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#### **Foreword**

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This second edition cancels and replaces the first edition (ISO 6746-1:1982), of which it constitutes a technical revision.

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# **Part 1:**

# Base machine

## 1 Scope and field of application

This part of ISO 6746 defines terms and symbols relating to dimensions of the base machine of earth-moving machinery.

It applies to the basic types of earth-moving machines as defined in ISO 6165.

#### 2 References

ISO 6165, Earth-moving machinery — Basic types — Vocabulary.

ISO 6746-2, Earth-moving machinery — Definitions of dimensions and symbols — Part 2: Equipment.

#### 3 General definitions

For the purposes of this International Standard, the following definitions apply.

- 3.1 three-dimensional reference system: See annex A.
- **3.2** ground reference plane (GRP): Zero Z plane on which the machine is placed for the measurements.

The plane is:

- a) for wheeled machines, a hard level surface:
- b) for crawler machines:
  - 1) tractors, pipelayers
    - the face for grouser-type shoe (see H5),
  - 2) loaders, excavators
    - the tip of the grouser (see H5),

- 3) low ground pressure
  - for triangular section shoe, one-half of the distance between the track link bolting surface and the tip of the grouser (see H5).
- **3.3** base machine: Machine, without equipment, as described by the manufacturer's specifications.

The machine should be provided with the necessary mountings to secure equipment as detailed in ISO 6746-2.

### 4 General

Annexes B, C, D, E and F give the symbols and term definitions relating to the dimensions of the base machine of earth-moving machinery.

#### 5 Coding system

Each dimension listed in annexes B, C, D, E and F is assigned a code which is composed of a letter (see 5.1) and an International Standard reference number (see 5.2).

**5.1** One capital letter indicates a dimension, as follows:

H = height dimensions

W =width dimensions

L = length dimensions

R = radial dimensions

A = angular dimensions

**5.2** An International Standard reference number indicates the specific machine (see ISO 6746-1, ISO 7131, ISO 7132, ISO 7133, ISO 7134, ISO 7135 and ISO 7136 as applicable).