene plastics are differentiated from each other by a classification system based on appropriate levels of the designatory properties

- a) tensile modulus of elasticity,
- b) impact strength, and
- c) melt mass-flow rate (MFR),

and on information about basic polymer parameters, intended application and/or method of processing, important properties, additives, colorants, fillers, and reinforcing materials.

This part of ISO 19069 is applicable to all polypropylene homopolymers and to copolymers of propylene with a content of other 1-olefinic of less than 50 % (m/m), as well as blends of polymers containing at least 50 % (m/m) of aforementioned polymers.

It applies to materials ready for normal use in the form of powder, granules, or pellets and to materials unmodified or modified by colorants, additives, fillers, etc.

This part of ISO 19069 does not apply to propylene-based rubber.

It is not intended to imply that materials having the same designation give necessarily the same performance. This part of ISO 19069 does not provide engineering data, performance data, or data on processing conditions which can be required to specify a material for a particular application and/or method of processing.

If such additional properties are required, they shall be determined in accordance with the test methods specified in ISO 19069-2¹⁾, if suitable.

In order to specify a thermoplastic material for a particular application or to ensure reproducible processing, additional requirements can be given in data block 5 (see [3.1](#)).

2 Normative references

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 1043-1, *Plastics — Symbols and abbreviated terms — Part 1: Basic polymers and their special characteristics*

1) To be published.

ISO 1133 (all parts), *Plastics — Determination of the melt mass-flow rate (MFR) and melt volume-flow rate (MVR) of thermoplastics*

ISO 1873-2²⁾, *Plastics — Polypropylene (PP) moulding and extrusion materials — Part 2: Preparation of test specimens and determination of properties*

3 Designation and specification system

3.1 General

The designation and specification system for thermoplastics is based on the following standardized pattern:

Designation						
Designation block (optional)	Identity block					
	International Standard number block	Individual-item block				
		Data block 1	Data block 2	Data block 3	Data block 4	Data block 5

The designation consists of an optional description block, reading “Thermoplastics”, and an identity block comprising the International Standard number and an individual-item block. For unambiguous designation, the individual-item block is subdivided into five data blocks comprising the following information.

- Data block 1: Identification of the plastic by its symbol PP in accordance with ISO 1043-1 and information about the polymerization process or composition of the polymer (see [3.2](#)).
- Data block 2: Fillers or reinforcing materials and their nominal content (see [3.3](#)).
- Data block 3: Position 1: Intended application or method of processing (see [3.4](#)).
Positions 2 to 8: Important properties, additives, and supplementary information (see [3.4](#)).
- Data block 4: Designatory properties (see [3.5](#)).
- Data block 5: For the purpose of specifications, a fifth data block can be added containing additional information (see [3.6](#)).

The first character of the individual-item block shall be a hyphen. The data blocks shall be separated from each other by commas.

If a data block is not used, this shall be indicated by doubling the separation sign, i.e. by two commas (,,).

3.2 Data block 1

In this data block, after the hyphen, polypropylene plastics are identified by the symbol “PP”, in accordance with ISO 1043-1, followed by a hyphen and a single code letter giving additional information on the polymer as specified in [Table 1](#).

2) Will be revised with a new number ISO 19069-2.